

Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Calendar 2020/21

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National Inclusion Week | 28 September – 2 October




SEPTEMBER














2020



Inclusion week (28 Sept – 4 Oct)

This year's theme is Each One, Reach One. The aim is to have individuals and organisations connecting and inspiring each other to make inclusion an everyday reality. Together, we'll build the biggest inclusion chain ever.

 International
 National/UK
 Religious/Cultural

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10 World suicide prevention day 	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18  Rosh Hashannah (Jewish New Year) 	19 
20  	21	22	23 Bi-visibility day 	24	25	26
27  	28  	29 	30 			

 Yom Kippur
 National inclusion week



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Black History Month
1 – 31 October

OCTOBER

2020



Black History Month




Black History Month is a chance to celebrate, explore and learn from Black History. Get involved with the activities, campaigns and events planned throughout October at LSBU Group and beyond.

Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Over 55,500 women and over 350 men are diagnosed with Breast Cancer in the UK each year. Learn and do more throughout the Month, and don't forget to "Wear it Pink" on the 23rd October.

National Domestic Violence Month

Home is not always the safe place it should be, and Covid-19 has seen many spend more time than ever in these unsafe environment. Please reach out for support across the LSBU Group or Nationally.

 International
 National/UK
 Religious/Cultural

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1 National inclusion week	2	3
4 World teacher's day	5 Dyslexic awareness week	6	7	8	9	10 World mental health day
11 National coming out day	12	13	14	15	16 Show racism the red card World food day	17 International day for the eradication of poverty
18 Anti-slavery day World menopause day	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 Intersex awareness day	27	28 Mawlid an-Nabi (Islam)	29	30	31



November | 1 – 30 November




















NOVEMBER




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Movember

Movember is an annual event involving the growing of moustaches during the month of November to raise awareness of men's health issues, such as prostate cancer, testicular cancer, and men's suicide.

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1	2	3	4	5 Guy Fawkes night 	6	7
8 Remembrance Sunday 	9	10	11 Armistice day 	12 Anti-bullying week (11-18) 	13 World kindness day 	14 Diwali (Hindu) 
15 Transgender awareness week (13-20)  	16  	17 Int. students day  	18  	19 International men's day 	20 Transgender day of remembrance (TDoR) Universal children's day 	21
22	23	24	25 International day for the elimination of violence against women 	26	27	28
29	30 Guru Nanak Birthday (Sikh) St Andrew's Day  					

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Hannukah | 10 December

DECEMBER

2020









Hannukah (10 – 18 December)

What happens during Hannukah?

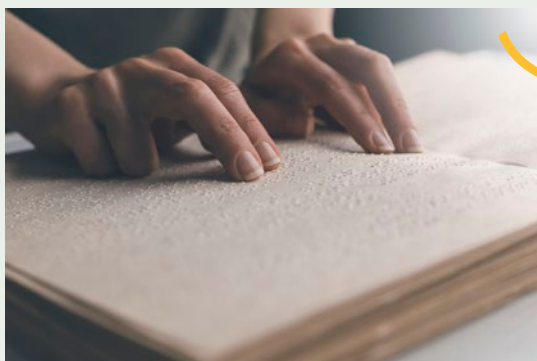
- A candle is lit every evening on a special menorah
- The menorah is placed in a window for people to see
- Presents are exchanged and games played
- Food favourites are: "latkes" potato cakes and "sufganiyot" jam donuts.

- International
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- Religious/Cultural

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1 World AIDS day 	2 International day for the abolition of slavery 	3 International day of persons with disabilities 	4	5
6	7	8	9	10 Human rights day Hanukkah (Jewish)  	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25 Christmas day 	26
27	28	29	30	31		



World braille day | 4 January



JANUARY

2021

World braille day (4 Jan)

5 Things you may not know about Braille:

1. Braille is not a language, it's an alphabet
2. It started out as a way for the French soldiers to communicate at night
3. Braille books are actually larger than regular books
4. A Braillewriter only has 6 keys and a space bar
5. Braille readers can read up to 100 words more a minute than sighted people.

International
National/UK
Religious/Cultural

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1 New year's day International	2
3	4 World braille day International	5	6	7 Orthodox Christmas day Religious/Cultural	8	9
10	11	12	13	14 Orthodox new year's day Religious/Cultural	15	16
17 World religion day International	18 Martin Luther King day International	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 Holocaust memorial day International	28	29	30
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LGBT history month | 1 – 28 February




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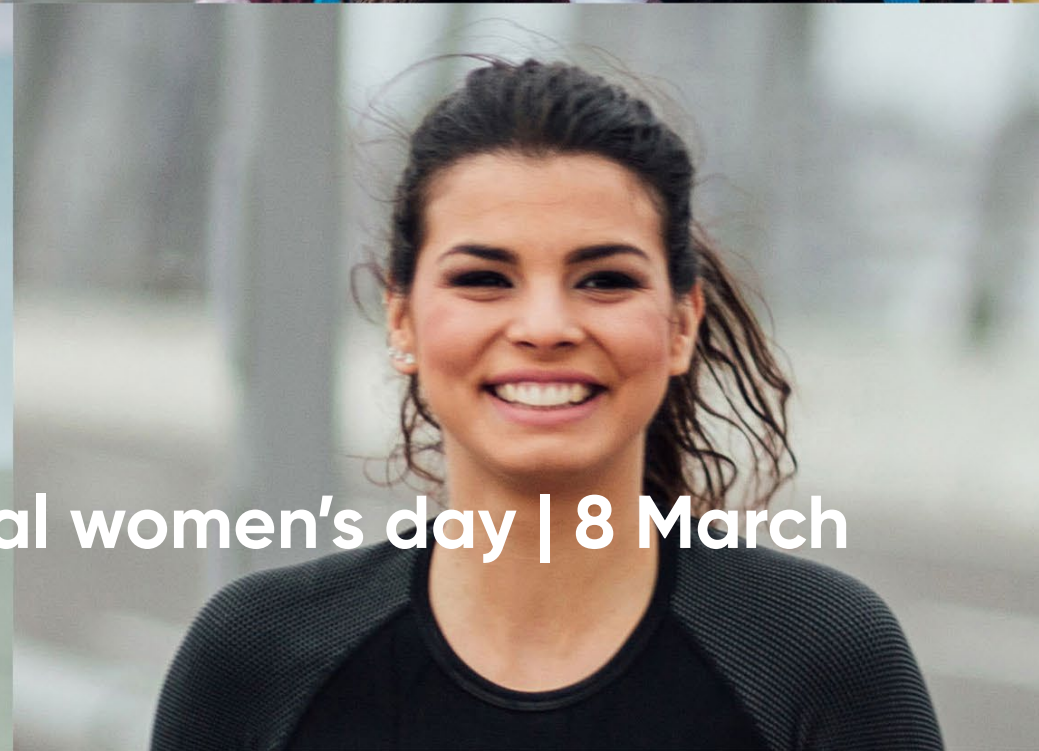
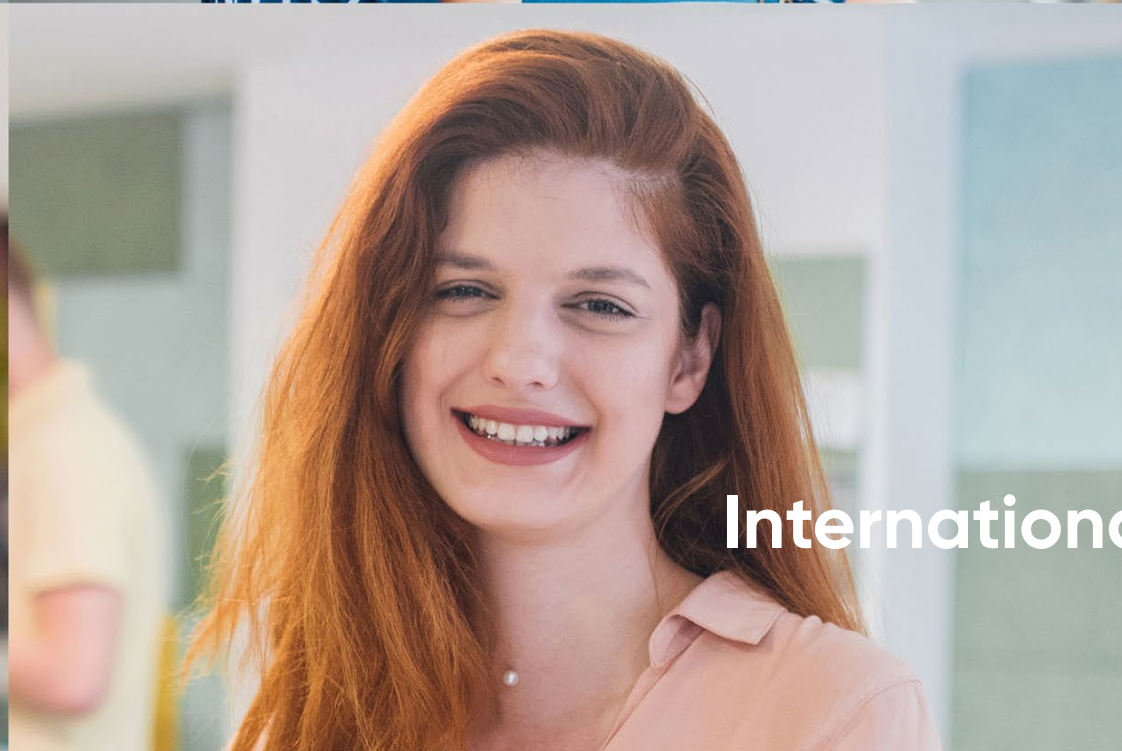


LGBT history month

LGBT history month is a chance to celebrate, explore and learn from queer history. Get involved with the activities, campaigns and events planned throughout February at LSBU Group and beyond.

 International
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S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4 World cancer day 	5	6 International day against FGM 
7	8	9	10	11	12 Chinese new year 	13
14 Valentine's day 	15	16 Shrove Tuesday (Pancake day) 	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 International STAND UP to bullying day 						



International women's day | 8 March

MARCH

2021



Women's history month

Women's history month is a chance to celebrate, explore and learn from female history. Get involved with the activities, campaigns and events planned throughout February at LSBU Group and beyond, particularly on International Women's Day on 8th March.

- International
- National/UK
- Religious/Cultural

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 International women's day ■	9	10	11	12	13
14 Mother's day ■	15	16	17 St Patrick's day ■	18	19	20 International day of happiness ■
21 International day for the elimination of racial discrimination ■	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 Holi (Hindu) ■	29	30	31 International trans day of visibility ■			



Ramadan | 12 April – 11 May

APRIL

2021



Stress awareness month






















Take some time to explore the wealth of resources available to staff and students to help relieve stress from free online resources to in-person guidance.

Ramadan

Words of Ramadan:

- *Iftar* – breaking the fast in the evening
- *Suhoor* – pre-dawn meal
- *Sawm* – means “fast” and is a pillar of Islam
- *Ramadam Kareem/Mubarak* – Happy Ramadan

- International
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- Religious/Cultural

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2 Good Friday World autism day 	3
4 Easter Sunday 	5	6	7 World health day 	8	9	10
11	12  Ramadan (Islam) (12 April–11 May)	13 	14 	15 	16 	17 
18	19 	20 	21 	22 Stephen Lawrence day Earth day 	23 St George's day 	24 
25 	26 	27 	28 	29 	30 	



Mental health awareness week | 17 – 23 May

MAY

2021



Mental health awareness month

Everybody has mental health, sometimes it's "good" and sometimes it's "challenging". There are lots of free resources and advice available to staff and students to help you be the best version of yourself – check them out.

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Windrush day | 22 June

JUNE

2021



Pride month

Did you know that LSBU has taken part in Pride in London since 2014 and it gets bigger and better every year. Keep an eye out for your chance to take part in Pride for free as a student or staff member.

Windrush Day

Windrush Day was introduced in June 2018 on the 70th anniversary of the Windrush arriving in the UK. The Windrush became synonymous with the arrival of Caribbeans in the UK to help rebuild the country after WWII.

- International
- National/UK
- Religious/Cultural

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		1 Global day of parents ■	2	3	4	5
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20 — World refugee day ■	21 Father's day ■	22 Windrush day ■	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

Refugee week (14–20)



International day of friendship | 30 July



International day of the friend
Where would we be without them?
Friends are the family you choose,
take today to say “thank you” to all
those great friends out there.

- International
- National/UK
- Religious/Cultural

JULY

2021

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9	10	11	12 Disability awareness day	13	14 International non- binary people's day	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30 International day of friendship	31					



A long history of inclusion

LSBU has a long and proud history of providing inclusive education to South London and beyond for over 125 years. Diversity is part of our DNA and we are keen to ensure that that legacy continues and grows for another century or more.

AUGUST

2021

- 1892** Borough Polytechnic Institute founded 'to promote the industrial skill, general knowledge, health and well-being of young men and women'
- 1917-1918** Offered courses to retrain disabled veterans of WWI
- 1920's** First female engineering students enrolled
- 1927** First international students arrived from India, the Netherlands and Ireland
- 1939-1945** Served hot meals to locals made homeless by the Blitz
- 1939-1940** Refugees came to study after fleeing Nazi occupied Czechoslovakia
- 1950** 'Womens Department' was abolished
- 1967** First female Head of Department within a STEM subject
- 1970's** First student-led groups appear such as the Afro-Asian, Arab Friends and Gay Soc.
- 1992** London South Bank University
- 2008** Our first staff networks were started
- 2014** LSBU marches in London Pride, one of the first HEIs to do so
- 2015** Our EPIIC Values were launched
- 2018** LSBU Group was founded merging Lambeth College with LSBU
- 2020** Athena SWAN Bronze Award

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