# November 2008

Educator Calendar

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

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| 2 | 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<br>● American Education Week | 18<br>● American Education Week | 19<br>● ESP Day<br>● American Education Week | 20<br>● Children's Day<br>● American Education Week | 21<br>● Substitute Educators Day<br>● American Education Week | 22 |
| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27<br>● Thanksgiving | 28 | 29 |
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**Legend:** ● Holidays & Celebrations ● Awareness Days/Months ● Appreciation Days/Weeks ● Monthly Teaching Themes

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## Events in November 2008

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

**Nov 17 – Nov 21** **American Education Week** (Appreciation Days/Weeks) NEA's week celebrating public education (the week before Thanksgiving).

**Wed Nov 19** **National Education Support Professionals Day** (Appreciation Days/Weeks) Honours education support professionals, on the Wednesday of American Education Week.

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

**Fri Nov 21** **National Substitute Educators Day** (Appreciation Days/Weeks) Honours substitute educators, on the Friday of American Education Week.

**Thu Nov 27** **Thanksgiving Day** (Holidays & Celebrations) A federal holiday giving thanks (fourth Thursday of November).