

Employee Appreciation Day is a non-official day and while there's no real authority on what needs to take place, thanking your employees for their hard work and effort throughout the year is a smart move.

There are so many ideas out there that it can become overwhelming to decide what to do! Engage2Excel has sorted through many of them and this year we put together four ideas that can make a personal connection for your employees.

TRAIN OF THANK YOU'S.

Gather managers & executives and invite to travel to building(s) and visit every office, cube or workstation to thank employees in person!



cheers by Peers. Create a designated appreciation wall in your building/office area. Provide employees with paper, markers, stickers, etc. and let them unleash their inner artist. Nothing says recognition than a bunch of appreciation & recognition notes for everyone to see!



HANDWRITTEN NOTES.

The art of writing is not dead Ask managers to write a personalized card for each individual on their team. Go the extra mile and get the executive team to sign each employee's card.



be social Most Use corporate social media platforms to share the organizations' gratitude and thank all employees with a fun, creative post using pictures of employees throughout the organization.



FEED THEM. Treat the staff to a mid-day break, snack or luncheon where you supply the food and have leaders thank everyone for all they do. If budget allows, an office party or after work get together can be a fun celebration!