

October Dates



Canadian Islamic Heritage Month
Canadian Women's History Month
Canadian LGBTQ+ History Month
Latin American Heritage Month
German Heritage Month

Oct 1st - Oct 2nd - Yom Kippur

Oct 2nd - Dussehra

Oct 4th - Sisters in Spirit - National Day of Action for Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls (MMIWG)

Oct 5th - World Teacher's Day

Oct 6th - Mid-Autumn Festival/Moon Festival; Sharad Purnima

Oct 6th - 13th - Sukkot

Oct 7th - Pavarana

Oct 8th-9th - Chuseok

Oct 8th - International Lesbian Day

Oct 9th - Karva Chauth

Oct 10th - World Mental Health Day; World Sight Day

Oct 11th - International Day of the Girl Child;

National Coming Out Day

Oct 13th - Thanksgiving Day

Oct 13rd - 15th - Shemini Atzeret

Oct 14th - 15th - Simchat Torah

Oct 16th - International Pronouns Day

Oct 17th - 22nd - Secret Path Week

Oct 17th - International Day for the Eradication of Poverty

Oct 18th - Persons Day

Oct 19th - 25th - Asexual Awareness Week (Ace Week);

Canadian Down Syndrome Awareness Week

Oct 20th - Diwali

Oct 21st - Bandi Chhor Divas

Oct 22nd - Birth of the Báb

Oct 23rd - Birth of Bahá'u'lláh

Oct 25th - International Dwarfism Awareness Day

Oct 26th - Intersex Awareness Day

Oct 31st - Samhain; Halloween

