# December 2013

Educator Calendar

**All month:** December Theme: Giving & Compassion

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| **1** | **2** | **3**<br>• Disability Day<br>• Giving Tuesday | **4** | **5** | **6** | **7**<br>• Pearl Harbor Day |
| **8** | **9**<br>• CS Education Week | **10**<br>• Human Rights Day<br>• CS Education Week | **11**<br>• CS Education Week | **12**<br>• CS Education Week | **13**<br>• CS Education Week | **14**<br>• CS Education Week |
| **15**<br>• Bill of Rights Day<br>• CS Education Week | **16** | **17** | **18** | **19** | **20** | **21** |
| **22** | **23** | **24**<br>• Christmas Eve | **25**<br>• Christmas | **26**<br>• Kwanzaa | **27**<br>• Kwanzaa | **28**<br>• Kwanzaa |
| **29**<br>• Kwanzaa | **30**<br>• Kwanzaa | **31**<br>• New Year's Eve<br>• Kwanzaa | | | | |

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

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## Events in December 2013

**Dec 1 – Dec 31** **December Theme: Giving & Compassion** (Monthly Teaching Themes, TTW teaching theme) TTW teaching theme: giving, compassion and reflection.

**Tue Dec 3** **Giving Tuesday** (Other) A global day of generosity (the Tuesday after Thanksgiving).

**Tue Dec 3** **International Day of Persons with Disabilities** (Awareness Days/Months) A UN day promoting the rights and well-being of persons with disabilities.

**Sat Dec 7** **National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day** (Culture & History) Remembers those killed in the attack on Pearl Harbor in 1941.

**Dec 9 – Dec 15** **Computer Science Education Week** (Other) A week inspiring students to learn computer science, held around Grace Hopper's birthday (December 9).

**Tue Dec 10** **Human Rights Day** (Culture & History) Marks the adoption of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights in 1948.

**Sun Dec 15** **Bill of Rights Day** (Culture & History) Commemorates the ratification of the Bill of Rights in 1791.

**Tue Dec 24** **Christmas Eve** (Holidays & Celebrations, varies by location) The evening before Christmas.

**Wed Dec 25** **Christmas Day** (Holidays & Celebrations) A Christian and cultural holiday and a federal holiday.

**Dec 26 – Jan 1** **Kwanzaa** (Culture & History) A celebration of African American culture and heritage (December 26 – January 1).

**Tue Dec 31** **New Year's Eve** (Holidays & Celebrations) The last day of the year.