January

1 New Year’s Day

4 World Braille Day

7 Orthodox Christmas Day

13 Lori-Maghi (Sikh)

14 Orthodox New Year

15 Makar Sankranti (Hindu)

17 Guru Gobind Singh Ji’s birthday (Sikh)

21 World Religion Day

21 LGBTIQ+ Midsumma commences

24 International Day of Education

26 Survival Day/Australia Day

27 International Holocaust Remembrance Day

February

Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month

4 World Cancer Day

4 Midsumma Pride March (LGBTIQ+)

6 - 7 Isra and Mi'raj (Muslim)

10 - 12 Losar (Buddhist New Year)

10 Lunar New Year - Year of the Dragon

11 LGBTIQ+ Midsumma Ends

11 International Day of Women and Girls in Science

18 International Asperger's Day

20 World Day of Social Justice

24 Lantern Festival (China)

24 - 25 Lailat al Bara’a (Muslim)

March

National Epilepsy Awareness Month

1 Zero AIDS Discrimination Day

1 International Wheelchair Day

3 World Hearing Day

8 International Women's Day

8 Maha Shivratri (Hindu)

9 Ramadan Starts (Islam)

11 Labour Day Public Holiday (VIC)

17 World Haemophilia Day

21 Harmony Day

21 World Down Syndrome Day

21 National close the Gap Day

21 Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination

22 World Water Day

23 Athiest Day

18 - 24 Cultural Diversity Week, Victoria

25 International Day of Remembrance of Victims of Slavery

25 Holi (Hindu and Sikh)

25 - 27 Hola Mohalla (Sikh)

26 Purple Day, Epilepsy Australia

29 Good Friday (Christian)

30 World Bipolar Day

31 Easter Sunday (Christian)

31 Transgender day of Visibility

April

2 Autism Awareness Day

7 World Health Day

8 Ramadan Ends (Islam)

9 Eid Al Fitr (Muslim)

12 LGBTQ Day of Silence

14 Ram Navami (Hindu)

18 Laylat al-Qadr (Muslim)

21 Mahavir Jayanti (Jainism)

22 Hindu New Year

22 - 30 Passover (Jewish)

24 Theravada New Year (Buddhists)

24 International Guide Dogs Day

25 ANZAC Day

28 Day for Safety & Health at Work

May

3 World Press Freedom Day

2 Day of Reason

5 Cinco de Mayo (Mexican)

5 Orthodox Easter

16 Global Accessibility Awareness Day

17 IDAHOBIT Day

23 Vesak (Buddhist)

24 World Schizophrenia Awareness Day

26 National Sorry Day

27 1967 Referendum Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islanders recognised

27 - 3 National Reconciliation Week

30 World MS Day

June

3 Mabo Day

10 Kings Birthday Holiday

10 - 16 Men’s Health Week

14 - 19 The Hajj (Muslim)

16 - 20 Eid al-Adha start (Muslim)

20-26 World Refugee Day, Refugee Week starts

12 World Day Against Child Labour

15 World Elder Abuse Awareness Day

26 Victims of Torture Day

27 PTSD Awareness Day

July

4 - 11 NAIDOC Week

14 Non-binary people day

17 Muharram/New Year (Muslim)

21 Dharma Day (Budhist)

August

1 - 7 World Breastfeeding Week

4 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children’s Day

9 International day of the World’s Indigenous Peoples

12 International Youth Day

22 International Day for Victims of Violence from Religion or Belief

30 Wear It Purple Day support LGBTIQ+ Youth

31 Daffodil Day (Cancer Awareness)

September

5 - 9 National Child Protection Week

6 Ganesh Chaturthi (Hindu)

7 Indigenous Literacy Day

8 International Literacy Day

10 World Suicide Prevention Day

12 R U OK? Day

13 UN declaration on the Rights of Indigenous People

15 - 16 Eid Milad un-Nabi (Muslim)

18 International Equal Pay Day

21 International Day of Peace

23 International Day of Sign Languages

23 Bisexuality Visibility Day

18…24 National Week of Deaf People

October

Mental Health Month

1 International day of Older Persons

2 - 4 Rosh Hashanah/New Year (Jewish)

1 - 7 BPD Awareness Week

15 - 21 Mental Health Awareness Week

10 World Mental Health Day

10 World Homeless Day

10 Ada Lovelace Day

11 - 12 Yom Kippur (Jewish)

13 - 19 National Carers Week

15 International Day of Rural Women

17 International Day for the Eradication of Poverty

16 International Pronouns Day

26 Intersex Awareness Day

November

1 Diwali (Hindu)

10 World Science Day for Peace and Development

11 Remembrance Day

14 World Diabetes Day

15 Guru Nanak Jayanti (Sikh)

19 International Men’s Day

20 Transgender Day of Remembrance

20 World Children's Day

25 International Day for Elimination of Violence Against Women

December

1 World AIDS Day

3 International Day of People with A Disability

5 International Volunteer Day

10 International Human Rights Day

25 - 2 Hanukkah (Jewish)

18 International Migrants Day

25 Christmas (Christian)