

CALENDAR OF ENVIRONMENTAL EVENTS FOR 2023

JANUARY 2023		
Date	Event	Location

FEBRUARY 2023		
Date	Event	Location
2	World Wetlands Day	International

MARCH 2023		
Date	Event	Location
3	World Wildlife Day	International
8	World Oceans Day	International
5 – 13	Sea Week – Kaupāpa Moana	New Zealand
7 – 13	Food Waste Action Week	New Zealand
14	International Day of Action for Rivers	International
18	Global Recycling Day	International

APRIL 2023		
Date	Event	Location
24-30	Cloth Nappy Week	NZ
22	Earth Day	International
27	Stop Food Waste Day	International

MAY 2023		
Date	Event	Location
7-13	International Compost Awareness Week	International

JUNE 2023		
Date	Event	Location
5	Arbor Day	New Zealand
5	World Environment Day	International
8	World Oceans Day	International
??	National Volunteers Week	New Zealand

JULY 2023		
Date	Event	Location
1 – 31	Plastic Free July	International
11	World Population Day	International
28	World Nature Conservation Day	International

AUGUST 2023		
Date	Event	Location

SEPTEMBER 2023		
Date	Event	Location
1 – 30	Second Hand September	New Zealand
1 – 30	Single Use Cup Free September	New Zealand
5 – 12	Conservation Week	New Zealand
11-18	Te Wiki o te Reo Māori	New Zealand
17	World Clean-Up Day	International
17 – 23	KNZB Clean-up Week 2022	New Zealand
18-24?	Zero Food Waste Challenge	New Zealand
21	Zero Emissions Day	International
22	World Car-Free Day	International
25	World Rivers Day	International
26	World Environmental Health Day	International
29	International Day of Awareness on Food Loss and Waste Reduction	International

OCTOBER 2023		
Date	Event	Location
1 – 31	Biketober	New Zealand
1 – 31	Save the Kiwi Month	New Zealand
4	World Habitat Day	International
5	Energy Efficiency Day	International
14	International E-Waste Day	International
21	International Repair Day	International
16	World Food Day	International
17 – 23	Recycling Week	New Zealand
24	International Day of Climate Action	International

NOVEMBER 2023		
Date	Event	Location
6 – 17	UN Climate Change Conference 2023 (UNFCCC COP28)	United Arab Emirates
25	Buy Nothing Day	International

DECEMBER 2023		
Date	Event	Location
5	World Soil Day World Volunteer Day	International
11	Use Your Own Cup Day	New Zealand