2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR

Start planning now! The school year is full of opportunities to participate in GLSEN events. address LGBTQ+ and social justice issues, learn about diverse communities, and take action to create safe and inclusive schools for ALL! Use this calendar to schedule your GSA meetings, lesson plans, student events, and staff development workshops as part of your ongoing multicultural and LGBTQ+-inclusion efforts.

September

September 6-12

National Suicide Prevention Week

September 15 – October 15

Latinx Heritage Month

All Month!

LGBTQ+ History Month Islamic Heritage Month

National Bullying Prevention Month

October 5-9 Solidarity Week

October 11

October 12

Indigenous People's Day

National Coming Out Day

October 21

International Pronouns Day

September 23

Bisexuality Day

Celebrate

October 25-31

Asexual Awareness Week

October 17-25

National Week Against School Pushout

October 26

Intersex Awareness Day

All Month!

National Homeless Youth Awareness Month

Native American Heritage Month

November 13-19

Transgender Awareness Week

November 20

Transgender Day of Remembrance

December 1

World AIDS Day

December 3

International Day of Persons with Disabilities

January 18

Martin Luther

King Jr. Day

All Month!

Black History Month

February 1-5

National School Counseling Week

January 18-22

GLSEN No Name-Calling Week

February 3

National Girls & Women in Sports Day

February 16-22

Aromantic Awareness Week

All Month!

Women's History Month

National Read Across America Day

March 8

International Women's Day

March 23-29

LGBT Health Awareness Week

March 31

Transgender Day of Visibility

All Month!

Arab Heritage Month

April 2

World Autism Awareness Day

April 7-13

ALA's National Library Week

April 10

National Youth HIV & AIDS Awareness Day

April 22

Earth Day

April 23

Day of Silence

May

All Month!

Asian Pacific Islander Heritage Month

Mental Health Awareness Month

Foster Youth Awareness Month

May 1-7

National Physical Education & Sports Week/Trans Athlete Awareness Week

May 4-8

National Teacher Appreciation Week

May 17

International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia & Biphobia

May 20

GLSEN Respect Awards

May 22

Harvey Milk Day

LGBTQ+ PRIDE Month

First Week

QTBIPoC Pride Week

June 12

Pulse Remembrance Day

June 19

Juneteenth

June 28

Anniversary of the Stonewall Riot













SEPTEMBER 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
• National Suicide Prevention Week Begins	7	8	9	10	11	• National Suicide Prevention Week Ends
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	• Celebrate Bisexuality Day	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	All Month! • Latinx Heritage Month (9/15–10/15)		

OCTOBER 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
All Month! • Latinx Heritage Mo • LGBTQ+ History M		Islamic Heritage Mo National Bullying Pr	1	2	3	
4	• Solidarity Week Begins	6	7	8	• Solidarity Week Ends	10
• National Coming Out Day	• Indigenous People's Day	13	14	15	16	17 • National Week Against School Pushout Begins
18	19	20	• International Pronouns Day	22	23	• National Week Against School Pushout Ends
• Asexual Awareness Week Begins	• Intersex Awareness Day	27	28	29	30	31Asexual Awareness Week Ends

NOVEMBER 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
8	9	10	11	12	• Transgender Awareness Week Begins	14	
15	16	17	18	• Transgender Awareness Week Ends	Transgender Day of Remembrance	21	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
29	30	All Month! • National Homeless Youth Awareness Month • Native American Heritage Month					

DECEMBER 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY			
		1 • World AIDS Day	2	• International Day of Persons with Disabilities	4	5			
6	7	8	9	10	11	12			
13	14	15	16	17	18	19			
20	21	22	23	24	25	26			
27	28	29	30	31					

JANUARY 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2			
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18 • Martin Luther King, Jr. Day • GLSEN No Name-Calling Week Begins	19	20	21	• GLSEN No Name-Calling Week Ends	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

FEBRUARY 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	National School Counseling Week Begins	2	• National Girls & Women in Sports Day	4	• National School Counseling Week Ends	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16 • Aromantic Awareness Week Begins	17	18	19	20
21	• Aromantic Awareness Week Ends	23	24	25	26	27
28	All Month! • Black History Month					

MARCH 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	• National Read Across America Day	3	4	5	6
7	International Women's Day	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	• LGBT Health Awareness Week Begins	24	25	26	27
28	• LGBT Health Awareness Week Ends	30	31 • Transgender Day of Visibility	All Month! • Women's History Month		

APRIL 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
All Month! • Arab Heritage Month	1	• World Autism Awareness Day	3	1	2	3
4	5	6	7 • ALA's National Library Week Begins	8	9	• National Youth HIV & AIDS Awareness Day
11	12	• ALA's National Library Week Ends	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22 • Earth Day	• Day of Silence	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

MAY 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
All Month! • Asian Pacific Islan	nder Heritage Month	• Foster Youth Aware	ness Month •	• Mental Health Awarene	ss Month	National Physical Education & Sports Week/Trans Athlete Awareness Week Begins
2	3	National Teacher Appreciation Week Begins	5	6	7 • National Physical Education & Sports Week/Trans Athlete Awareness Week Ends	National Teacher Appreciation Week Ends
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 • International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia & Biphobia	18	19	• GLSEN Respect Awards	21	22 • Harvey Milk Day
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

JUNE 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 • QTBIPoC Pride Week Begins	2	3	4	5
6	7 • QTBIPoC Pride Week Ends	8	9	10	11	• Pulse Remembrance Day
13	14	15	16	17	18	19 • Juneteenth
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	• Anniversary of the Stonewall Riot	29	30	All Month! • LGBTQ+ Pride Month		