2023 Book-Related Days



January

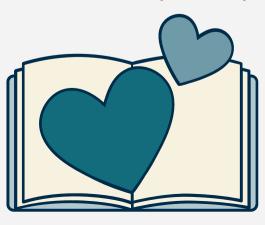
National Braille Literacy Month

- 2 National Science Fiction Day
- 4 World Braille Day
- 18 National Winnie the Pooh Day
- 23 National Reading Day

February

Low Vision Awareness Month National Library Lovers' Month

- 1 World Read Aloud Day
- 4 Take Your Child to the Library Day
- 9 Read in the Bathtub Day
- **14** Library Lovers' Day
- 23 Digital Learning Day
- 26 Tell a Fairy Tale Day



March

National Reading Month

- 2 NEA's Read Across America Day
- 5-11 Read an E-Book Week
 - 14 National Write Down Your Story Day
 - 21 World Poetry Day

April

School Library Month

National Poetry Month

- 2 International Children's Book Day
- 4 National School Librarian Day
- 10 National Encourage a Young Writer Day
- 12 Drop Everything and Read (D.E.A.R.)
- **16** National Librarian Day
- 23 National Talk Like Shakespeare Day
- 23-29 National Library Week
 - 25 National Library Workers' Day
 - 26 National Library Outreach Day
 - 27 Take Action for Libraries Day
 - 27 National Support Teen Literature Day
 - 27 National Tell a Story Day
 - **30** El Día de los Niños / El Día de los Libros (Children's Day / Book Day)

May

National Get Caught Reading Month Short Story Month

- 1 Mother Goose Day
- 5 National Cartoonists' Day

June

Rainbow Book Month Black Music Appreciation Month National Audiobook Appreciation Month

July

30 Paperback Book Day

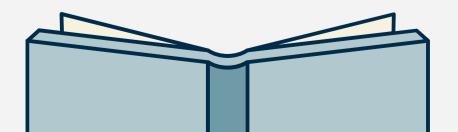
August

- 9 National Book Lovers' Day (also celebrated in November)
- 31 We Love Memoirs Day

September

Library Card Sign-Up Month National Literacy Month

- 6 National Read a Book Day
- 18 Read an E-Book Day
- 25 National Comic Book Day



October

National Book Month
National Cookbook Month
National Medical Librarians' Month
Children's Magazine Month
National Reading Group Month

- 1-7 Banned Books Week
- **1-7** Mystery Series Week
 - 6 Mad Hatter Day
- 15-21 National Friends of Libraries Week
 - 17 National Black Poetry Day

November

National Family Literacy Month
National Novel Writing Month (NaMoWriMo)
National Life Writing Month
National Nonfiction November
International Games Month

- 1 National Family Literacy Day
- 4 National Book Lovers' Day (also celebrated in August)
- 6-12 Idaho Family Reading Week
 - 8 National Parents as Teachers Day
 - 18 High-Five a Librarian Day

December

Read a New Book Month Learn a Foreign Language Month

- **10** Dewey Decimal System Day
- 21 National Short Story Day