

Term 'Play Plan' 2021

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September 2021

Key Themes:

Getting to Know You Week!

September 1, 2021 - September 16, 2021

The first week of school is all about settling into the new year and getting to know your new teachers and make new friends.

The Great Fire of London

September 2, 2021 - September 6, 2021

The Great Fire of London was a major disaster in 1666, it started on Sunday 2nd September and finished on Wednesday 6th September. It's estimated that the Great Fire of London destroyed around 13,200 houses, 87 churches and made 70,000 people homeless.

International Day of Charity

September 5, 2021

The aim of the International Day of Charity is to raise awareness and give a platform to charity activities around the world for charitable, individuals and volunteer organisations at local, national and international levels.

National Read A Book Day

September 6, 2021

Celebrated annually on the 6th September, National Read a Book Day is an annual awareness day that encourages all of us to take a break and get reading, either curled up on the sofa or with family and friends.

Rosh Hashanah

September 6, 2021 - September 8, 2021

Rosh Hashanah, also known as the Jewish New Year. It is an autumn or fall holiday, at the beginning of the month of Tishrei, which is actually the seventh month of the Jewish year (counting from Nisan in the spring). This Jewish holiday celebrates the completion of another year, and the beginnings of a new year. It is also the time for rejoicing, and reflecting. Rosh Hashanah usually occurs in September.

International Literacy Day

September 8, 2021

International Literacy Day, designated by UNESCO in 1967, is an annual awareness day which marks the importance of literacy to all countries and cultures. It takes place annually on the 8th September.

World First Aid Day

September 11, 2021

Since 2000, World First Aid Day has been organised by the Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. Together, they raise public awareness of how first aid can save lives, both in everyday and crisis situations.

Disability Awareness Day

September 12, 2021

Disability Awareness Day is a yearly event that aims to spread information and promote services that are available to help disabled people to live more independently.

Roald Dahl Story Day

September 13, 2021

Roald Dahl lived an extraordinary and successful life. He wrote twenty children's books and published forty-eight books in total over the course of his lifetime. But he was also a chocolate historian and medical inventor. And, during the Second World War he served in the Royal Air Force as a fighter pilot and a spy. Whilst working for MI6 Roald Dahl worked alongside Ian Fleming, the author of James Bond!

Jeans for Genes Day!

September 13, 2021 - September 19, 2021

Jeans for Genes Day is a chance to raise money for children affected by a genetic disorder. From Monday 16th to Friday 20th September, get your nursery, school or workplace to wear their jeans and raise funds to support children with genetic disorders.

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National Coding Week

September 14, 2021 - September 20, 2021

National Coding Week is an annual event that aims to help adults and children with learning digital skills. In 2021 National Coding Week will be happening from the 14th-20th of September. This week is run by volunteers in a variety of settings such as schools, libraries, hubs and businesses. Various organisations and individuals will be running taster sessions for adults so that they can get an introduction to coding and programming.

International Day of Democracy

September 15, 2021

International Day of Democracy is celebrated annually on the 15th of September. It's a chance to review the state of democracy around the world, encourage democratic movements and promote freedom, peace, and human rights.

Yom Kippur

September 15, 2021 - September 16, 2021

Yom Kippur is a Jewish holy day. In English, 'Yom Kippur' means the Day of Atonement. It is considered to be the time when our souls are closest to God.

Recycle Week

September 20, 2021 - September 26, 2021

In 2021, Recycle Week will run from 20th to 26th September. The theme for this year is 'Step It Up this Recycle Week'. This theme has been chosen to rally a movement in combating the Climate Crisis. During a difficult COVID-19 pandemic where we haven't had much control on day-to-day events, recycling is something we can have control over. The urge is for everybody to step it up this Recycle Week and join the fight against climate change!

International Day of Peace

September 21, 2021

The International Day of Peace began on the 21st September 1981 and was organised by the United Nations General Assembly. Its purpose is to 'provide a globally shared date for all humanity to commit to peace above all differences and to contribute to building a culture of peace'.

National Fitness Day

September 22, 2021

During National Fitness Day, people of all ages, backgrounds and abilities come together for a day full of active challenges that aim to make people feel more positive about exercise and their bodies. Working out how to approach fitness can be intimidating, so this event is a great opportunity to motivate people to get fit and make healthier choices. Our health and wellbeing are incredibly valuable, so it's important to raise awareness and remind people to put their fitness first!

European Day of Languages

September 26, 2021

The European Day of Languages is a celebration of the amazing number and variety of languages spoken across Europe. Schools and organisations mark the event every year with a European languages day to promote language learning and to celebrate the linguistic and cultural diversity of Europe.

World Heart Day

September 29, 2021

World Heart Day is a global event to raise awareness and educate people about cardiovascular disease (CVD) and ways to help keep our hearts healthy. Created by the World Heart Foundation, World Heart Day is designed to help encourage people to take care of their heart health and control risk factors that may contribute to CVD both for themselves, and for others. World Heart Day happens every year on 29th September.

National Sporting Heritage Day

September 30, 2021

National Sporting Heritage Day is an annual event, held on the 30th of September, that aims to raise awareness about sporting heritage in the UK, including the history of certain sports and significant past achievements. Each year the day has a different theme, this year's theme is: 'Inspire, Share and Celebrate'. The focus will be on inter-generational activities and learning and conversations between generations will be encouraged so that children and young people can learn from the sporting pioneers that came before them. The day is designed to be inspirational and aspirational and it aims to inspire and motivate children and adults to learn more about sports and sporting heritage. Try getting involved this year!