



## COLLEGE OF SCIENCE COMMUNITY EVENTS CALENDAR 2022

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# JANUARY

<b>Date</b>	<b>Celebration / Event</b>	<b>Culture / Community Celebration</b>
1	<b>New Year's Day</b>	Community (Public Holiday)
1 - 3	<b>Shogatsu</b>	Shinto
9	<b>Guru Gobind Singh Birthday</b>	Sikhism
10	<b>Bodhi Day</b>	Buddhism
14	<b>Maghi - Lohri</b>	Sikhism
14	<b>Makar Sankranti</b>	Hinduism
16	<b>Tu BiShvat</b>	Judaism
31	<b>Guru Har Rai Birthday</b>	Sikhism

# FEBRUARY

<b>Date</b>	<b>Celebration / Event</b>	<b>Culture / Community Celebration</b>
1	<b>Lunar New Year*</b>	Buddhism
5	<b>Vasant Panchami</b>	Hinduism
11	<b>International Day of Women and Girls in Science</b>	Community
13	<b>National Apology Day</b>	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Communities
15	<b>Nirvana Day</b>	Buddhism
16	<b>Magha Puja Day</b>	Buddhism
28	<b>Lailat al Miraj</b>	Islamic
Not held in 2022	<b>National Multicultural Festival (Canberra)</b>	Community

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# MARCH

<b>Date</b>	<b>Celebration / Event</b>	<b>Culture / Community Celebration</b>
1	<b>Maha Shivaratri</b>	Hinduism
1	<b>Zero Discrimination Day</b>	Community
2	<b>Ash Wednesday</b> (First day of Lent)	Christian
7	<b>Great Lent</b> (First day of Lent)	Orthodox Christian
8	<b>International Women's Day</b>	Community
16	<b>Purim</b>	Judaism
17	<b>St Patrick's Day</b>	Christian / Irish
18	<b>National Close the Gap Day</b>	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Communities
18	<b>Holi*</b>	Hinduism / Sikhism
18	<b>Lailat al Bara'ah</b>	Islamic
19	<b>Hola Mohalla</b>	Sikhism
15 - 21	<b>Harmony Week</b>	Community
21	<b>International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination</b>	Community
21	<b>Naw Ruz</b>	Bahá'í

22	<b>Hindu New Year</b>	Hinduism
31	<b>International Transgender Day of Visibility</b>	Community

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# APRIL

<b>Date</b>	<b>Celebration / Event</b>	<b>Culture / Community Celebration</b>
2	<b>Ramadan</b>	Islamic
10	<b>Palm Sunday</b>	Christian
10	<b>Ramanavami</b>	Hinduism
10	<b>Hanuman Jayanti</b>	Hinduism
14	<b>Vaisakhi</b>	Sikhism
15	<b>Good Friday</b>	Christian (Public Holiday)
	<b>Passover (First day)</b>	Judaism
16	<b>Theravada New Year</b>	Buddhism
17	<b>Easter Sunday</b>	Christian (Public Holiday)
18	<b>Easter Monday</b>	Christian (Public Holiday)
21	<b>Ridvan (First day)</b>	Bahá'í
22	<b>Holy Friday</b>	Orthodox Christian
23	<b>Passover (Last day)</b>	Judaism
	<b>Holy Saturday</b>	Orthodox Christian

24	<b>Easter</b>	Orthodox Christian
25	<b>ANZAC Day</b>	Community (Public Holiday)
27	<b>Yom HaShoah</b> (Holocaust Remembrance Day)	Judaism
28	<b>Lailat al Qadr</b>	Islamic
30	<b>Ridvan</b> (Ninth day)	Bahá'í

## MAY

<b>Date</b>	<b>Celebration / Event</b>	<b>Culture / Community Celebration</b>
2	<b>Eid al-Fitr</b> (End of Ramadan)*	Islamic
2	<b>Ridvan</b> (Twelfth day)	Bahá'í
16	<b>Vesak</b> (Buddha Day)	Buddhism
17	<b>IDAHOBiT - International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia and Biphobia</b>	Community
19	<b>Global Accessibility Awareness Day</b>	Community
21	<b>World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development</b>	Community
24	<b>Declaration of the Bab</b>	Bahá'í
26	<b>National Sorry Day</b>	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
27	<b>National Reconciliation Week and Anniversary of 1967 Referendum</b>	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
29	<b>Ascension of Baha'u'llah 2022</b>	Bahá'í

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# JUNE

Date	Celebration / Event	Culture / Community Celebration
3	<b>Mabo Day</b> (Last day of National Reconciliation Week)	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
3	<b>Martyrdom of Guru Arjan Dev Sahib</b>	Sikhism
4 - 6	<b>Shavuot</b>	Judaism
5	<b>Pentecost</b>	Christian
20	<b>World Refugee Day</b>	Community
24	<b>Matariki</b>	Community / Māori culture
20 - 26	<b>Refugee Week</b>	Community

# JULY

Date	Celebration / Event	Culture / Community Celebration
3 - 10	<b>NAIDOC Week</b>	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
13	<b>Asalha Puja Day</b>	Buddhism
19 - 23	<b>Eid Al-Adha</b> (Festival of the Sacrifice)*	Islam
29 - 30	<b>Al Hijra</b> (Islamic New Year)	Islam

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# AUGUST

Date	Celebration / Event	Culture / Community Celebration
4	<b>National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day</b>	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
6 - 7	<b>Tisha b'Av</b> (the ninth of the month of Av)	Judaism
7 - 8	<b>Ashura</b>	Islam
11	<b>Raksha Bandhan</b>	Hinduism
13 - 21	<b>National Science Week</b>	Community
18 - 19	<b>Janam Ashthami</b>	Hinduism
26	<b>Wear it Purple Day</b> (LGBTIQA+ community)	Community
31	<b>Ganesh Chaturthi</b>	Hinduism

# SEPTEMBER

Date	Celebration / Event	Culture / Community Celebration
4	Radhastami	Hinduism
9	R U OK? Day	Community
9	Anant Chaturdashi	Hinduism
25 - 27	Rosh Hashanah (the New Year)*	Judaism
26	Bi-Visibility Day	Community

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# OCTOBER

<b>Date</b>	<b>Celebration / Event</b>	<b>Culture / Community Celebration</b>
October	<b>Mental Health Month</b>	Community
1 - 5	<b>Durga Puja</b>	Hinduism
4 - 5	<b>Yom Kippur</b> (the Day of Atonement)*	Judaism
5	<b>Vijay Dashami</b> (Dussehra)	Hinduism
7 - 8	<b>Mawlid Al-Nabi</b>	Islam
10	<b>World Mental Health Day</b>	Community
13 - 14	<b>Karwa Chauth</b>	Hinduism
16 - 18	<b>Shemini Atzeret</b> (the Eighth Day of Assembly)	Judaism
17 - 18	<b>Simchat Torah</b> (rejoicing in the Torah)	Judaism
24	<b>Diwali*</b>	Hinduism
26	<b>Bhai Dooj</b>	Hinduism

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# NOVEMBER

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9	<b>Loy Krathong</b>	Buddhism
11	<b>Remembrance Day</b>	Community
16	<b>International Day of Tolerance</b>	Multicultural

# DECEMBER

<b>Date</b>	<b>Celebration / Event</b>	<b>Culture / Community Celebration</b>
3	<b>International Day of People with Disability</b>	Community
18 - 26	<b>Chanukah/Hanukkah (the Festival of Lights)</b>	Judaism
25	<b>Christmas Day</b>	Christian (Public Holiday)
26	<b>Boxing Day</b>	Community (Public Holiday)