Awareness Dates July 2023 – June 2024

JULY23

Disability Pride Month Juvenile Arthritis Awareness Month National Cleft and Craniofacial Awareness and Prevention Month National Make A Difference to Children Month South Asian Heritage Month (18 July-17 Aug)

2	Special Recreation for the Disabled Day
4	U.S. Independence Day
10	National Chronic Disease Day
14	International Nonbinary Peoples Day
16-22	National Parenting Gifted Children Week
23	National Parents' Day
24	International Self-Care Day
25	National Drowning Prevention Day
26	National Disability Independence Day
30	National Support Public Education Day

AUG.23

National Immunization Awareness Month

6	Friendship Day
8	Happiness Happens Day
13	Left-Handers Day
26	Women's Equality Day

SEPT.23

Childhood Cancer Awareness Month Children's Good Manners Month Deaf Awareness Month Hispanic Heritage Month (Sept. 15–Oct. 15) Library Card Sign-up Month National Childhood Obesity Awareness Month National Preparedness Month National Recovery Month Self-Improvement Month Sexual Health Awareness Month Suicide Prevention Awareness Month

8	International Literacy Day
10	World Suicide Prevention Day
10-16	National Suicide Prevention Week
10-16	National Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week
11	Grandparents Day
16	World Clean-Up Day
17	Constitution Day/Citizenship Day
17-23	Child Passenger Safety Week
17-23	Student Sleep Health Week
20	National School Backpack Awareness Day
21	International Day of Peace
23	International Day of Sign Languages
27	National Women's Health & Fitness Day

OCT.23

ADHD Awareness Month Bullying Prevention Month Communicate with Your Kids Month Computer Learning Month Crime Prevention Month Domestic Violence Awareness Month Down Syndrome Awareness Month Dyslexia Awareness Month Health Literacy Month LGBTQ+ History Month **Meet the Blind Month National Book Month National Bullying Prevention Awareness Month National Depression and Mental Health Screening** Month **Positive Attitude Month**

1-7 Mental Illness Awareness Week 2 World Day of Bullying Prevention 2 Child Health Day Walk to School Day 4 5 World Teacher's Day National Depression Screening Day 5 9 Indigenous Peoples' Day 10 World Mental Health Day 11 National Coming Out Day 16 World Food Day 15-21 America's Safe Schools Week National Health Education Week 16-20 16-20 National School Bus Safety Week 18 Unity Day - Kindness, Acceptance, Inclusion 22 International Stuttering Awareness Day 23-31 Red Ribbon Week (Drug-Free America)

NOV.23

Adoption Awareness Month College Application Month Military Family Appreciation Month National Career Development Month National Family Caregivers Month National Homeless Youth Awareness Month National Runaway Prevention Month National Scholarship Month Native American Heritage Month Picture Book Month

7-11	Solidarity Week
11	Veterans Day
13-21	National Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week
13	World Kindness Day
13-19	Transgender Awareness Week
13-17	American Education Week
13-19	National Apprenticeship Week
16	International Day for Tolerance
16	Children's Grief Awareness Day
16	National Parental Involvement Day
18	Family Volunteer Day
18	International Survivors of Suicide Loss Day
19	National Adoption Day
20	Transgender Day of Remembrance
24	Native American Heritage Day
24	Random Acts of Kindness Friday

DEC.23

1	World AIDS Day
2	Special Education Day
3	International Day of Persons with Disabilities
5	International Volunteer Day
5-11	National Handwashing Awareness Week
10	Human Rights Day

JAN.24

National Mentoring Month

National Thank You Month

1Emancipation Proclamation Anniversary1Global Family Day4World Braille Day15Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service21World Religion Day27International Holocaust Remembrance Day

FEB.24

African American History Month Career and Technical Education Month Gap Year Awareness Month International Boost Self-Esteem Month

5-9	National School Counseling Week
5-9	Black Lives Matter at School Week of Action
14-20	Random Acts of Kindness Week
15	International Childhood Cancer Day
17	Random Acts of Kindness Day
26-March 2	National Fating Disorders Awareness Week

26-March 2 National Eating Disorders Awareness Week

MARCH24

Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month Self-Injury Awareness Month Gender Equality Month Middle-Level Education Month Music in Our Schools Month Women's History Month

1	Self-Injury Awareness Day
2	Read Across America Day
4-8	National School Breakfast Week
4-8	Say Something Week
8	International Women's Day
8	SEL Day
10-16	National Sleep Awareness Week
21	International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination
21	World Down Syndrome Day
31	Transgender Day of Visibility

APRIL24

Alcohol Awareness Month Arab American Heritage Month Autism Acceptance Month Child Abuse Prevention Month Community Service Month Counseling Awareness Month Deaf History Month Month of the Military Child National STD Awareness Month National Youth Sports Safety Month School Library Month Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month

2	World Autism Awareness Day
2	Sexual Assault Awareness Day of Action
4	National Alcohol Screening Day
7	World Health Day
7-13	National Library Week
10	National Youth HIV/AIDS Awareness Day
22	Earth Day
22-26	National Specialized Instructional Support Personnel Appreciation Week
30	International Children's Book Day

MAY24

Asian-Pacific American Heritage Month Jewish American History Month Mental Health Month Military Appreciation Month National Foster Care Month National Physical Fitness and Sports Month Teen Pregnancy Prevention Month

6-10	National PTA Teacher Appreciation Week
9	National Children's Mental Health Awareness Day
17	International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia and Biphobia
16	Global Accessibility Awareness Day
18	Armed Forces Day
25	National Missing Children's Day
31	World No Tobacco Day

JUNE24

LGBTQ+ Pride Month National Hunger Awareness Month National Safety Month

5	World Environment Day
8	Family Health & Fitness Day
9	Children's Day
14	Flag Day
18	Autistic Pride Day
19	Juneteenth