

Peace Calendar

Throughout the school year there are many days, secular and religious, local, national and international, where peace and peacemakers can be celebrated. These dates, beginning with UN International Day of Peace in September, provide opportunities to use the materials in this pack.

21 Sept

UN International Day of Peace
www.un.org/en/events/peaceday

2 Oct

International Day of Non-Violence
<https://globaldimension.org.uk>

12–18 Oct

Week of Prayer for World Peace
www.worlddayofprayer.net/

24 Oct

One World Week
(week of 24 October)
www.oneworldweek.org

11 Nov

Remembrance Day
www.ppu.org.uk

19 Nov

World Toilet Day
www.unwater.org/worldtoiletday

10 Dec

UN Human Rights Day
www.amnesty.org.uk/issues/Education

Jan

Peace Sunday (3rd Sunday of January) www.paxchristi.org.uk

8 March

International Women's Day
www.wilpf.org.uk

21 March

Nao Roz, Persian New Year
www.flykitesnotdrones.org

15 May

International Conscientious Objectors Day
www.wri-irg.org

18 May

The Urdd's Message of Peace and Goodwill
www.urdd.cymru/en/humanitarian/peace-goodwill

21 May

Blessed Franz Jägerstätter
www.paxchristi.org.uk

4 June

International Day for Children as Victims of War
www.warchild.org.uk
and www.childvictimsofwar.org.uk

31 July

Anniversary of death of Welsh poet Hedd Wyn at Paschendale
www.wcia.org.uk/walesforpeace.html

6 & 9 Aug

Anniversaries of the bombing of Hiroshima and Nagasaki
www.cnduk.org/education