



2024

The following dates can be used by Equality Officers to launch a recruitment campaign, or can simply be used as a focus for a one-off organising event that raises the profile of the chosen issue, as well as the Union.

JANUARY

27 Holocaust Memorial Day

FEBRUARY - LGBT HISTORY MONTH

1-7 World Interfaith Harmony Week
6 International Day of Zero Tolerance for Female Genital Mutilation
6 Safer Internet Day
10 [NASUWT Disabled Teachers' Consultation Conference](#)
11 International Day of Women and Girls in Science
12 Red Hand Day (against child soldiers)
20 World Day of Social Justice

MARCH - INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S MONTH

1 Zero Discrimination Day
8 International Women's Day
16 Anniversary of the Halabja Genocide in Kurdistan
20 UN Anti-Racism Day of Action – National Day of Action
21 International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination
29 [Start of NASUWT Annual Conference](#)
31 International Trans Day of Visibility

APRIL - NATIONAL STRESS AWARENESS MONTH

4 Mine Awareness Day
7 World Health Day
12 International Day for Street Children
22 Stephen Lawrence Day
28 Workers' Memorial Day

MAY

1 International Workers' Day (May Day)
13-19 Learning at Work Week
17 International Day Against Homophobia, Biphobia, Interphobia and Transphobia (IDAHOBIT)
21 World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development
25 Africa Day

JUNE - GYPSY, ROMA AND TRAVELLER HISTORY MONTH

5 World Environment Day
12 World Day Against Child Labour
20 World Refugee Day
22 Windrush Day
23 World Public Service Day
26 International Day in Support of Victims of Torture
29-30 [NASUWT Equalities weekend](#)

JULY

11 World Population Day
12 Malala Day
14 Emmeline Pankhurst Day
18 Nelson Mandela Day
30 World Day Against Trafficking in Persons

AUGUST

9 International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples
12 International Youth Day
19 World Humanitarian Day
22 International Day Commemorating the Victims of Acts of Violence Based on Religion or Belief
23 International Slavery Remembrance Day

SEPTEMBER

8 International Literacy Day
15 International Day of Democracy
21 International Day of Peace
28 International Safe Abortion Day

OCTOBER - BLACK HISTORY MONTH

1 International Day of Older Persons
2 International Day of Non-Violence
5 World Teachers' Day
10 World Mental Health Day
11 International Day of the Girl Child
17 International Day for the Eradication of Poverty
18 World Menopause Day
26 Intersex Awareness Day

NOVEMBER

8 Intersex Day of Solidarity (IDS)
9 International Day Against Fascism and Antisemitism
16 International Day for Tolerance
START OF DISABILITY HISTORY MONTH
17 International Students' Day
20 Trans Day of Remembrance
25 International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women
30 Day of Remembrance for All Victims of Chemical Warfare
30 [NASUWT Equalities weekend](#)

DECEMBER

1 World AIDS Day
2 International Day for the Abolition of Slavery
3 International Day of Persons with Disabilities
10 International Human Rights Day
18 International Migrants Day
20 International Human Solidarity Day