

EQUALITY CALENDAR 2021

January - June

Calendar including events run and supported by equality organisations in the UK

	January	February	March	April	May	June
Religion & Belief	6: Epiphany (Ch) 7: Orthodox Christmas Day (Ch) 14: Orthodox New Year (Ch) 17: World Religion Day 20: Birthday of Guru Gobind Singh (Si) 27: Tu B'Shevat (Arbor Day) (Ju)	15: Parinirvana Day (Bu) 25: Purim (Ju)	10: Isra and Mi'raj (Is) 11: Maha Shivaratri (Hi) 16: Shrove Tuesday (Ch) 17: Ash Wednesday (First Day of Lent) (Ch) 21: Feast of Naw-Ruz (New Year) (Ba) 27: First Day of Passover (Ju) 28: Palm Sunday (Ch) 29: Holi (Hi)	1: Maundy Thursday (Ch) 2: Good Friday (Ch) 4: Easter Sunday (Ch) 4: Last day of Passover (Ju) 5: Easter Monday (Ch) 8: Yom HaShoah (Ju) 12: First day of Ramadan (Is) 14: Baisakhi (Si) 15: Yom HaAtzmaut (Ju) 20: First day of Ridvan (Ba) 30: Orthodox Good Friday (Ch)	1: Orthodox Holy Saturday (Ch) 1: Last day of Ridvan (Ba) 2: Orthodox Easter (Ch) 3: Orthodox Easter Monday (Ch) 8: Laylatul Qadr (Night of Power) (Is) 13: Ascension Day (Ch) 13: Eid ul Fitr (Is) 16: Shavuot (Ju) 22: Declaration of the Bab (Ba) 23: Pentecost (Ch) 26: Wesak (Buddha Day) (Bu) 29: Ascension of Baha'u'llah 29: Lag B'Omer (Ju)	3: Corpus Christi (Ch) 16: Martyrdom of Guru Arjan Dev (Si) 24: Whit Monday (Ch) 30: Trinity Sunday (Ch)
Disability	4: World Braille Day	4: World Cancer Day 4: Time to Talk Day	1: Self Injury Awareness Day 3: World Hearing Day 5: University Mental Health Day 29-4 Apr: World Autism Awareness Week	Bowel Cancer Awareness Month 2: World Autism Day 19-25: MS Awareness Week	3-9: Deaf Awareness Week 16-22: Mental Health Awareness Week 17-23: Dementia Action Week 17-23: Epilepsy Awareness Week 20: Global Accessibility Awareness Day	21-27: Learning Disability Week 24-30: Deafblind Awareness Week
Age			16: Young Carers Awareness Day 18: Stop Child Sexual Exploitation National Awareness Day		16: National Children's Day	15: World Elder Abuse Awareness Day
Race & Ethnicity	27: Holocaust Memorial Day	12: Chinese New Year	1: Zero Discrimination Day 21: International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination		21: World Day for Cultural Diversity	
Sex		6: International Day for Zero Tolerance for FGM	8: International Women's Day 14: Mothering Sunday			20: Father's Day
Sexual Orientation		LGBT History Month			17: International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia and Biphobia	21-25: School Diversity Week
Gender Reassignment		LGBT History Month				21-25: School Diversity Week
Pregnancy & Maternity						1: Global Day of Parents
Marriage & Civil Partnership						
Other	Dry January 1: New Year's Day (bank holiday) 4: Bank holiday (Scotland) 25: Burns Night (Scotland)	National Heart Month 14: Valentine's Day 20: World Day of Social Justice	1: St David's Day (Wales) 6: Employee Appreciation Day 8: Commonwealth Day 11: National No Smoking Day 17: St Patrick's Day (RoI / NI) 19: Red Nose Day	5: Easter Monday bank holiday (not Scotland) 6: International Day of Sport for Development and Peace 7: World Health Day 23: St George's Day (England)	3: May Day bank holiday (UK) 9: Liberation Day (Jersey/Guernsey) 15: International Day of Families 31: Spring bank holiday (UK)	7-13: Carers' Week

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July - December

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	July	August	September	October	November	December
Religion & Belief	9: Martyrdom of the Bab (Ba) 17: Tisha B'Av (Ju) 19: First day of Eid Al-Adha (Is) 23: Last day of Eid al-Adha (Is) 24: Dharma Day (Bu)	10: Al-Hijra (New Year) (Is) 15: Assumption of Mary (Ch) 18: Ashura (Is) 22: Raksha Bandhan (Hi) 30: Janmashtami (Hi)	6: Rosh Hashana (Ju) 10: Ju Ganesh Chaturthi (Hi) 15: Yom Kippur (Ju) 20: First Day of Sukkot (Ju) 26: Hoshana Rabbah (Ju) 27: Last Day of Sukkot (Ju) 27: Shemini Atzeret (Ju) 28: Simchat Torah (Ju)	4: Feast of St Francis of Assisi (Ch) 7: First Day of Navaratri (Hi) 14: Last Day of Navaratri (Hi) 14: Dussehra (Hi) 18: Milad al-Nabi (Mawlid) (Is)	1: All Saint's Day (Ch) 2: All Soul's Day (Ch) 4: Diwali (Hi) 6: Birth of the Bab (Ba) 7: Birth of Baha'u'llah (Ba) 19: Birthday of Guru Nanak (Si) 24: Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahadur (Si) 28: First Sunday of Advent (Ch) 28: First Day of Hanukkah (Ju)	6: Last Day of Hanukkah (Ju) 8: Feast of the Immaculate Conception (Ch) 24: Christmas Eve (Ch) 25: Christmas Day (Ch) 26: St Stephen's Day (Ch)
Disability	18: Disability Awareness Day		20: Jeans for Genes Day	4-10: Dyslexia Awareness Week 10: World Mental Health Day 22: International Stuttering Awareness Day		3: International Day of Persons with Disabilities
Age	15: World Youth Skills Day	12: International Youth Day		1: International Day of Older Persons	12: BBC Children In Need Day (tbc) 20: Children's Day	
Race & Ethnicity				Black History Month		10: Human Rights Day
Sex					November (Men's Awareness month) 25: Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women	
Sexual Orientation						
Gender Reassignment					20: Transgender Day of Remembrance	
Pregnancy & Maternity						
Marriage & Civil Partnership						
Other	12: Battle of the Boyne (Holiday NI)	2: Bank holiday (Scotland) 30: Late summer bank holiday (not Scotland)	21: International Day of Peace 22: National Fitness Day 24: McMillan World's Biggest Coffee Morning 27: National Inclusion Week (to 3 October)	12-15: National Work Life Week 17: International Day for the Eradication of Poverty	3: National Stress Awareness Day 11: Armistice Day 14: Remembrance Sunday 15-19: Anti-bullying Week (tbc) 30: St Andrew's Day (holiday Scotland)	26: Boxing Day (holiday UK) 27: Christmas bank holiday (UK) 28: Boxing Day bank holiday (UK) 31: Hogmanay (Scotland) 31: New Year's Eve

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