

Anniversaries for Educators

September 2017 – August 2018



A calendar providing notable anniversaries for research, discussion, assemblies and personal projects!

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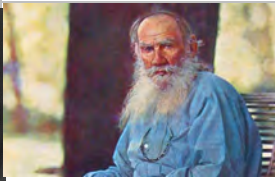

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September 2017



Notable anniversaries (@russeltarr / @activehistory)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 1967 - Death of Siegfried Sassoon , English captain and World War One poet	2
3 1967 - Dagen H in Sweden: Traffic changes from driving on the left to the right overnight	4 1967 - Vietnam War: Operation Swift begins	5 1817 - Birth of Aleksey Konstantinovich Tolstoy , Russian author	6 1517 - Birth of Francisco de Holanda , Portuguese artist (d. 1585)	7 1917 - Birth of Leonard Cheshire , English captain, pilot, and humanitarian	8 <i>International Literacy Day</i>	9
10 1967 - The people of Gibraltar vote to remain a British dependency rather than join Spain.	11 1917 - Death of Georges Guynemer , French captain and pilot	12 1967 - Death of Vladimir Bartol , Italian-Slovene author and playwright (b. 1903)	13 1967 - Death of Mohammed bin Awad bin Laden , Yemeni-Saudi Arabian businessman	14 1917 - Russia is officially proclaimed a republic .	15 <i>International Day of Democracy</i>	16 <i>International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer</i>
17 1867 - Birth of Vera Yevstafievna Popova , Russian chemist	18 1967 - Death of John Cockcroft , English physicist and academic	19 <i>International Talk Like a Pirate Day</i>	20 1967 - RMS Queen Elizabeth 2 is launched	21 1917 - Birth of Phyllis Nicolson , English mathematician and academic	22	23 1917 - Death of Werner Voss , German lieutenant and pilot
24 1717 - Birth of Horace Walpole , English historian, author, and politician	25 1917 - Death of Thomas Ashe , Irish rebel commander	26 1917 - World War I: The Battle of Polygon Wood begins. <i>European Day of Languages</i>	27 1917 - Death of Edgar Degas , French painter and sculptor (b. 1834)	28 1867 - Toronto becomes the capital of Ontario	29 1967 - Death of Carson McCullers , American novelist, playwright, essayist, and poet	30 1967 - BBC Radio 1 broadcasts for the first time
						
				September 1	September 5	September 24

October 2017



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 1567 - Death of Pietro Carnesecci , Italian humanist (b. 1508)	2 1967 - Thurgood Marshall is sworn in as the first African-American justice of the US Supreme Court .	3 1967 - Death of Woody Guthrie , American singer-songwriter and guitarist (b. 1912)	4 1917 - World War I : The Battle of Broodseinde is fought between the British and German armies in Flanders.	5 <i>World Teachers' Day</i>	6 1917 - Birth of Fannie Lou Hamer , American activist and philanthropist (d. 1977)	7 1967 - Death of Norman Angell , English journalist and politician.
8 1967 - Death of Clement Attlee , English soldier, lawyer, and politician, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom (b. 1883)	9 1967 - Death of Che Guevara , Argentinian-Cuban physician, politician and guerrilla leader (b. 1928)	10 1917 - Birth of Thelonious Monk , American pianist and composer (d. 1982)	11 1767 - Surveying for the Mason-Dixon line separating Maryland from Pennsylvania is completed.	12 1917 - World War I : The First Battle of Passchendaele begins.	13 <i>Columbus Day (USA)</i>	14 1967 - Vietnam War : American folk singer and activist Joan Baez is arrested during a protest.
15 1917 - World War I : Dutch dancer Mata Hari is executed as a spy for the German Empire .	16 1867 - Birth of Mario Ruspoli , 2nd Prince of Poggio Suasa (d. 1963)	17 1917 - First British bombing of Germany in World War I.	18 1867 - United States takes possession of Alaska after purchasing it from Russia for \$7.2 million.	19 1917 - Birth of William Joel Blass , American soldier, lawyer, and politician (d. 2012)	20 1917 - Birth of Stephane Hessel , German-French activist and diplomat (d. 2013)	21 1867 - The Medicine Lodge Treaty requires Native American Plains tribes to relocate to a reservation in western Oklahoma .
22 1917 - Death of Bob Fitzsimmons , English-American boxer (b. 1863)	23 1917 - Lenin calls for the October Revolution .	24 1917 - Birth of Marie Foster , American civil rights activist (d. 2003)	25 1767 - Birth of Benjamin Constant , Swiss-French philosopher and politician (d. 1830)	26 1967 - Mohammad Reza Pahlavi crowns himself Emperor of Iran and then crowns his wife Farah Empress of Iran.	27 1917 - Death of Arthur Rhys-Davids , English lieutenant and pilot (b. 1897)	28 1867 - Birth of Sister Nivedita , Irish-Indian nurse, author, and educator (d. 1911)
29 1467 - Charles the Bold wins the Battle of Brustem .	30 1817 - The independent government of Venezuela is established by Simon Bolivar .	31 1517 - Protestant Reformation : Martin Luther posts his 95 Theses on the door of the Castle Church in Wittenberg .		 October 12	 October 15	 October 31

November 2017



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 1917 - Birth of Siegfried Jamrowski , Russian-German soldier and pilot (d. 2012)	2 1917 - The Balfour Declaration proclaims British support for the "establishment in Palestine of a national home for the Jewish people"	3 1867 - Giuseppe Garibaldi and his followers are defeated in the Battle of Mentana	4
5 1917 - Birth of Jacqueline Auriol , French pilot (d. 2000)	6 1917 - World War I: Battle of Passchendaele ends	7 1917 - The Bolshevik Revolution: Lenin and his followers storm the Winter Palace.	8 1517 - Death of Francisco Jiménez de Cisneros , Spanish cardinal (b. 1436)	9 1867 - Birth of Shrimad Rajchandra , spiritual mentor of Gandhi	10 1617 - Death of Barnabe Rich , English soldier and author (b. 1540)	11 Armistice Day <i>Free lesson resources for all year groups available at www.activehistory.co.uk</i>
12 1567 - Death of Anne de Montmorency , French general and diplomat (b. 1493)	13 1867 - Death of Adolphe Napoléon Didron , French archaeologist and historian (b. 1806)	14 1817 - Death of Policarpa Salavarrieta , Colombian seamstress and spy (b. 1795)	15 1917 - Death of Émile Durkheim , French sociologist, psychologist, and philosopher (b. 1858)	16 1717 - Birth of Jean le Rond d'Alembert , French mathematician, physicist, and philosopher (d. 1793)	17 1917 - Birth of Ruth Aaronson Bari , American mathematician (d. 2005)	18 <i>National Day of Mourning (Germany)</i>
19 1917 - Birth of Indira Gandhi , Indian politician, 3rd Prime Minister of India (d. 1984)	20 1917 - World War I: Battle of Cambrai begins.	21 1967 - Death of C. M. Eddy, Jr. , American author (b. 1896)	22 1967 - UN Resolution 242 is adopted, aimed at guiding negotiations for an Arab-Israeli peace settlement.	23 1867 - The Manchester Martyrs are hanged for killing a policeman while freeing two Irish nationalists from custody.	24 1867 - Birth of Scott Joplin , American pianist and composer (d. 1917)	25 1467 - Birth of Thomas Dacre, 2nd Baron Dacre , Knight of Henry VIII of England (d. 1525)
26 1917 - The Manchester Guardian publishes the 1916 secret Sykes-Picot Agreement between the United Kingdom and France.	27 1067 - Death of Sancha of León , Queen of León (b. c. 1018)	28 1967 - The first pulsar known as PSR B1919+21 in the constellation of Vulpecula was discovered by two astronomers Jocelyn Bell Burnell and Antony Hewish.	29 1967 - Vietnam War: U.S. Secretary of Defense Robert McNamara announces his resignation.	30 1667 - Birth of Jonathan Swift , Irish satirist and essayist (d. 1745)	<p>PALESTINE FOR THE JEWS.</p> <p>OFFICIAL SYMPATHY.</p> <p>Mr. Balfour has sent the following letter to Lord Rothschild in regard to the establishment of a national home in Palestine for the Jewish people:—</p> <p>I have much pleasure in conveying to you on behalf of His Majesty's Government, the following declaration of sympathy with Jewish Zionist aspirations which has been submitted to and approved by the Cabinet:—</p> <p>November 2</p>	 <p>November 7</p>

December 2017



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 <i>World AIDS Day</i>	2 1917 - World War I : Russia and the Central Powers sign an armistice at Brest-Litovsk .
3 1967 - A transplant team headed by Christiaan Barnard carries out the first heart transplant on a human.	4 1817 - Birth of Nikoloz Baratashvili , Georgian poet and author (d. 1845).	5 1917 - Birth of Ken Downing , English race car driver (d. 2004)	6 1917 - Finland declares independence from Russia.	7 1817 - Death of William Bligh , English admiral and politician, 4th Governor of New South Wales (b. 1745)	8 1917 - Death of Mendele Mocher Sforim , Russian author (b. 1836)	9 1717 - Birth of Johann Joachim Winckelmann , German archaeologist and historian (d. 1768) .
10 1317 - The " Nyköping Banquet ": King Birger of Sweden invites his brothers to a banquet then imprisons them.	11 1917 - World War I : British General Allenby enters Jerusalem on foot and declares martial law .	12 1817 - Death of Tekle Giyorgis I , Ethiopian emperor (b. 1751)	13 1867 - A Fenian bomb explodes in Clerkenwell , London, killing six.	14 1417 - Death of John Oldcastle , English Lollard leader	15 1917 - Birth of Shan-ul-Haq Haqqee , Indian-Pakistani linguist and lexicographer (d. 2005)	16 1717 - Birth of Elizabeth Carter , English poet and scholar (d. 1806)
17 1917 - Death of Elizabeth Garrett Anderson , English physician and activist (b. 1836)	18 1917 - The resolution containing the Eighteenth Amendment to enact Prohibition is passed by the US Congress .	19 1967 - Harold Holt , the Prime Minister of Australia , is officially presumed dead .	20 1917 - Cheka , the first Soviet secret police force, is founded.	21 1917 - Birth of Heinrich Böll , German novelist and short story writer, Nobel Prize laureate (d. 1985)	22 1867 - Death of Jean-Victor Poncelet , French mathematician and engineer (b. 1788)	23 1867 - Birth of Madam C. J. Walker , American businesswoman and philanthropist.
24 1867 - Birth of Tevfik Fikret , Turkish poet and educator (d. 1915)	25 1917 - Birth of Lincoln Verduga Loor , Ecuadorean journalist and politician (d. 2009)	26 1867 - Birth of Phan Bội Châu , Vietnamese activist (d. 1940)	27 1917 - Birth of Buddy Boudreaux , American saxophonist and clarinet player (d. 2015)	28 1917 - Death of Alfred Edwin McKay , Canadian captain and pilot (b. 1892)	29 1917 - Birth of Tom Bradley , American lieutenant, lawyer, and politician, 38th Mayor of Los Angeles (d. 1998)	30 1917 - Birth of Seymour Melman , American engineer and author (d. 2004)
31 1917 - Birth of Evelyn Knight , American singer (d. 2007)				 <i>December 3</i>	 <i>December 14</i>	 <i>December 18</i>

January 2018



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	1 1818 - Birth of William Gamble , American general (d. 1866)	2 1918 - Birth of Willi Graf , German physician and activist (d. 1943)	3 1868 - Meiji Restoration in Japan: The Tokugawa shogunate is abolished.	4 Braille Day	5 1968 - Alexander Dubcek comes to power; "Prague Spring" begins in Czechoslovakia.	6 1918 - Death of Georg Cantor , German mathematician and philosopher (b. 1845)
7 1768 - Birth of Joseph Bonaparte , Italian king (d. 1844)	8 1918 - U.S. President Woodrow Wilson announces his "Fourteen Points" for the aftermath of World War I.	9 1918 - Battle of Bear Valley : The last battle of the American Indian Wars .	10 1218 - Death of Hugh I of Cyprus .	11 1918 - Birth of Robert C. O'Brien , American author and journalist (d. 1973)	12	13 1968 - Johnny Cash performs live at Folsom State Prison
14 1818 - Birth of Zachris Topelius , Finnish author and journalist (d. 1898)	15 1918 - Birth of João Figueiredo , Brazilian general and politician, 30th President of Brazil (d. 1999)	16 1918 - Birth of Nel Benschop , Dutch poet and educator (d. 2005)	17 1918 - Birth of Keith Joseph , English lawyer and politician, Secretary of State for Education (d. 1994)	18 1918 - Birth of Gustave Gingras , Canadian-English physician and educator (d. 1996)	19 1918 - Birth of John H. Johnson , American publisher, founded the Johnson Publishing Company (d. 2005)	20 1918 - Birth of Juan García Esquivel , Mexican pianist, composer, and bandleader (d. 2002)
21 <i>Martin Luther King Day</i>	22 1968 - Apollo 5 lifts off carrying the first Lunar module into space.	23 1918 - Birth of Gertrude B. Elion , American biochemist and pharmacologist, Nobel Prize laureate (d. 1999)	24 1918 - Birth of Gottfried von Einem , Austrian pianist and composer (d. 1996)	25 1918 - Ukraine declares independence from Bolshevik Russia .	26 1918 - Birth of Nicolae Ceaucescu , Romanian general and politician, 1st President of Romania (d. 1989)	27 Holocaust Memorial Day <i>Free lesson resources for all year groups available at www.activehistory.co.uk</i>
28 1918 - Death of John McCrae , Canadian soldier, physician, and poet of "In Flanders Fields" (b. 1872)	29 1718 - Birth of Paul Rabaut , French pastor (d. 1794)	30 1018 - Poland and the Holy Roman Empire conclude the Peace of Bautzen .	31 1418 - Death of Mircea I of Wallachia (b. 1355)			
				January 5	January 8	January 28

February 2018



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 1918 - Birth of Muriel Spark , Scottish playwright and poet (d. 2006)	2 1918 - Death of John L. Sullivan , American boxer (b. 1858)	3 1468 - Death of Johannes Gutenberg , German publisher, invented the Printing press (b. 1398)
4 1968 - Death of Neal Cassady , American novelist and poet (b. 1926)	5 1918 - Stephen W. Thompson shoots down a German airplane; this is the first aerial victory by the U.S. military.	6 1918 - British women over the age of 30 get the right to vote.	7 318 - Death of Jin Mindi , emperor of the Jin Dynasty (b. 300)	8 1968 - Death of Maurice Maillot , French actor (b. 1906)	9	10 1918 - Death of Abdul Hamid II Ottoman sultan (b. 1842)
11 1918 - Death of Alexey Kaledin , Russian general (b. 1861)	12 1918 - Birth of Norman Farberow , American psychologist and academic (d. 2015)	13 1818 - Death of George Rogers Clark , American general (b. 1752)	14 1468 - Birth of Johannes Werner , German priest and mathematician (d. 1522)	15 1818 - Death of Frederick Louis, Prince of Hohenlohe-Ingelfingen (b. 1746)	16 1918 - The Council of Lithuania unanimously adopts the Act of Independence.	17 1918 - Birth of William Bronk , American poet and academic (d. 1999)
18 1218 - Death of Berthold V, Duke of Zähringen (b. 1160)	19	20 1918 - Birth of Leonore Annenberg , American businesswoman and diplomat (d. 2009)	21 1918 - The last Carolina parakeet dies in captivity at the Cincinnati Zoo.	22	23 1868 - Birth of W. E. B. Du Bois , American sociologist, historian, and activist (d. 1963)	24 1918 - Estonian Declaration of Independence.
25 1968 - Vietnam War : One hundred thirty-five unarmed citizens are killed in the Hà My massacre.	26 1718 - Birth of Johan Ernst Gunnerus , Norwegian bishop, botanist and zoologist (d. 1773)	27 1968 - Death of Frankie Lymon , American singer-songwriter (b. 1942)	28 1518 - Birth of Francis III, Duke of Brittany , Duke of Brittany (d. 1536)	 February 2	 February 6	 February 21

March 2018



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 1918 - Birth of João Goulart , Brazilian lawyer and politician, 24th President of Brazil (d. 1976)	2	3 1918 - Germany, Austria and Russia sign the Treaty of Brest-Litovsk ending Russia's involvement in World War I .
4 1918 - Birth of Kurt Dahlmann , German pilot, lawyer, and journalist.	5	6 1968 - Three rebels are executed by Rhodesia , the first executions since UDI , prompting international condemnation.	7 1968 - Vietnam War : The United States and South Vietnamese military begin Operation Truong Cong Dinh .	8 1618 - Johannes Kepler discovers the third law of planetary motion .	9 1918 - Birth of George Lincoln Rockwell , American sailor and politician, founded the American Nazi Party (d. 1967).	10 1918 - Birth of Günther Rall , German general and pilot (d. 2009)
11 1918 - The first case of Spanish flu occurs, the start of a devastating worldwide pandemic.	12 1918 - Moscow becomes the capital of Russia again after Saint Petersburg held this status for 215 years.	13 1918 - Birth of Grigory Pomerants , Russian philosopher and author (d. 2013)	14 1418 - Birth of Philip II, Count of Nassau-Weilburg (d. 1492).	15 1818 - Birth of Mariano Álvarez , Filipino general and politician (d. 1924)	16 1968 - Vietnam War: My Lai Massacre occurs; between 347 and 500 Vietnamese villagers are killed by American troops.	17 1968 - As a result of nerve gas testing in Skull Valley, Utah , over 6,000 sheep are found dead .
18 1068 - An earthquake affects the Levant and the Arabian Peninsula , leaving up to 20,000 dead.	19 1918 - The U.S. Congress establishes time zones and approves daylight saving time .	20 1918 - Death of Lewis A. Grant , American general and lawyer (b. 1828)	21 1918 - World War I: The first phase of the German Spring Offensive, Operation Michael, begins.	22 1818 - Birth of John Ainsworth Horrocks , English-Australian explorer, founded Penwortham (d. 1846)	23 1568 - The Peace of Longjumeau is signed, ending the second phase of the French Wars of Religion .	24
25 1918 - Death of Claude Debussy , French composer (b. 1862)	26 1868 - Birth of Fuad I of Egypt (d. 1936)	27 1968 - Death of Yuri Gagarin , Russian colonel, pilot, and astronaut (b. 1934)	28 1868 - Birth of Maxim Gorky , Russian novelist, short story writer, and playwright (d. 1936)	29 1918 - Birth of Pearl Bailey , American actress and singer (d. 1990)	30 1918 - Outburst of bloody March Events in Baku and other locations of Baku Governorate .	31 1718 - Birth of Mariana Victoria of Spain (d. 1781)
				 March 11	 March 16	 March 21

April 2018



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1 1918 - The Royal Air Force is created by the merger of the Royal Flying Corps and the Royal Naval Air Service .	2 1618 - Birth of Francesco Maria Grimaldi , Italian mathematician and physicist (d. 1663)	3 1968 - Martin Luther King Jr. delivers his "I've Been to the Mountaintop" speech.	4 1968 - Martin Luther King Jr. is assassinated by James Earl Ray at a motel in Memphis, Tennessee.	5 1168 - Death of Robert de Beaumont, 2nd Earl of Leicester , English politician (b. 1104)	6 1818 - Birth of Aasmund Olavsson Vinje , Norwegian journalist and poet (d. 1870)	7 1718 - Birth of Hugh Blair , Scottish minister and author (d. 1800)
8 1918 - Birth of Betty Ford , American wife of Gerald Ford , 40th First Lady of the United States (d. 2011)	9 1918 - Birth of Jørn Utzon , Danish architect, designed the Sydney Opera House (d. 2008)	10 1018 - Birth of Nizam al-Mulk , Persian scholar and vizier (d. 1092)	11 1968 - President Lyndon B. Johnson signs the Civil Rights Act of 1968 .	12 1868 - Birth of Akiyama Saneyuki , Japanese admiral (d. 1918)	13 1918 - Death of Lavr Kornilov , Russian general (b. 1870)	14 1668 - Birth of Magnus Julius De la Gardie , Swedish general and politician (d. 1741)
15 1918 - Birth of Hans Billian , German film director, screenwriter, and actor (d. 2007)	16 1818 - The United States Senate ratifies the Rush-Bagot Treaty , establishing the border with Canada.	17 818 - Death of Bernard of Italy , Frankish king (b. 797)	18 1518 - Bona Sforza is crowned as queen consort of Poland.	19 1768 - Death of Canaletto , Italian painter and etcher (b. 1697)	20 1968 - English politician Enoch Powell makes his controversial Rivers of Blood speech.	21 1918 - Death of Manfred von Richthofen, German captain and pilot (b. 1892)
22 1518 - Birth of Antoine of Navarre (d. 1562)	23 1918 - Birth of Maurice Druon , French author and screenwriter (d. 2009)	24 1918 - First tank-to-tank combat, at Villers-Bretonneux, France.	25 1918 - Birth of Graham Payn , South African-born English actor and singer (d. 2005)	26 1968 - Death of John Heartfield , German illustrator and photographer (b. 1891)	27 <i>South Africa National Day</i>	28 1868 - Birth of Lucy Booth , English composer (d. 1953)
29 1818 - Birth of Alexander II of Russia (d. 1881)	30 <i>International Jazz Day</i>			 April 4	 April 20	 April 21

May 2018



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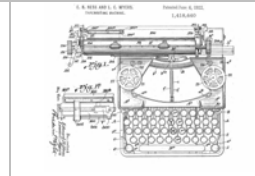
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 1118 - Death of Matilda of Scotland (b. 1080)	2 1568 - Mary, Queen of Scots , escapes from Loch Leven Castle .	3 1918 - Death of Charlie Soong , Chinese businessman and missionary (b. 1863)	4 1918 - Birth of Tom Mead , Australian journalist and politician (d. 2004)	5 1818 - Birth of Karl Marx , German philosopher, sociologist, and journalist (d. 1883)
6 1918 - Birth of Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan , emir of Abu Dhabi and first president of the United Arab Emirates (d. 2004)	7 1718 - The city of New Orleans is founded by Jean-Baptiste Le Moyne, Sieur de Bienville .	8 1818 - Birth of Samuel Leonard Tilley , Canadian pharmacist and politician.	9 1968 - Death of Mercedes de Acosta , American author, poet, and playwright (b. 1893)	10 1818 - Death of Paul Revere , American engraver and soldier (b. 1735)	11 1918 - Birth of Richard Feynman , American physicist and engineer, Nobel Prize laureate (d. 1988)	12 1918 - Birth of Mary Kay Ash , American businesswoman.
13 1918 - Birth of Balasaraswati , Indian dancer and instructor (d. 1984)	14 1868 - Birth of Magnus Hirschfeld , German physician and sexologist (d. 1935)	15 1718 - James Puckle , a London lawyer, patents the world's first machine gun .	16 1718 - Birth of Maria Gaetana Agnesi , Italian mathematician and philosopher (d. 1799)	17 1818 - Birth of Ezra Otis Kendall , American professor, astronomer and mathematician (d. 1899)	18 1868 - Birth of Nicholas II of Russia (d. 1918)	19 1568 - Queen Elizabeth I of England orders the arrest of Mary, Queen of Scots .
20 1918 - Birth of Edward B. Lewis , American biologist, geneticist, and academic, Nobel Prize laureate (d. 2004)	21 1918 - Birth of Dennis Day , American singer and actor (d. 1988)	22 1968 - The nuclear-powered submarine the USS Scorpion sinks with 99 men aboard, 400 miles southwest of the Azores .	23 1618 - The Second Defenestration of Prague precipitates the Thirty Years' War .	24 1218 - The Fifth Crusade leaves Acre for Egypt .	25 1818 - Birth of Jacob Burckhardt , Swiss historian and academic (d. 1897)	26 1918 - The Democratic Republic of Georgia is established.
27 1818 - Birth of Amelia Bloomer , American journalist and activist (d. 1894)	28 1818 - Birth of P. G. T. Beauregard , American general (d. 1893)	29 1918 - Armenia defeats the Ottoman Army in the Battle of Sardarabad .	30 1918 - Death of Georgi Plekhanov , Russian philosopher and theorist (b. 1856)	31 1818 - Birth of John Albion Andrew , American lawyer and politician.		
					May 5	May 15

June 2018



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 1918 - World War I: Western Front: Battle of Belleau Wood.	2 1918 - Birth of Ruth Atkinson, Canadian-American illustrator (d. 1997)
3 1818 - Birth of Louis Faidherbe, French general and politician, Governor of Senegal (d. 1889)	4 1968 - Death of Dorothy Gish, American actress (b. 1898)	5 1968 - Robert F. Kennedy, a U.S. presidential candidate, is fatally shot.	6 1868 - Birth of Robert Falcon Scott, English sailor and explorer (d. 1912)	7 1868 - Birth of Charles Rennie Mackintosh, Scottish painter and architect (d. 1928)	8 1318 - Birth of Eleanor of Woodstock, eldest daughter of King Edward II of England (d. 1355)	9 AD 68 - Suicide of Nero, Roman emperor (b. 37)
10 1918 - Death of Arrigo Boito, Italian author, poet, and composer (b. 1842)	11 1118 - Roger of Salerno, Prince of Antioch, captures Azaz from the Seljuk Turks.	12 918 - Death of Æthelflæd, Mercian daughter of Alfred the Great (b. 870)	13 1918 - Death of Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovich of Russia (b. 1878)	14 1968 - Death of Salvatore Quasimodo, Italian novelist and poet, Nobel Prize Laureate (b. 1901)	15 1618 - Birth of François Blondel, French architect (d. 1686)	16 1468 - Death of Jean Le Fèvre de Saint-Remy, Burgundian historian and author (b. 1395)
17 1918 - Birth of Ajahn Chah, Thai monk and educator (d. 1992)	18 618 - Li Yuan becomes Emperor Gaozu of Tang, initiating three centuries of Tang dynasty rule over China.	19 1918 - Death of Francesco Baracca, Italian fighter pilot (b. 1888)	20 1668 - Death of Heinrich Roth, German missionary and scholar (b. 1620)	21 1918 - Birth of Robert A. Boyd, Canadian engineer (d. 2006)	22 1918 - The Hammond Circus Train Wreck kills 86 and injures 127 near Hammond, Indiana.	23 1868 - Typewriter: Christopher Latham Sholes received a patent for an invention he called the "Type-Writer."
24 1918 - Birth of Mildred Ladner Thompson, American journalist and author (d. 2013)	25 1968 - Death of Tony Hancock, English actor, producer, and screenwriter (b. 1924)	26 1718 - Alexei Petrovich, Tsarevich of Russia, Peter the Great's son, mysteriously dies after being sentenced to death by his father for treason.	27 1918 - Birth of Adolph Kiefer, American swimmer (d. 2017)	28 1918 - Birth of William Whitelaw, 1st Viscount Whitelaw.	29 1818 - Birth of Angelo Secchi, Italian astronomer and academic (d. 1878)	30 1468 - Birth of John, Elector of Saxony (d. 1532)
				 June 5	 June 9	 June 23

July 2018



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 1968 - The United States Central Intelligence Agency's Phoenix Program is officially established.	2	3 1918 - Death of Mehmed V , Ottoman sultan (b. 1844)	4 AD 68 - Birth of Salonina Matidia , Roman daughter of Ulpia Marciana (d. 119)	5 1918 - Birth of K. Karunakaran , Indian lawyer and politician, 7th Chief Minister of Kerala (d. 2010)	6 1818 - Birth of Adolf Anderssen , German chess player (d. 1879)	7 1718 - Death of Alexei Petrovich, Tsarevich of Russia (b. 1690)
8 1918 - Birth of Paul B. Fay , American businessman, soldier, and diplomat.	9 1918 - Birth of Nicolaas Govert de Bruijn , Dutch mathematician and academic (d. 2012)	10 1918 - Birth of James Aldridge , Australian-English journalist and author (d. 2015)	11 1918 - Birth of Venetia Burney , English educator, who named Pluto (d. 2009)	12 1918 - The Imperial Japanese Navy battleship Kawachi blows up at Shunan , western Honshu , Japan, killing at least 621.	13 1918 - Birth of Alberto Ascari , Italian race car driver (d. 1955)	14 1868 - Birth of Gertrude Bell , English archaeologist and spy (d. 1926)
15 1918 - World War I : The Second Battle of the Marne begins near the River Marne with a German attack.	16 1918 - Birth of Denis Edward Arnold , English soldier (d. 2015)	17 1918 - Tsar Nicholas II of Russia and his immediate family and retainers are executed by Bolshevik Chekists at the Ipatiev House in Yekaterinburg, Russia.	18 1918 - Birth of Nelson Mandela , South African lawyer and politician, 1st President of South Africa , Nobel Prize laureate (d. 2013)	19 1868 - Birth of Florence Foster Jenkins , American soprano and educator (d. 1945)	20 1968 - Death of Bray Hammond , American historian and author (b. 1886)	21 1718 - The Treaty of Passarowitz between the Ottoman Empire , Austria and the Republic of Venice is signed.
22 1918 - Death of Indra Lal Roy , Indian lieutenant and pilot (b. 1898)	23 1968 - Glenville shootout : In Cleveland, Ohio , a violent shootout between a Black Militant organization and the Cleveland Police Department occurs.	24 1918 - Birth of Ruggiero Ricci , American violinist and educator (d. 2012)	25 1918 - Birth of Jane Frank , American painter and sculptor (d. 1986)	26 1968 - Death of Cemal Tollu , Turkish lieutenant and painter (b. 1899)	27 1768 - Birth of Charlotte Corday , French assassin of Jean-Paul Marat (d. 1793)	28 1718 - Death of Étienne Baluze , French scholar and academic (b. 1630)
29 1018 - Count Dirk III defeats an army sent by Emperor Henry II in the Battle of Vlaardinghen .	30 1818 - Birth of Emily Brontë , English novelist and poet (d. 1848)	31 1918 - Birth of Paul D. Boyer , American biochemist and academic, Nobel Prize laureate				
				July 17	July 18	July 22

August 2018



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 1818 - Birth of Maria Mitchell , American astronomer and academic (d. 1889)	2 1918 - The first general strike in Canadian history takes place in Vancouver.	3 1918 - Birth of James MacGregor Burns , American historian, political scientist, and author (d. 2014)	4 1918 - Birth of Brian Crozier , Australian-English historian and journalist (d. 2012)
5 1868 - Death of Jacques Boucher de Crèvecoeur de Perthes , French archaeologist and historian (b. 1788)	6 1868 - Birth of Paul Claudel , French poet and playwright (d. 1955)	7 1918 - Birth of C. Buddingh' , Dutch poet and translator (d. 1985)	8 1918 - World War I : The Battle of Amiens begins a string of almost continuous Allied victories with a push through the German front lines (Hundred Days Offensive).	9 1918 - Birth of Kermit Beahan , American colonel (d. 1989)	10 1918 - Death of Erich Löwenhardt , German lieutenant and pilot (b. 1897)	11 1718 - Birth of Frederick Haldimand , Swiss-English general and politician, 22nd Governor of Quebec (d. 1791)
12 1918 - Birth of Sid Bernstein , American record producer (d. 2013)	13 1918 - Women enlist in the United States Marine Corps for the first time.	14	15 1118 - Death of Alexios I Komnenos , Byzantine emperor (b. 1048)	16 1518 - Death of Loyset Compère , French composer (b. 1445)	17 1918 - Bolshevik revolutionary leader Moisei Uritsky is assassinated.	18 1868 - French astronomer Pierre Janssen discovers helium .
19 1968 - Death of George Gamow , Ukrainian-American physicist and cosmologist (b. 1904)	20 1968 - Soviet Union-dominated Warsaw Pact troops invade Czechoslovakia , crushing the Prague Spring .	21 1568 - Death of Jean Parisot de Valette , 49th Grandmaster of the Knights Hospitaller (b. 1495)	22 1918 - Birth of Mary McGrory , American journalist and author (d. 2004)	23 1618 - Death of Gerbrand Adriaenszoon Bredero , Dutch poet and playwright (b. 1585)	24	25 1918 - Birth of Leonard Bernstein , American pianist, composer, and conductor (d. 1990)
26 1768 - Captain James Cook sets sail from England on board HMS Endeavour.	27 1918 - Mexican Revolution: Battle of Ambos Nogales.	28 1818 - Death of Jean Baptiste Point du Sable , American fur trader, founded Chicago (b. 1750)	29 1918 - Bapaume taken by the New Zealand Division in the Hundred Days Offensive .	30 1918 - Fanni Kaplan shoots and seriously injures Bolshevik leader Vladimir Lenin , prompting the decree for Red Terror .	31 1218 - Al-Kamil becomes sultan of the Ayyubid dynasty.	 August 26

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