

Week Beginning	Keyword and Quote	Events
15 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	<b>Perseverance</b> <i>"Perseverance is not a long race; it is many short races one after another."</i> Walter Eliot (d.1958)	10 <sup>th</sup> April -9 <sup>th</sup> May Ramadan 21 <sup>st</sup> London Marathon
22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2024	<b>Belonging</b> <i>"A deep sense of love and belonging is our universal need. We are biologically, cognitively, physically and spiritually wired to love, be loved and belong. When those needs are not met, we break, fall apart and hurt."</i> Brene Brown (b.1965)	22 <sup>nd</sup> Earth Day 23 <sup>rd</sup> St George's/English Language/Shakespeare Day/World Book Night
29 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	<b>Spontaneity</b> <i>"The essence of pleasure is spontaneity."</i> Germaine Greer (b.1939)	29 <sup>th</sup> International Dance Day/National Gardening Week 1 <sup>st</sup> May National Walking Month/Share a Story Month/Local and Community History Month
6 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	<b>Charity</b> <i>"In charity there is no excess."</i> Francis Bacon (d.1626)	8 <sup>th</sup> Red Cross Day 12 <sup>th</sup> May National Limerick Day 8 <sup>th</sup> VE Day 79 <sup>th</sup> celebrations. 11 <sup>th</sup> Christian Aid Week
13 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	<b>Eudaimonia</b> <i>"The ultimate end of human acts is eudaimonia, happiness in the sense of living well, which all desire; all acts are but different means chosen to arrive at it."</i> Hannah Arendt (d.1975)	13 Mental Health Awareness Week 13 <sup>th</sup> National Vegetarian Week 13 <sup>th</sup> Foster Care Fortnight
20 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	<b>Juxtaposition</b> <i>"It was the best of times, it was the worst of times, it was the age of wisdom, it was the age of foolishness..."</i> Charles Dickens (d.1870)	21 <sup>st</sup> Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development.
27 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	Half Term	

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3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2024	<b>Environment</b> <i>"We do not inherit the earth from our ancestors, we borrow it from our children."</i> Native American Proverb.	5 <sup>th</sup> World Environment Day 1 <sup>st</sup> -7 <sup>th</sup> Child Safety Week 6 <sup>th</sup> D-Day 8 <sup>th</sup> World Oceans Day
10 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	<b>Zeitgeist</b> <i>"Even a genius cannot completely resist his Zeitgeist, the spirit of his time."</i> Viktor E. Frankl	14 <sup>th</sup> World Blood Donors Day
17 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	<b>Humanist</b> <i>"Humanism is the philosophy that you should be a good guest at the dinner table of life."</i> A.C. Grayling (b.1949).	20 <sup>th</sup> World Refugee Day 21 <sup>st</sup> Summer Solstice/International Day of Yoga/ World Humanist Day/World Music Day
24 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	<b>Adolescence</b> <i>"It matters not what someone is born, but what they grow to be."</i> Professor Albus Dumbledore (J.K. Rowling b.1965)	24 <sup>th</sup> School's Diversity Week 24 National School Sport Week 26 <sup>th</sup> National writing Day 30 <sup>th</sup> Meteor Day 30 <sup>th</sup> United Nations International Day of Friendship
1 <sup>st</sup> July 2024	<b>Genius</b> <i>"Genius is one percent inspiration and ninety-nine percent perspiration"</i> Thomas Edison (d.1931)	
8 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	<b>Contribution</b> <i>"Life is not accumulation, it is about contribution."</i> Stephen Covey (d.2012)	11 <sup>th</sup> World Population Day 12 <sup>th</sup> Battle of Boyne (Northern Ireland)
15 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	<b>Fulfilment</b> <i>"Let not your mind run on what you lack as much as on what you have already."</i> Marcus Aurelius (d.180 CE)	15 <sup>th</sup> World Youth Skills Day 17 <sup>th</sup> International Justice Day 18 <sup>th</sup> Nelson Mandela International Day 22 <sup>nd</sup> National Marine Week 24 <sup>th</sup> National Parks Week