

# List of International Days and Weeks

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## January

International Day of Education (A/RES/73/25)

24 Jan

International Day of Clean Energy (A/RES/77/327)

26 Jan

International Day of Commemoration in Memory of the Victims of the Holocaust (A/RES/60/7)

27 Jan

## February

World Interfaith Harmony Week, 1-7 February (A/RES/65/5)

01 Feb

World Wetlands Day (A/RES/75/317)

02 Feb

International Day of Human Fraternity (A/RES/75/200)

04 Feb

International Day of Zero Tolerance to Female Genital Mutilation (A/RES/67/146)

06 Feb

World Pulses Day (A/RES/73/251)

10 Feb

International Day of Women and Girls in Science (A/RES/70/212)

11 Feb

International Day for the Prevention of Violent Extremism as and when Conducive to Terrorism (A/RES/77/243)

12 Feb

Global Tourism Resilience Day (A/RES/77/269)

17 Feb

World Day of Social Justice (A/RES/62/10)

20 Feb

International Mother Language Day (A/RES/56/262)

21 Feb

## March

World Seagrass Day (A/RES/76/265)

01 Mar

Zero Discrimination Day [UNAIDS]

01 Mar

World Wildlife Day (A/RES/68/205)

03 Mar

International Day for Disarmament and Non-Proliferation Awareness (A/RES/77/51)

05 Mar

International Women's Day

08 Mar

International Day to Combat Islamophobia (A/RES/76/254)

15 Mar

International Day of Happiness (A/RES/66/281)

20 Mar

French Language Day

20 Mar

International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (A/RES/2142 (XXI))

21 Mar

Week of Solidarity with the Peoples Struggling against Racism and Racial Discrimination, 21-27 March (A/RES/34/24)

21 Mar

World Poetry Day [UNESCO] (30 C/Resolution 29)

21 Mar

International Day of Nowruz (A/RES/64/253)

21 Mar

International Day of Forests (A/RES/67/200)

21 Mar

World Water Day (A/RES/47/193)

22 Mar

World Meteorological Day (WMO/EC-XII/Res.6)

23 Mar

International Day for the Right to the Truth concerning Gross Human Rights Violations and for the Dignity of Victims (A/RES/65/196)

24 Mar

International Day of Remembrance of the Victims of Slavery and the Transatlantic Slave Trade (A/RES/62/122)

25 Mar

International Day of Solidarity with Detained and Missing Staff Members (A/RES/49/59)

25 Mar

International Day of Zero Waste (A/RES/77/161)

30 Mar

## **April**

World Autism Awareness Day (A/RES/62/139)

02 Apr

International Day for Mine Awareness and Assistance in Mine Action (A/RES/60/97)

04 Apr

International Day of Conscience (A/RES/73/329)

05 Apr

International Day of Sport for Development and Peace (A/RES/67/296)

06 Apr

World Health Day (WHA/A.2/Res.35)

07 Apr

International Day of Reflection on the 1994 Genocide against the Tutsi in Rwanda (A/RES/58/234)

07 Apr

International Day of Human Space Flight (A/RES/65/271)

12 Apr

World Creativity and Innovation Day (A/RES/71/284)

21 Apr

International Mother Earth Day (A/RES/63/278)

22 Apr

World Immunization Week, 24-30 April [WHO]

24 Apr

International Day of Multilateralism and Diplomacy for Peace (A/RES/73/127)

24 Apr

World Malaria Day [WHO]

25 Apr

International Chernobyl Disaster Remembrance Day (A/RES/71/125)

26 Apr

International Girls in ICT Day [ITU]

27 Apr

World Day for Safety and Health at Work

28 Apr

## **May**

World Press Freedom Day (UNESCO 26 C/Resolution 4.3)

03 May

Time of Remembrance and Reconciliation for Those Who Lost Their Lives During the Second World War (A/RES/59/26)

08 May

International Day of Argania (A/RES/75/262)

10 May

International Day of Plant Health [FAO] (A/RES/76/256)

12 May

World Migratory Bird Day [UNEP]

13 May

International Day of Families (A/RES/47/237)

15 May

International Day of Living Together in Peace (A/RES/72/130)

16 May

World Bee Day (A/RES/72/211)

20 May

International Tea Day (A/RES/74/241)

21 May

World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development (A/RES/57/249)

21 May

International Day for Biological Diversity (A/RES/55/201)

22 May

International Day to End Obstetric Fistula (A/RES/67/147)

23 May

Week of Solidarity with the Peoples of Non-Self-Governing Territories, 25-31

May (A/RES/54/91)

25 May  
International Day of UN Peacekeepers (A/RES/57/129)  
29 May  
World No-Tobacco Day [WHO] (Resolution 42.19)  
31 May

## **June**

International Day of Innocent Children Victims of Aggression (A/RES/ES-7/8)  
04 Jun  
World Environment Day (A/RES/2994 (XXVII))  
05 Jun  
World Oceans Day (A/RES/63/111)  
08 Jun  
World Day Against Child Labour  
12 Jun  
International Albinism Awareness Day (A/RES/69/170)  
13 Jun  
World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (A/RES/66/127)  
15 Jun  
International Day of Family Remittances (A/RES/72/281)  
16 Jun  
World Day to Combat Desertification and Drought (A/RES/49/115)  
17 Jun  
International Day for Countering Hate Speech (A/RES/75/309)  
18 Jun  
International Day for the Elimination of Sexual Violence in Conflict (A/RES/69/293)  
19 Jun  
World Refugee Day (A/RES/55/76)  
20 Jun  
International Widows' Day (A/RES/65/189)  
23 Jun  
International Day of Women in Diplomacy (A/RES/76/269)  
24 Jun  
International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking (A/RES/42/112)  
26 Jun  
United Nations International Day in Support of Victims of Torture (A/RES/52/149)  
26 Jun  
International Day of the Tropics (A/RES/71/279)  
29 Jun

## **July**

International Day of Cooperatives (A/RES/47/90)  
03 Jul  
World Population Day (A/RES/45/216)  
11 Jul  
International Day of Combating Sand and Dust Storms (A/RES/77/294)

12 Jul  
World Youth Skills Day (A/RES/69/145)  
15 Jul  
Nelson Mandela International Day (A/RES/64/13)  
18 Jul  
World Hepatitis Day [WHO]  
28 Jul  
International Day of Friendship (A/RES/65/275)  
30 Jul  
World Day against Trafficking in Persons (A/RES/68/192)  
30 Jul

## **August**

World Breastfeeding Week, 1-7 August [WHO]  
01 Aug  
International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples (A/RES/49/214)  
09 Aug  
International Youth Day (A/RES/54/120)  
12 Aug  
World Humanitarian Day (A/RES/63/139)  
19 Aug  
International Day of Remembrance and Tribute to the Victims of Terrorism (A/RES/72/165)  
21 Aug  
International Day Commemorating the Victims of Acts of Violence Based on Religion or Belief (A/RES/73/296)  
22 Aug  
International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade and Its Abolition [UNESCO] (29 C/Resolution 40)  
23 Aug  
International Day against Nuclear Tests (A/RES/64/35)  
29 Aug  
International Day of the Victims of Enforced Disappearances (A/RES/65/209)  
30 Aug  
International Day for People of African Descent (A/RES/75/170)  
31 Aug

## **September**

International Day of Clean Air for Blue Skies (A/RES/74/212)  
07 Sep  
International Literacy Day [UNESCO] (UNESCO 14 C/Resolution 1.441)  
08 Sep  
International Day of Democracy (A/RES/62/7)  
15 Sep  
International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer (A/RES/49/114)  
16 Sep  
International Equal Pay Day (A/RES/74/142)

18 Sep

International Day of Peace (A/RES/36/67)

21 Sep

International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons (A/RES/68/32)

26 Sep

International Day for Universal Access to Information (A/RES/74/5)

28 Sep

International Day of Awareness of Food Loss and Waste (A/RES/74/209)

29 Sep

## **October**

International Day of Older Persons (A/RES/45/106)

01 Oct

World Habitat Day (A/RES/40/202 A)

02 Oct

International Day of Non-Violence (A/RES/61/271)

02 Oct

World Space Week, 4-10 October (A/RES/54/68)

04 Oct

World Cotton Day (A/RES/75/318)

07 Oct

World Mental Health Day [WHO]

10 Oct

International Day of the Girl Child (A/RES/66/170)

11 Oct

International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction (A/RES/64/200)

13 Oct

World Migratory Bird Day [UNEP]

14 Oct

International Day of Rural Women (A/RES/62/136)

15 Oct

World Food Day [FAO] (A/RES/35/70)

16 Oct

International Day for the Eradication of Poverty (A/RES/47/196)

17 Oct

Global Media and Information Literacy Week, 24-31 October (A/RES/75/267)

24 Oct

United Nations Day (A/RES/168 (II))

24 Oct

Disarmament Week, 24-30 October (A/RES/S-10/2 (p. 102))

24 Oct

World Development Information Day (A/RES/3038 (XXVII))

24 Oct

## **November**

International Day to End Impunity for Crimes against Journalists (A/RES/68/163)

02 Nov

World Tsunami Awareness Day (A/RES/70/203)

05 Nov

International Day for Preventing the Exploitation of the Environment in War and Armed Conflict (A/RES/56/4)

06 Nov

International Week of Science and Peace, 9-15 November (A/RES/43/61)

09 Nov

World Science Day for Peace and Development (UNESCO 31 C/Resolution 20)

10 Nov

International Day for Tolerance [UNESCO] (28 C/Resolution 5.61)

16 Nov

World Day for the Prevention of and Healing from Child Sexual Exploitation, Abuse and Violence (A/RES/77/8)

18 Nov

World Toilet Day (A/RES/67/291)

19 Nov

Africa Industrialization Day (A/RES/44/237)

20 Nov

World Children's Day (A/RES/836(IX))

20 Nov

International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women (A/RES/54/134)

25 Nov

International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People (A/RES/32/40B)

29 Nov

Day of Remembrance for all Victims of Chemical Warfare (OPCW C-20/DEC.10)

30 Nov

## **December**

World AIDS Day

01 Dec

International Day for the Abolition of Slavery (A/RES/317(IV))

02 Dec

International Day of Persons with Disabilities (A/RES/47/3)

03 Dec

International Day of Banks (A/RES/74/245)

04 Dec

International Volunteer Day for Economic and Social Development (A/RES/40/212)

05 Dec

International Day of Commemoration and Dignity of the Victims of the Crime of Genocide and of the Prevention of this Crime (A/RES/69/323)

09 Dec

International Anti-Corruption Day (A/RES/58/4)

09 Dec

Human Rights Day (A/RES/423 (V))

10 Dec

International Day of Neutrality (A/RES/71/275)

12 Dec

International Universal Health Coverage Day (A/RES/72/138)

12 Dec

International Migrants Day (A/RES/55/93)

18 Dec

International Human Solidarity Day (A/RES/60/209)

20 Dec