

Monthly NIE Features List:

September:

Anniversary of V-J Day and the end of WWII – 9/2
International Literacy Day 9/8
Anniversary of the Attacks on 9/11
Battle of Baltimore/Star-Spangled Banner 9/13
National Hispanic Heritage Month 9/15-10/15
National Citizenship Day 9/17
Johnny Appleseed Day 9/26
Suicide Prevention Month

October:

Election/Civic Leadership
Family History Month
Fire Safety Month
National Bullying Prevention Month
Chuck Yeager Breaks Sound Barrier – 10/14
World Food Day 10/16
Anniversary of the Raid on Harper's Ferry 10/16
End of the Pony Express 10/26/1861
National Pumpkin Day 10/26

November:

Family Literacy Month
Daylight Saving Time
Kristallnacht – the Night of Broken Glass – 11/9/1938
Veteran's Day 11/11
Anniversary of the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier 11/11
National Tolerance Day 11/16
Anniversary of Women's Suffrage in NYS 11/6/1917
National Adoption Month
Native American Heritage Month

December:

National Handwashing Awareness Week (1st week)
End of Slavery in the U.S. 12/6
Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day 12/7
International Human Rights Day 12/10
Anniversary of the Battle of Fredericksburg – 12/11-15
Birthday of the US National Guard 12/13
Bill of Rights Day 12/15
Anniversary of the Boston Tea Party – 12/16/1773
Anniversary of the film, "It's a Wonderful Life"

January:

Opening of Ellis Island 1/1/1892
Anniversary of Alaska's statehood – 1/3/1959
Anniversary of Wikipedia 1/15
Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday 1/15
Inauguration Day
Anniversary of the Paris Peace Conference 1/18
International Holocaust Remembrance Day 1/27
National Blood Donor Month

February:

Financial Literacy
National Freedom Day 2/1
First Meeting of the US Supreme Court 2/1
Grand Central Terminal 2/2
National Donor Day 2/14
John Glenn First American to Orbit the Earth 2/20
National Heart Month
Tinker v. Des Moines Supreme Court Case 2/24
Leap Year – 2024, 2028

March:

Establishment of the Peace Corps 3/1
Sunshine Week – Freedom of Information
Read Across America Day 3/2
National Anthem Day 3/3
Anniversary of Aspirin – 3/6/1899
Girl Scouts of America Founded 3/12/1912
Pi Day 3/14
Triangle Shirtwaist fire 3/25/1911
Spring/Vernal Equinox

April:

International Children's' Book Day 4/2
Hank Aaron's Historic 715th Home Run – 4/8/1974
Tax Day – 4/15, or is it?
Jackie Robinson Breaks MLB Color Barrier 4/15
Anniversary of the Sinking of the Titanic 4/15
Earth Day 4/22
Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day
National Poetry Month
National Library Week

May:

Anniversary of the Empire State Building 5/1
National Teachers Day
Memorial Day
National Cartoonists Day 5/5
National Nurses Day 5/6
Watergate Hearings Begin 5/17/1973
Be Kind to Animals Week
Anniversary of the Hubble Telescope
National Asian American & Pacific Islander Heritage Month

June:

Anniversary of Indian Citizenship Act 6/2
Anniversary of D-Day 6/6/1944
PRIDE Month
Flag Day 6/14
Juneteenth 6/19
NYS Summer Reading
National Dairy Month

July:

Seneca Falls Convention 7/19-20/1848
Neil Armstrong's first steps on the moon 7/20/1969
Lightening Safety Awareness
Sun and Water Safety
Construction of the Erie Canal
National Ice Cream Month
National Parks and Recreation Month

August:

Gertrude Ederle Swims the English Channel 8/6
National Purple Heart Day 8/7
International Youth Day 8/12
Anniversary of the Clermont Steamboat 8/17
Back-to-School Tips
Anniversary of Woodstock 8/15 – 8/18
National Aviation Day 8/19
Hawaii's Statehood - 8/21/1959
Women's Equality Day 8/26

Features planned for the 2024-2025 School Year:

National Newspaper Carrier Day – 9/4/2024	National Medal of Honor Day – 3/25
Mount Rushmore Memorial Park opens to the public – 10/31/1941	National Volunteer Week
One World Trade Center reopens to the public – 11/3/2014	World Press Freedom Day – 5/3
The creation of the Civil Air Patrol – 12/1/1941	Summer Solstice
Invention of the first Rubik's cube – 1/30/1975	Zip Code Day – 7/1
National Boy Scouts Day – 2/8	Passage of the Voting Rights Act of 1965 – 8/6/1965