



2025

Diversity Calendar

Celebrating diverse lives every day.



JANUARY

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EVENT SCHEDULE

1
WED

NEW YEAR'S DAY

4
SAT

WORLD BRAILLE DAY

Raising awareness of the importance of Braille for accessibility

7
TUE

ORTHODOX CHRISTMAS DAY

Celebrating the birth of Christ in the Orthodox tradition

13
MON

LOHRI MAGHI

Hindu festival marking harvest and new beginnings

14
TUE

ORTHODOX NEW YEAR'S DAY

19
SUN

WORLD RELIGION DAY

Promoting interfaith understanding and harmony

20
MON

MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY

Honouring the legacy of a civil rights leader

27
MON

HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL DAY

29
WED

LUNAR NEW YEAR

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FEBRUARY





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EVENT SCHEDULE

- 1**
SAT WORLD HIJAB DAY
Celebrating Muslim women who wear the hijab
- 5**
WED NATIONAL GIRLS & WOMEN IN SPORT DAY
Highlighting women's achievements in sports
- 6**
THU TIME TO TALK DAY
Encouraging conversations about mental health
- 11**
TUE INTERNATIONAL DAY OF WOMEN & GIRLS IN SCIENCE
Recognising women in STEM
- 12**
WED SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH AWARENESS DAY
- 20**
THU WORLD DAY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE
Advocating for fair and equal societies
- 21**
FRI INTERNATIONAL MOTHER LANGUAGE DAY
Celebrating linguistic and cultural diversity
- 24**
MON EATING DISORDER AWARENESS WEEK (24 FEB - 2 MAR)
- 28**
FRI START OF RAMADAN
Beginning of the Islamic holy month of fasting

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MARCH



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1
SAT

ZERO DISCRIMINATION DAY
INTERNATIONAL WHEELCHAIR DAY

3
MON

WORLD HEARING DAY
Raising awareness of hearing health

8
SAT

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY
Honouring women's achievements and advocating for equality

17-23
MON-SUN

NEURODIVERSITY CELEBRATION WEEK
Embracing diverse ways of thinking and learning

21
FRI

SINGLE PARENTS DAY
WORLD DOWN SYNDROME DAY
INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE ELIMINATION OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

22
SAT

GUDI PADWA
Celebrating the Hindi New Year

24
MON

INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE RIGHT TO TRUTH
Honouring victims of human rights violations

29
SAT

END OF RAMADAN
Concluding the holy month of fasting

31
MON

TRANS DAY OF VISIBILITY
Celebrating trans lives and achievements

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APRIL

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2
WED

WORLD AUTISM DAY

7
MON

REFLECTION ON TUTSI GENOCIDE
Remembering victims of the 1994 genocide in Rwanda

12
SAT

PASSOVER (START)
Commemorating the liberation of Israelites from slavery

13
SUN

VAISAKHI
Marking the Punjabi New Year and Sikh harvest festival

14
MON

BENGALI NEW YEAR
Welcoming the new year in Bengali culture

PUTHANDU
Celebrating the Tamil New Year

20
SUN

PASSOVER (END)
Concluding the Jewish holiday of liberation

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MAY



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MON MAY DAY
Observing Pagan spring traditions

5-11
MON-SUN DEAF AWARENESS WEEK
Promoting the rights and contributions of the deaf community

12-18
MON-SUN BLACK INCLUSION WEEK
Advocating for racial equity and inclusion

13-19
TUE-MON LEARNING AT WORK WEEK
Encouraging workplace learning and development

14
WED NATIONAL DAY FOR STAFF NETWORKS
Recognising workplace diversity networks

15
THU GLOBAL ACCESSIBILITY AWARENESS DAY
Focusing on accessibility and inclusion

17
SAT DAY AGAINST HOMOPHOBIA, BIPHOBIA, AND
TRANSPHOBIA

21
WED WORLD DAY FOR CULTURAL DIVERSITY

24
SAT PANSEXUAL VISIBILITY DAY
Recognising and celebrating pansexual identities

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JUNE





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3-9 VOLUNTEERS WEEK
TUE-MON Celebrating the impact of volunteers

5 DAY OF ARAFAH
THU Islamic holiday of reflection and fasting

12 WORLD DAY AGAINST CHILD LABOUR
THU Fighting against child exploitation

14 GLOBAL WELLNESS DAY
SAT Promoting holistic health and well-being

17-23 LEARNING DISABILITY WEEK
TUE-MON Raising awareness of learning disabilities

18 AUTISTIC PRIDE DAY
W Celebrating autistic identity and achievements

20 WORLD REFUGEE DAY
FRI Highlighting the plight and resilience of refugees
FATHERS' MENTAL HEALTH DAY

25-26 HIJRA
WED-THU Observing the start of the Islamic calendar year

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JULY

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6
SUN

OMNISEXUAL VISIBILITY DAY

14
MON

INTERNATIONAL NON-BINARY DAY
Advocating for non-binary rights and recognition

17
THU

WORLD DAY FOR INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE
Promoting accountability for international crimes

18
FRI

NELSON MANDELA DAY
Honouring Mandela's legacy of equality and peace

SOUTH ASIAN HERITAGE MONTH (START)
Celebrating the rich cultural legacy of countries in South Asia

24
THU

SAMARITANS AWARENESS DAY
Encouraging support for those in distress

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AUGUST



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1-7 WORLD BREASTFEEDING WEEK
FRI-THU Promoting awareness of breastfeeding benefits

9 INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DAY
SAT Recognising the contributions of Indigenous cultures

12 INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY
TUE Empowering young voices and leadership

17 SOUTH ASIAN HERITAGE MONTH (END)
SUN Celebrating the rich cultural legacy of countries in South Asia

19 WORLD HUMANITARIAN DAY
TUE Honouring humanitarian workers worldwide

21 TRIBUTE TO VICTIMS OF TERRORISM
THU Remembering victims of terrorist attacks

23 SLAVE TRADE REMEMBRANCE DAY
SAT Reflecting on the abolition of the slave trade

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SEPTEMBER



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5
FRI

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF CHARITY
Encouraging global philanthropy

10
WED

WORLD SUICIDE PREVENTION DAY

12
FRI

END DIGITAL POVERTY DAY
Bridging the digital divide for all

15
MON

WORLD AFRO DAY
Celebrating Afro hair and culture

18
THU

EQUAL PAY DAY
Advocating for pay equity worldwide

20-25
SAT-THU

WEEK OF HAPPINESS AT WORK
Promoting positivity in workplaces

23
TUE

BI-VISIBILITY DAY
Recognising and celebrating bisexual identities

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OCTOBER



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1
WED INTERNATIONAL DAY OF OLDER PERSONS

6-10
MON-FRI WORK-LIFE BALANCE WEEK
Promoting healthy work-life practices

10
FRI WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY
Supporting global mental health initiatives

11
SAT NATIONAL COMING OUT DAY
Encouraging LGBTQ+ individuals to share their stories

15
WED RURAL WOMEN DAY
Highlighting the role of women in rural development
INTERNATIONAL PRONOUN DAY
Promoting inclusive language and pronoun awareness

18
SAT MENOPAUSE DAY
Raising awareness of menopause issues

20-26
MON-SUN ASEXUAL AWARENESS WEEK
Celebrating asexual identities and experiences

21
TUE DIWALI
Hindu festival of lights and new beginnings

22
WED WEAR RED DAY
Taking a stand against racism

27
MON MENTORING DAY
Encouraging mentorship for growth and success

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NOVEMBER





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4
TUE
PURPLE TUESDAY
Advocating for accessible shopping experiences

5
WED
STRESS AWARENESS DAY
Focusing on managing workplace stress

8
SAT
INTERSEX REMEMBRANCE DAY
Remembering intersex individuals lost to violence

11
TUE
REMEMBRANCE DAY
Honouring military service and sacrifices

13-19
THU-WED
TRANSGENDER AWARENESS WEEK

19
WED
INTERNATIONAL MEN'S DAY
Promoting positive masculinity and well-being

23
SUN
WORLD YOUTH DAY
Celebrating youth empowerment and involvement

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DECEMBER





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MON WORLD AIDS DAY
Advocating for AIDS awareness and prevention

2
TUE DAY FOR ABOLITION OF SLAVERY
Combating slavery in all its forms

3
THU DAY FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

7
SUN NATIONAL GRIEF AWARENESS WEEK
Supporting individuals through grief

10
WED HUMAN RIGHTS DAY
Upholding universal human rights

14
SUN CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY
Supporting children's charities during the festive season

18
THU INTERNATIONAL MIGRANTS DAY
Recognising the contributions of migrants globally

21
SUN YULE
Celebrating the winter solstice and ancient traditions

25
THU CHRISTMAS DAY

31
WED NEW YEAR'S EVE

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