

Environment/Creation Care Dates of Interest in 2024

January

All January	Veganuary	https://veganuary.com/
All January	Buy Nothing New Month	https://www.keepbritaintidy.org/get-involved/support-our-campaigns/buy-nothing-new-month https://www.clockwise.coop/buy-nothing-new-month-2024/
Monday 8 th - Monday 19 th February	RSPB Big Schools Birdwatch	https://www.rspb.org.uk/fun-and-learning/for-teachers/schools-birdwatch/
Sunday 14 th	Plough Sunday	https://arthurrankcentre.org.uk/plough-sunday-2024/
Saturday 17 th - Friday 23 rd	Big Energy Saving Week	https://www.citizensadvice.org.uk/about-us/our-work/our-campaigns/awareness-raising-campaigns/besw/ https://nationaltoday.com/energy-saving-week/
Friday 26 th - Sunday 28 th	RSPB Big Garden Birdwatch	https://www.rspb.org.uk/get-involved/activities/birdwatch/

February

All month	Show the Love - The Climate Coalition (2024 information coming soon)	https://www.theclimatecoalition.org/2024-a-year-for-action https://www.theclimatecoalition.org/show-the-love
Friday 2 nd	World Wetlands Day	https://www.worldwetlandsday.org/
Tuesday 27 th February	International Polar Bear Day	https://polarbearsinternational.org/act-now/awareness-events/international-polar-bear-day/

NB Fairtrade Fortnight has moved to September!

March

Sunday 3 rd	World Wildlife Day	https://wildlifeday.org/
Friday 15 th - Sunday 31 st	Great British Spring Clean	https://www.keepbritaintidy.org/get-involved/support-our-campaigns/great-british-spring-clean/ https://www.rspca.org.uk/getinvolved/events/gbspringclean
Monday 18 th	Global Recycling Day	https://www.globalrecyclingday.com/
Monday 18 th - Sun 24 th	Trees are the Key Awareness Week (incorporating International Day of Forests - Thursday 21 st March)	https://www.wordforest.org/week/ https://www.fao.org/international-day-of-forests/en/
Friday 22 nd	World Water Day	https://www.unwater.org/our-work/world-

		water-day
Saturday 23 rd	Earth Hour	https://www.wwf.org.uk/earth-hour

April

Monday 15 th - Wed 24 th	Fashion Revolution Week	https://www.fashionrevolution.org/frw-24/#:~:text=Fashion%20Revolution%20Week%202024%20Monday,15th%20%E2%80%93%20Wednesday%2024th%20April
Monday 22 nd	Earth Day	https://www.earthday.org/earth-day-2024/
Monday 22 nd	International Mother Earth Day	https://www.un.org/en/observances/earth-day
Wednesday 24 th	Stop Food Waste Day	https://www.stopfoodwasteday.com/en/index.html

May

All May	Meat Free May	https://www.nomeatmay.org/
All May	No Mow May	https://nomowmay.plantlife.org.uk/
Sunday 5 th - Saturday 11 th	International Compost Awareness Week	https://www.compostfoundation.org/ICAW/ICAW-Home
Monday 6 th - Sunday 12 th	National Hedgerow Week	https://treecouncil.org.uk/seasonal-campaigns/national-hedgerow-week/
Saturday 11 th	World Fairtrade Day	https://www.fairtrade.org.uk/
Tuesday 14 th - Monday 20 th	Christian Aid Week	https://www.christianaid.org.uk/
Monday 20 th - Friday 24 th	Walk to School Week	https://act.livingstreets.org.uk/page/139958/data/1
Monday 20 th	World Bee Day	https://www.fao.org/world-bee-day/en/
Wednesday 22 nd	International Day of Biological Diversity	https://globaldimension.org.uk/event/international-day-for-biological-diversity/2021-05-22/
Saturday 25 th - Sunday 2 nd June	National Children's Gardening Week	https://www.childrensgardeningweek.co.uk/
Friday 31 st	Every Flower Counts	https://nomowmay.plantlife.org.uk/every-flower-counts/

June

All June	30 Days Wild	https://www.wildlifetrusts.org/30dayswild
Monday 3 rd	World Bike Day	https://www.un.org/en/observances/bicycle-day
Wed 5 th	World Environment Day	https://www.worldenvironmentday.global/
Saturday 8 th - Sunday 16 th	Churches Count on Nature	https://www.caringforgodsacre.org.uk/get-involved/thanks-for-taking-part-in-love-your-burial-ground-week-with-churches-count-on-nature-2023/
Saturday 8 th - Sunday 16 th	Big Green Week	https://greatbiggreenweek.com/
Saturday 8 th (also celebrated on Friday 7 th)	World Oceans Day	https://www.msc.org/uk/worldoceansday https://www.wwf.org.uk/get-involved/schools/calendar/world-oceans-day

		https://unworldoceansday.org/
Monday 10 th - Sunday 16 th	Bike Week	https://www.cyclinguk.org/bikeweek
Saturday 15 th	International Working Animals Day	https://spana.org/get-involved/international-working-animal-day-2022/
Saturday 15 th	Clean Air Day	https://www.actionforcleanair.org.uk/campaigns/clean-air-day
Sunday 16 th	World Refill Day	https://www.refill.org.uk/world-refill-day/
Monday 17 th	Plastic Free Beauty Day	https://www.plasticfreebeauty.org/
Monday 17 th	World Day to Combat Desertification & Drought	https://www.un.org/en/observances/desertification-day
Tuesday 18 th	Sustainable Gastronomy Day	https://www.un.org/en/observances/sustainable-gastronomy-day
Saturday 22 nd June	World Rainforest Day	https://www.worldrainforestday.org/

July

All July	Plastic Free July	https://www.plasticfreejuly.org/
Saturday 6 th - Friday 12 th	Net Zero Week	https://netzeroweek.com/
Saturday 22 nd - Mon 5 th August	National Marine Week (more info to follow)	https://www.wildlifetrusts.org/national-marine-week
Friday 26 th - Friday 2 nd August	Love Parks Week (more info to follow)	https://www.keepbritaintidy.org/get-involved/support-our-campaigns/love-parks-week
Saturday 29 th	International Tiger Day	https://www.wwf.org.uk/get-involved/schools/calendar/international-tiger-day

August

Monday 12 th - Sunday 18 th	National Allotments Week	https://www.nsalg.org.uk/news/national-allotment-week-2024/
Thursday 22 nd	World Plant Milk Day	https://www.worldplantmilkday.com/

September

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All September	Organic September	https://www.soilassociation.org/take-action/organic-living/organic-september/
All September	Second-hand September	https://www.oxfam.org.uk/get-involved/second-hand-september/
Sunday 1 st September - Friday 4 th October	Creation Time	https://www.churchofengland.org/about/policy-and-thinking/our-views/environment-and-climate-change/season-creation
Monday 9 th Sept - Sunday 22 nd	Fairtrade Fortnight	https://www.fairtrade.org.uk/get-involved/current-campaigns/fairtrade-fortnight/

Monday 16 th	International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer	https://www.un.org/en/observances/ozone-day
Saturday 21 st	International Coastal Clean Up Day World Clean up Day	https://nationaltoday.com/international-coastal-cleanup-day/ https://www.worldcleanupday.org/
Saturday 21 st - Friday 27 th	FSC Forest Week	https://uk.fsc.org/newsfeed/fsc-forest-week-2023-recap
2023 date Friday 22 nd 2024 date TBC	Loss and Damage Day	https://greenchristian.org.uk/loss-and-damage-day/ https://www.christianaid.org.uk/get-involved/campaigns/climate-change/loss-and-damage-faqs
Friday 22 nd	World Car Free Day	https://www.livingstreets.org.uk/about-us/our-work-in-action/world-car-free-day
Monday 23 rd - Wed 23 rd October	Seed Gathering Season	https://treecouncil.org.uk/seasonal-campaigns/seed-gathering-season/

October

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All October	Unblocktober	https://www.unblocktober.org/
Tuesday 1 st	World Vegetarian Day	https://worldvegetarianday.navs-online.org/
Wednesday 2 nd	World Habitat Day	https://www.un.org/en/observances/habitat-day
Friday 4 th	St Francis Day	https://www.stfrancisday.org/en/ https://www.biography.com/religious-figure/saint-francis-of-assisi
Friday 4 th	No disposable cup day	https://nodisposablecup.com/
Friday 4 th	World Animal Day	https://www.worldanimalday.org.uk/
Sunday 6 th	Animal Welfare Sunday	https://www.aswa.org.uk/news-and-events/animal-welfare-sunday-2/
Monday 14 th	International E-waste Day	https://weee-forum.org/iwd-about/
Wednesday 16 th	World Food Day	https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/World_Food_Day
	One World Week (wef end March 23 OWW is closed) See website:	https://www.oneworldweek.org/OWW-is-changing

October TBC

Recycle Week (2023 16-22 October)

<https://wrap.org.uk/taking-action/citizen-behaviour-change/recycle-now/recycle-week>

November

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All November	World Vegan Month	https://www.vegansociety.com/get-involved/world-vegan-month
Sunday 10 th	World Science Day for Peace and Development	https://www.un.org/en/observances/world-science-day
Tuesday 19 th	World Toilet Day	https://www.unwater.org/our-work/world-toilet-day https://www.un.org/en/observances/toilet-day
Sunday 24 th	Buy Nothing Day	http://www.buynothingday.co.uk/
Wed 27 th - Thurs 5 th Dec	National Tree Week	https://nationaltoday.com/national-tree-week/ https://treecouncil.org.uk/seasonal-campaigns/national-tree-week/

December

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Wednesday 4 th	Carbon Literacy Action Day	https://carbonliteracy.com/carbon-literacy-action-day/ https://carbonliteracy.com/action-day-resources/
Thursday 5 th	World Soil Day	https://www.un.org/en/observances/world-soil-day https://sdgresources.relx.com/events/world-soil-day-2024
Wednesday 11 th	International Mountain Day	https://www.un.org/en/observances/mountain-day
Saturday 14 th	World Energy Conservation Day	https://www.solutionweb.in/world-energy-conservation-day/

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NB Thanks to website below for many of the above entries:
<https://moralfibres.co.uk/environmental-days-and-dates-to-know/>