

UWA Interfaith Calendar - 2016

Month	Day & Date	Key Dates	Faith	Month	Day & Date	Key Dates	Faith	
January	Fri 1	Shogatsu	Shinto	June	Mon 6*	Ramadan (start)	Islam	
	Tue 5	Birthday of Gugu Gobind Singh	Sikhism		Sun 12	Shavuot (first day)	Judaism	
	Wed 6	Epiphany/Theophany	Christian Orth		Mon 13	Shavuot (second day)	Judaism	
	Thu 7	Christmas Day (Feast of The Nativity)	Christian Orth		Mon 20	Pentecost - Whitsun	Christian Orth	
	Wed 13	Maghi	Sikhism	July	Sat 2	Asalha Puja - Dharma Day	Buddhism	
	Thu 14	Makar Sankranti	Hinduism		Wed 6 - Fri 8*	Eid-UI-Fitr	Islam	
	Fri 15	Seijin Shiki	Shinto	Fri 9	Martydom of the Bab	Baha'i		
	Mon 18	Week of prayer for Christian Unity begins	Christian	August	Mon 15	Assumption Day	Christian Orth	
Mon 25	Tu B'Sharat	Judaism	Thu 18		Raksha Bandhan	Hinduism		
February	Wed 3	Rissun (Setsubun)	Shinto		Thu 25	Krishna Janmashtami	Hinduism	
	Sun 7	Chaplain's Sunday (Interfaith)		September	Fri 5	Ganesh Chaturti	Hinduism	
	Mon 8	Chinese New Year/ Lunar New Year	Buddhism		Sun 11*	Day of Arafat	Islam	
	Wed 10	Ash Wednesday	Christian		Mon 12 - Tue 13	Eid UI Adha	Islam	
	Mon 15	Parinivana/Nirvana Day	Buddhism	October	Sat 1	Navratri begins	Hinduism	
March	Wed 2	Nineteen Day Fast (start)	Baha'i	Sun 2*	Al-Hijra	Islam		
	Thu 3	Hina Matsuri	Shinto	Mon 3	Rosh Hashanah (first day)	Judaism		
	Sun 20	Palm Sunday	Christian	Tue 4	Rosh Hashanah (second day)	Judaism		
	Mon 21	Naw Ruz, New Year	Baha'i	Tue 11	Dussera	Hinduism		
	Mon 21	Jamshed Noruz	Zoroastrianism	Wed 12	Yom Kippur	Judaism		
	Mon 21	Shubun-sai	Shinto	Wed 12*	Ashura	Islam		
	Wed 23	Fast of Esther	Judaism	Mon 17	Succot (first day)	Judaism		
	Wed 23	Holi	Hinduism	Tue 18	Succot (second day)	Judaism		
	Thu 24	Purim	Judaism	Thu 20	Birth of the Bab	Baha'i		
	Fri 25	The Annunciation of the Virgin Mary	Christian Orth	Mon 24	Shemini Atzeret & Simchat Torah begins	Judaism		
	Fri 25	Greek National Independence Day	Christian Orth	Tue 25	Shemini Atzeret & Simchat Torah ends	Judaism		
	Fri 25	Good Friday	Christian	Fri 28	The Ochi Day	Christian Orth		
	Sun 27	Easter Sunday	Christian	Sun 30	Deepavali/Diwali	Hinduism		
	April	Thu 14	Vaisakhi	Sikhism	November	Tue 1	All Saints Day	Christian
Thu 21		Ridvan (first day)	Baha'i	Wed 2		All Souls Day	Christian	
Fri 22 - Sat 23		Therevadin New Year	Buddhism	Sat 12		Birth of Baha'u'llah	Baha'i	
Sat 23		Passover (first day)	Judaism	Tue 15		Shichigosan	Shinto	
Sun 24		Passover (second day)	Judaism	Wed 23		Niinamesei	Shinto	
Sun 24		Orthodox Palm Sunday	Christian Orth	Thu 24		Martydom of Guru Tegh Bahadur	Sikhism	
Fri 29		Orthodox Good Friday	Christian Orth	Fri 25		Birthday of Guru Nanak	Sikhism	
Fri 29		Passover (seventh day)	Judaism	December		Thu 8	Rohatsu (Bodhi Day)	Buddhism
Friday 29		Ridvan (ninth day)	Baha'i	Mon 12*		Eid Milad un Nabi	Islam Sunni	
Sat 30		Passover (final day)	Judaism	Sat 17*		Eid Milad un Nabi	Islam Shia	
May		Sun 1	Orthodox Easter Sunday	Christian Orth	Sun 25	Hanukkah	Judaism	
Mon 2	Ridvan (twelfth day)	Baha'i	Sun 25	Christmas Day	Christian			
Thu 5	Yom Hashoah	Judaism						
Sun 15	Visakha Puja - Buddha Day	Buddhism						
Mon 23	Declaration of the Bab	Baha'i						
Sun 29	Ascension of Baha'u'llah	Baha'i						

* Dates - subject to moon sighting

Key Dates in the Indigenous Australian Calendar - 2016		
January	Tue 26	Survival Day/ Invasion Day
February	Sat 13	National Apology Day
March	Sun 20	National Close the Gap Day
May	Thu 26	National Sorry Day
May/June	Fri 27 - Fri 3	National Reconciliation Week
	Fri 3	Mabo Day
July	Fri 1	Coming of the Light
	Tue 5 - Tue 12	NAIDOC Week
August	Thu 4	National Aboriginal & Islander Children's Day
	Tue 9	International Day of World Indigenous People