

Awareness and Events

- Cervical Cancer Awareness Month
- Alcohol Change UKs Dry January
- Thyroid awareness month
- 4th World braille day
- 18th World religion day
- 19th Martin Luther King Jr day
- 24th International day of education
- 25th Robert Burns night (Burns night)
- 27th January Holocaust Memorial Day

Religious and Cultural

- 1st Solemnity of Mary, mother of God Catholic Christian
- Rohini vrat Jain
- Gantan-sai (new year) Shinto
- 1st to 7th Hatsumode Shinto
- 3rd - 5th Mahayana new year Buddhist
- 5th Twelfth night Christian
- 6th Epiphany Christian
- 7th Feast of the nativity Orthodox Christian
- 11th Baptism of the lord Jesus Catholic Christian
- 12th Swami Vivekananda jayanti Hindu
- Seijin no Hi Shinto
- 13th Lohri/Maghi Hindu and Sikh
- 14th Old new year Orthodox Christian
- Makar sankranti Hindu
- 14th - 17th Pongal Hindu
- 16th Lailat al-Miraj Islam
- Meru trayodashi Jain
- 18th - 25th Week of prayer for Christian unity Christian
- 19th Timkat Ethiopian & Feast of the Theophany Orthodox Christian
- 23rd Vasant panchami Hindu, Sikh and Jain
- 25th Conversion of saint Paul Christian
- Zacchaeus Sunday Orthodox Christian
- 28th Rohini vrat Jain
- 31st Guru Harrai jayanti Sikh

January

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Awareness and Events

- LGBTQ+ History Month
- UK National Heart Month
- Raynaud's Awareness month
- 1st World hijab day
- 1st -7th World interfaith harmony week
- 4th World cancer day
- 5th Time to talk day
- 5th - 11th UK race equality week
- 6th International day of zero tolerance to FGM (female genital mutilation)
- 9th - 15th Children's mental health week
- 10th Safer internet day
- 11th International day of women and girls in Science
- 12th Red hand day for child soldiers
- 15th International childhood cancer day
- 17th World human spirit day
- 20th World day of social justice
- 21st International mother language day

Religious and Cultural

- 1st Triodion begins Orthodox Christian
- Thaipusam Hindu
- 2nd Tu B'Shvat Judaism
- Imbolc/Candlemas Wicca and Pagan
- 3rd Lailat al Bara'ah Islam
- Setsubun-sai Shinto
- 8th Sunday of the prodigal son Orthodox Christian
- 14th Saint Valentine's day Christian
- 15th Saturday of souls Orthodox Christian
- 15th Meatfare Sunday Orthodox Christian
- Nirvana day Buddhist
- 15th - 16th Maha Shivratri Hindu
- 16th Shrove Monday Christian
- 17th Shrove Tuesday Christian
- Lunar new year Confucian, Daoist and Buddhist
- 18th Ash Wednesday Christian
- Losar begins Buddhist
- Ramadan begins Islam
- 21st Saturday of souls Orthodox Christian
- 22nd Feast of the chair of saint Peter Catholic Christian
- Cheese fare Sunday Orthodox Christian
- 23rd Great Lent begins Orthodox Christian
- Phalguna ashtahnika begins Jain
- 25th Rohini vrat Jain
- 25th Feb - 1st March Intercalary days Baha'i
- 28th Saturday of souls Orthodox Christian

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Religious and Cultural

- 1st

St David's day

Christian
- 2nd

Feast of Orthodox

Orthodox Christian
- 3rd

Nineteen-day fast begins

Bahá'í
- 4th - 6th

Holika dahan

Hindu
- 11th

Phalguna chaumasi

chaudas Jain
- 14th

Hina matsuri

Shinto
- 16th

Magha puja

Buddhist
- 19th

Purim

Judaism
- 20th

Holi

Hindu
- 21st

4th - 6th

Hola mohalla

Sikh
- 24th

11th

Varshitapa

arambha Jain
- 25th

14th

Nanakshahi

(new year)

Sikh
- 26th

16th

Laylat al-Qadr

Islam
- 27th

16th - 20th

Hamaspathmaidyem

Gahambar

Zoroastrian
- 28th

17th

St Patrick's day

Christian
- 29th

19th

Feast of saint Joseph

Christian
- 30th

Chaitra navratri

begins Hindu
- 31st

Ugadi

(new year)

Hindu
- 32nd

20th

Eid al-Fitr

Islam
- 33rd

Shunbun

no Hi

Shinto
- 34th

Ostara

Wicca and Pagan
- 35th

Nowruz

(new year)

Persian and Zoroastrian
- 36th

21st

Naw-Rúz

Bahá'í
- 37th

24th

Rohini vrat

Jain
- 38th

25th

Chaitra navapada

oli begins Jain
- 39th

Annunciation of the lord

Catholic Christian
- 40th

Annunciation to the Theotokos

Orthodox Christian
- 41th

Annunciation of the virgin Mary

Christian
- 42th

26th

Khordad sal

Zoroastrian
- 43th

Rama navami

Hindu
- 44th

29th

Palm Sunday

Catholic Christian
- 45th

31st

Mahavir Swami jayanti

Jain

Awareness and Events

- Prostrate awareness month
- Ovarian Cancer awareness month
- Marie Curies, great daffodil appeal month
- Womens history month
- 1st

International Zero Discrimination day
- 2nd

International Wheelchair day
- 3rd

World hearing day
- 4th

8th

International Womens day
- 5th

15th

International day to combat islamophobia
- 6th

Mother's day
- 7th

16th - 22nd

Neurodiversity celebration week
- 8th

20th

Spring equinox
- 9th

21st

World down syndrome day
- 10th

International day of the Elimination of Racial Discrimination
- 11th

24th

World tuberculosis (TB) day
- 12th

25th

International Day of remembrance of the Victims of Slavery and the transatlantic slave trade
- 13th

30th

World bipolar day
- 14th

31st

International transgender day of visibility

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- Autism Acceptance Month
- Stress awareness month
- Bowel Cancer awareness month
- Parkinson awareness month
- 1st Fools’ day
- 2nd World autism awareness day
- 6th International asexuality day
- 7th World health day
- 8th International Romani day
- 22nd Earth day
- Stephen Lawrence Day
- 25th World malaria day
- 26th Lesbian visibility day
- 28th International Workers Memorial Day/ World day for health and safety at work

Religious and Cultural

- 2nd Hanuman jayanti *Hindu*
- Maundy Thursday *Christian*
- 2nd- 5th Theravada new year *Buddhist*
- 2nd- 9th Passover *Judaism*
- 3rd Good Friday *Christian*
- 4th Holy Saturday *Christian*
- Lazarus Saturday *Orthodox Christian*
- 5th Easter Sunday *Christian*
- Palm Sunday *Orthodox Christian*
- 6th Easter Monday *Christian*
- 7th Guru Tegh Bahadur jayanti *Sikh*
- 9th Guru Arjun Dev jayanti *Sikh*
- Great and holy Thursday *Orthodox Christian*
- 10th Great and holy Friday *Orthodox Christian*
- 11th Great and holy Saturday *Orthodox Christian*
- 12th Pascha (Easter) *Orthodox Christian*
- Divine mercy Sunday *Catholic Christian*
- 13th - 15th Songkran (Thai new year) *Buddhist*
- 14th Yom HaShoah *Judaism*
- Puthandu *Hindu*
- Vaisakhi *Hindu and Sikh*
- 18th Guru Angad Dev jayanti *Sikh*
- 19th Akshaya tritiya *Hindu and Jain*
- Varshitapa parana *Jain*
- 20th Rohini vrata *Jain*
- 21st First day of Ridvan *Baha’i*
- Grounation day *Rastafari*
- 23rd Saint George’s day *Christian*
- 25th Feast of saint Mark the evangelist *Catholic Christian*
- 26th Mahavir Swami kevalagyan *Jain*
- 29th Ninth day of Ridvan *Baha’i*
- 30th Saint James the great’s day *Orthodox Christian*
- Guru Amar Das jayanti *Sikh*
- Avalokiteshvara day *Buddhist*
- 30th Apr - 4th May Maidyoza rem gahambar *Zoroastrian*

April

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Religious and Cultural

- 1st Beltane *Wicca and Pagan*
- 2nd Twelfth day of Ridvan *Baha'i*
- 3rd Feast of saints Philip and James *Catholic Christian*
- 5th Lag BaOmer *Judaism*
- 6th Midfeast *Orthodox Christian*
- 14th Ascension of the lord *Catholic Christian*
Feast of saint Matthias *Catholic Christian*
- 18th Rohini vrat *Jain*
- 21st Feast of the ascension *Orthodox Christian*
- 22nd - 23rd Shavuot *Judaism*
- 24th Declaration of the Báb *Baha'i*
Pentecost *Catholic Christian*
- 25th Hajj begins *Islam*
- 26th Day of Arafah *Islam*
- 27th Eid al-Adha begins *Islam*
- 29th Ascension of Baha'u'llah *Baha'i*
- 30th Saturday of souls *Orthodox Christian*
- 31st Vesak *Buddhist*
Pentecost *Catholic Christian*
Trinity Sunday *Catholic Christian*
Visitation of the blessed virgin Mary *Catholic Christian*
Saga dawa dūchen *Buddhist*

Awareness and Events

- Stroke awareness month
- Coeliac awareness month
- National walking month
- 1st May Day/ International Workers Day
- 3rd International family equality day
- 4th - 10th Deaf awareness week
- 8th World Red Cross and Red Crescent day
- 11th - 17th Mental health awareness week
- 13th National day for staff networks
- 15th International day of families
- 17th International day against homophobia, transphobia and biphobia
- 21st Global accessibility awareness day
World day for cultural diversity for dialogue and development
- 22nd International day for biological diversity
- 24th Pansexual visibility day

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Awareness and Events

- Motor neurone disease awareness month
- Stillbirth and neonatal death awareness month
- Scleroderma awareness month
- LGBTQ+ pride month
- Gypsy, Roma and Traveller history month
- 4th International day of innocent children victims of aggression
- 9th - 15th Carer's Week
- 20th World Refugee week
- 22nd Windrush day
- 12th World day against child labour
- 14th Race unity day
- 15th World elder abuse awareness day
- 15th - 21th Refugee week
 - Men's health week
- 18th Autistic pride day
- 20th World refugee day
- 21st Summer solstice
 - Father's day
- 22nd UK Windrush day
- 22nd - 26th School diversity week

Religious and Cultural

- 4th Eid al-Ghadir * Islam
- The feast of Corpus Christi Catholic Christian
- 8th The apostles' fast begins Orthodox Christian
- 12th Feast of the sacred heart of Jesus Catholic Christian
- 14th Rohini vrat Jain
- Rice planting festival (Otaue matsuri) Shinto
- 16th Islamic new year Islam
- Martyrdom of Guru Arjan Dev Sikh
- 21st Litha Wicca and Pagan
- 24th Nativity of saint John the baptist Christian
- 25th Day of Ashura Islam
- 29th Feast of saints Peter and Paul Christian
- 29th Jun - 3rd Jul – Maidyoshahem gahambar Zoroastrian
- 30th Guru Hargobind jayanti Sikh

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Awareness and Events

- UV safety awareness month
- International women with alopecia month
- Group B strep awareness month
- Disability pride month
- South Asian heritage month
- 14th International non-binary people's day
- 18th Nelson Mandela international day
- 18th Jul - 17th Aug South Asian heritage month
- 28th World hepatitis day

Religious and Cultural

- 3rd Feast of the saint Thomas the apostle Christian
- 10th Martyrdom of the Báb Baha'i
- 11th Rohini vrat Jain
- 15th Saint Vladimir the great day Orthodox Christian
- 20th Ashadha ashtahnika begins Jain
- 22nd Feast of saint Mary Magdalene Christian
- 23rd Tish'a B'av Judaism
 - Birthday of emperor Haile Selassie Rastafari
- 24th Pioneer day Mormon Christian
- 25th Saint James the great's day Christian
- 28th Ashadha chaumasi chaudas Jain
- 29th Asalha puja (Dharma day) Buddhist
 - The 15th of Av Judaism
 - Guru purnima Hindu, Buddhist and Jain

July

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Awareness and Events

- Spinal Muscular atrophy awareness month
- 2nd - 9th** Eisteddfod, Celebration of Welsh language
- 9th** International day of the world's Indigenous people
- 12th** International Youth Day
- 19th** World humanitarian day
- 22nd** International day commemorating the victims of acts of violence based on religion or belief
- 23rd** International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade and its Abolition

Religious and Cultural

- 1st** Lammas *Christian*
- Lughnasadh *Wicca and Pagan*
- Fast in honour of the holy mother of the lord Jesus begins *Orthodox Christian*
- 4th** Arba'een *Islam*
- 6th** Feast of transfiguration *Catholic Christian*
- Transfiguration of the lord *Orthodox Christian*
- 7th** Guru Har Krishan jayanti *Sikh*
- 8th** Rohini vrat *Jain*
- 8th - 17th** Muktdad (Fravardeghan days) *Zoroastrian*
- 10th** Feast of saint Lawrence *Christian*
- 13th - 15th** Obon *Buddhist and Shinto*
- 15th** Assumption of Mary *Catholic Christian*
- Dormition of the Theotokos *Orthodox Christian*
- 16th** Onam begins *Hindu*
- 22nd** Feast of the queenship of Mary *Catholic Christian*
- 24th** Feast of saint Bartholomew the apostle *Christian*
- 26th** Mawlid al-Nabi *Islam*
- 27th** Ullambana (hungry ghost festival) *Buddhist*
- 28th** Raksha bandhan *Hindu*
- Dormition of the mother of God *Orthodox Christian*
- 29th** Beheading of saint John the baptist *Christian*

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Awareness and Events

- East and South East Asian heritage month
- Sickle cell awareness month
- Childhood cancer awareness month
- Blood cancer awareness month
- World Alzheimer’s month
- Urology awareness month
- 10th World suicide prevention day
- 15th World afro day’s ‘big hair assembly’
- 18th International equal pay day
- 21st World Alzheimer’s day
- 23rd Autumn equinox
- Bi visibility day
- International day of sign languages
- 28th Sept - 4th Oct UK national inclusion week

Religious and Cultural

- 1st Ecclesiastical year begins Orthodox Christian
- First installation of the Guru Granth Sahib Sikh
- 4th Krishna janmashtami Hindu
- Rohini vrat Jain
- 8th Feast of the birth of the virgin Mary Christian
- Nativity of the Theotokos Orthodox Christian
- Paryushana parvarambha Jain
- 12th Guru Grinth Sahib jayanti Sikh
- 12th - 13th Rosh Hashanah Judaism
- 12th - 16th Paitishahem gahambar Zoroastrian
- 14th Feast of the cross Christian
- Ganesh chaturthi Hindu
- 15th Samvatsari parva Jain
- 21st Feast of saint Matthew Christian
- Yom Kippur Judaism
- 23rd Mabon Wicca and Pagan
- Autumnal equinox day (Shūbun no Hi) Shinto
- 24th Pavarana Buddhist
- 25th Anant chaturdashi Hindu
- 26th Pitri paksha begins Hindu
- 26th Sept - 2nd Oct – Sukkot * Judaism
- 27th Meskel Ethiopian Orthodox Christian
- 29th Feast of saint Michael and all angels Christian

September

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Awareness and Events

Breast cancer awareness month
Down syndrome awareness month
Black history month
Lupus awareness month
World menopause month
Global diversity awareness month
1st Anniversary of the introduction of the Equality Act
International day of older persons
5th World teachers' day
6th World cerebral palsy day
8th World sight day
10th World mental health day
11th International day of the girl child
National coming out day
15th International day of rural women
16th Show Racism the Red Card's wear red day
17th International day for the eradication of poverty
18th Anti-slavery day
World menopause day
21st International pronouns day
26th Intersex awareness day
29th World stroke day

Religious and Cultural

1st Rohini vrat *Jain*
2nd Feast of the guardian angels *Catholic Christian*
Gandhi jayanti *Hindu*
Mehregan *Zoroastrian*
3rd Shemini Atzeret *Judaism*
4th Feast of St Francis of Assisi *Christian*
Simchat Torah *Judaism*
11th Sharada navratri begins *Hindu*
12th - 16th Ayathrem gahambar *Zoroastrian*
17th Ashwina navapada oli begins *Jain*
Durga puja begins *Hindu*
18th Feast of saint Luke *Christian*
20th Dussehra *Hindu*
Guru Granth Sahib coronation day *Sikh*
25th Kathina *Buddhist*
27th Guru Ram Das jayanti *Sikh*
28th Feast of saints Simon and Jude *Christian*
Rohini vrat *Jain*
29th Karwa chauth *Hindu*
31st All Hallows' eve *Christian*
Reformation day *Protestant Christian*

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Awareness and Events

Lung cancer awareness month
Pancreatic cancer awareness month
Mouth cancer action month
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease awareness month
Movember men’s health awareness month
Disability history month
8th Remembrance Sunday
Intersex day of solidarity
11th Armistice day
13th World kindness day
13th - 19th Transgender awareness week
14th World diabetes day
16th International day for tolerance
19th International men’s day
19th Nov - 20th Dec Disability history month
20th World children’s day
Transgender day of remembrance
25th International day for the elimination of violence against women

Religious and Cultural

1st Feast of all the saints *Christian*
Samhain *Wicca and Pagan*
2nd All souls’ day *Christian*
Anniversary of the coronation of emperor Haile Selassie | *Rastafari*
7th Tori no Ichi (first rooster day) *Shinto*
8th Bandi chhor divas *Sikh*
Diwali *Hindu, Sikh and Jain*
9th Feast of the dedication of the Archbasilica *Catholic Christian*
10th Birth of the Báb *Baha’i*
Birth of Baha’u’llah *Bahá’i*
13th Chhath puja begins *Hindu*
15th Nativity fast begins *Orthodox Christian*
Shichi-go-san *Shinto*
16th – Kartik ashtahnika begins *Jain*
19th Tori no Ichi (second rooster day) *Shinto*
21st Presentation of the Theotokos *Orthodox Christian*
22nd Feast of Christ the king *Christian*
23rd Kartika chaumasi chaudas *Jain*
Niinamesai *Shinto*
24th Guru Nanak Dev jayanti *Sikh*
Kartika rathayatra *Jain*
Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahadur *Sikh*
25th Rohini vrat *Jain*
26th Day of the covenant *Baha’i*
28th Ascension of Abdu’l–Bahá *Bahá’i*
29th Advent Sunday *Christian*
30th Saint Andrew’s day *Christian*

November

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Awareness and Events

- Universal month for human rights
- Decembeard
- 1st** World AIDS day
- 2nd** International day for the abolition of slavery
- 3rd** International day of persons with disabilities
- 10th** Human rights day
- 18th** International migrants' day
- 20th** International human solidarity day
- 21st** Winter solstice
- 26th** Boxing day
- 26th Dec - 1st Jan** Kwanzaa
- 31st** New year's eve/Hogmanay

Religious and Cultural

- 5th - 12th** Hanukkah *Judaism*
- 6th** Feast of saint Nicholas *Christian*
- 8th** Feast of the immaculate conception *Catholic Christian*
- 12th** Rohatsu (Bodhi day) *Buddhist*
- 13th** Feast of our lady of Guadalupe *Catholic Christian*
- 13th** Gaudete Sunday *Christian*
- 16th** Dhanu sankranti *Hindu*
- 16th** Las posadas starts *Catholic Christian*
- 19th** Feast of saint Nicholas *Orthodox Christian*
- 20th** Gita jayanti *Hindu*
- 21st** Yule *Wicca and Pagan*
- 22nd** Rohini vrat *Jain*
- 24th** Christmas eve *Christian*
- 25th** Christmas day *Christian*
- 25th** Nativity of the lord *Catholic Christian*
- 25th** Feast of the nativity of our lord *Orthodox Christian*
- 26th** Feast of saint Stephen *Christian*
- 26th** Zartosht no-diso *Zoroastrian*
- 27th** Veer bal diwas (Martyrdom of Guru Gobind Singh Ji's sons) *Sikh*
- 27th** Feast of the holy family *Catholic Christian*
- 29th** Holy innocents' day *Christian*
- 31st** Watch night *Christian*
- 31st** Maidyarem gahambar begins *Zoroastrian*

December

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