

Days of Significance November 2019

Date		
5 - 11	Veterans' Week	Canadian Government
5	World Tsunami Awareness Day	United Nations
10	World Science Day for Peace and Development	United Nations
11	Remembrance Day	Canadian Government
14	World Diabetes Day	United Nations
16	Louis Riel Day (Ontario) celebrated February 18 in other parts of Canada	Indigenous
16	International Day for Tolerance	United Nations
17 - 23	Anti-Bullying Awareness and Prevention Week	Ontario Government
20	Universal Children's Day National Child Day	United Nations Canadian Government
20	International Transgender Day of Remembrance	started in 1999 by transgender advocate Gwendolyn Ann Smith as a vigil to honor the memory of Rita Hester
23	National Holodomor Memorial Day	Ukrainian Canadian Congress
25	International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women	United Nations
Nov 25 – Dec 10	16 Days of Activism Against Gender Violence	Canadian Government

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