Consistent, meaningful employee recognition is imperative with a more spread-out and mobile workforce than ever before. HALO’s Recognition Planner lists popular recognition events, holidays, and industry observances in one place to stay on top of all your employee appreciation planning. If there’s any event you think should be added, please let us know at recognitioninfo@halo.com.

January
1/1-1/31 − National Mentoring Month
1/1 − New Year’s Day
1/5 − National Keto Day
1/11 − Poetry at Work Day
1/12 − National Pharmacist Day
1/14 − National Dress Up Your Pet Day
1/17 – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
1/24 – National Compliment Day
1/27 − Thank Your Mentor Day
1/28 – Have Fun at Work Day

February
2/1-2/28 − National African American History Month
2/3 – Women Physicians Day
2/4 – National Wear Red Day 2022
2/7 – Send a Card to a Friend Day
2/9 – National Pizza Day
2/14 – Valentine’s Day
2/17 – Random Acts of Kindness Day
2/21 – President’s Day
2/20-2/26 – National Engineer’s Week (EWeek)

March
3/1-3/31 – National Women’s History Month
3/4 – Employee Appreciation Day
3/8 – International Women’s Day
3/14 – Pi Day
3/17 – St Patrick’s Day
3/17 – Companies That Care Day
3/18 – Transit Driver Appreciation Day
3/20 – Spring Solstice
3/29 – Mom & Pop Business Owners Day
3/30 – National Doctors’ Day
3/31 – World Backup Day

April
4/1-4/30 – Stress Awareness Month
4/1 – April Fool’s Day
4/1 – Walk to Work Day
4/7 – World Health Day
4/12 – Library Workers Day
4/17 – Easter
4/17-4/23 – National Volunteer Week
4/22 – Earth Day
4/25-4/29 – Medical Laboratory Professionals Week
4/27 – Administrative Professionals’ Day
4/28 – Safety and Health at Work Day

May
5/1-5/31 – Asian Pacific Heritage Month/Employee Health and Fitness Month/Mental Health Awareness Month
5/3 – Teachers’ Day
5/5 – World Hand Hygiene Day
5/6 – Nurses’ Day
5/6-5/12 – National Nurses’ Week
5/8 – Mother’s Day
5/11 – Night Shift Workers Day/Receptionist Day
5/20 – Bike to Work Day
5/21 – National Waitstaff Day
5/30 – Memorial Day

June
6/1-6/30 – LGBTQIA Pride Month
6/1 – Say Something Nice Day
6/2 – Leave the Office Early Day
6/3 – World Bicycle Day
6/3 – National Donut Day
6/12 – National Automotive Service Professionals Day
6/16 – National Nursing Assistants Day
6/16-6/22 – National Nursing Assistants Week
6/19 – Juneteenth
6/19 – Father’s Day
6/21 – Summer Solstice
6/30 – National Handshake Day
6/30 – Social Media Day
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July
7/1-7/31 - National Anti-Boredom Month
7/4 - Independence Day
7/6 - Take Your Webmaster to Lunch Day
7/18 - World Listening Day
7/24 - Parents’ Day
7/28 - National Intern Day
7/29 - System Administrator Appreciation Day
7/30 - International Friendship Day

August
8/1-8/30 - National Wellness Month
8/4 - National Chocolate Chip Cookie Day
8/8 - International Cat Day
8/9 - National Book Lovers Day
8/10 - National Spoil Your Dog Day
8/22 - National Waffle Day
8/26 - Women’s Equality Day
8/31 - Eat Outside Day

September
9/1-9/30 - National Courtesy Month
9/1 - Mechanic Appreciation Day
9/3 - Franchise Appreciation Day
9/5 - International Day of Charity
9/5 - Labor Day
9/12 - National Day of Encouragement
9/15-9/15 - National Hispanic Heritage Month
9/11-9/17 - Environmental Services Week/National Truck Driver Appreciation Week/National Security Officer Appreciation Week
9/13 - International Programmers’ Day
9/16 - Working Parents Day
9/20 - IT Professionals Day
9/21 - World Gratitude Day
9/22 - American Business Women’s Day/Autumn Solstice
9/25 - National Cooking Day
9/26 - Family Health and Fitness Day
9/29 - World Heart Day
9/30 - National Love People Day

October
10/1-10/31 - Emotional Intelligence Awareness Month/Diversity Awareness Month/Disability Employment Awareness Month/Breast Cancer Awareness Month
10/3-10/7 - Customer Service Week
10/16 - Boss’s Day
10/17-10/21 - Medical Assistants Recognition Week
10/18 - Pharmacy Technician Day
10/19 - Medical Assistants Recognition Day
10/31 - Halloween
11/1-11/30 - National Gratitude Month/Native American Heritage Month
11/11 - Veterans Day
11/7-11/13 - National Nurse Practitioner Week
11/13 - World Kindness Day
11/16 - International Day for Tolerance
11/17 - Great American Smokeout
11/24 - Thanksgiving
11/25 - Black Friday
11/28 - Cyber Monday
11/29 - Giving Tuesday

November
12/1-12/31 - National Human Rights Month
12/1 - World AIDS Day
12/5 - International Volunteer Day
12/12 - Green Monday
12/15 - National Cupcake Day
12/16 - National Ugly Sweater Day
12/18-12/26 - Hanukkah
12/21 - Winter Solstice
12/25 - Christmas Day
12/26-1/1 - Kwanzaa
12/31 - New Year’s Eve

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