# November 2021

Educator Calendar

**All month:** National Adoption Month · November Theme: Gratitude & Generosity · Native American Heritage Month

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1 | 2<br>● Election Day | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11<br>● Veterans Day | 12 | 13<br>● Kindness Day |
| 14<br>● Diabetes Day | 15<br>● Recycles Day | 16<br>● Day for Tolerance | 17 | 18<br>● Great American Smokeout | 19 | 20<br>● Children's Day |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25<br>● Thanksgiving | 26<br>● Native American Heritage Day | 27 |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | | | | |

**Legend:** ● Holidays & Celebrations ● Awareness Days/Months ● Monthly Teaching Themes ● Prevention & Safety ● Culture & History

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## Events in November 2021

**Nov 1 – Nov 30** **National Adoption Month** (Awareness Days/Months) A month raising awareness of adoption from foster care.

**Nov 1 – Nov 30** **Native American Heritage Month** (Culture & History) A month celebrating the cultures, traditions and contributions of Native peoples.

**Nov 1 – Nov 30** **November Theme: Gratitude & Generosity** (Monthly Teaching Themes, TTW teaching theme) TTW teaching theme: gratitude, kindness and generosity.

**Tue Nov 2** **Election Day** (Culture & History, varies by location) The Tuesday after the first Monday in November; some schools serve as polling places.

**Thu Nov 11** **Veterans Day** (Holidays & Celebrations) A federal holiday honouring military veterans.

**Sat Nov 13** **World Kindness Day** (Awareness Days/Months) A global day highlighting good deeds and kindness.

**Sun Nov 14** **World Diabetes Day** (Awareness Days/Months) A day raising awareness of diabetes.

**Mon Nov 15** **America Recycles Day** (Awareness Days/Months) A day promoting recycling.

**Tue Nov 16** **International Day for Tolerance** (Awareness Days/Months) A UNESCO day promoting respect, acceptance and understanding of different cultures and beliefs.

**Thu Nov 18** **Great American Smokeout** (Prevention & Safety) The American Cancer Society's day encouraging people to quit smoking (third Thursday of November).

**Sat Nov 20** **World Children's Day** (Awareness Days/Months) UNICEF's day for children's rights.

**Thu Nov 25** **Thanksgiving Day** (Holidays & Celebrations) A federal holiday giving thanks (fourth Thursday of November).

**Fri Nov 26** **Native American Heritage Day** (Culture & History) Observed the day after Thanksgiving to honour Native Americans.