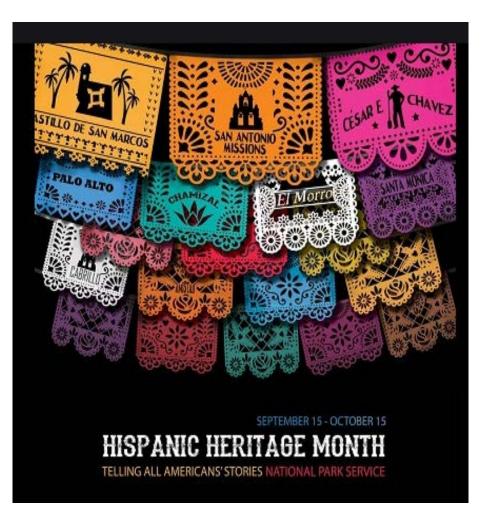


## Recognition of National Hispanic Heritage Month

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- 2021 theme for National Hispanic Heritage Month "Esperanza: A Celebration of Hispanic Heritage and Hope," invites us to celebrate Hispanic heritage and to reflect on how great tomorrow can be if we hold on to resilience and hope
- SCUSD serves more than 17,000 Hispanic students or about 40 percent of the student population
- 262 students have received the Spanish Language Seal of Biliteracy through the Multilingual Literacy Department in SCUSD in the 2020-21 school year;

## **Questions/Comments**