



## International Women's Day

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**International Women's Day** is an annual celebration observed on **8<sup>th</sup> March** every year, dedicated to honouring the achievements of women and advocating for **gender equality** worldwide.

- This global event serves as a reminder of the progress made towards women's rights and the ongoing challenges that women still face in many aspects of life.
- The celebration's origin lies in the [labour movements of Europe and North America](#). The first International Women's Day was held in **March 1911**.
  - It was celebrated for the first time by the **United Nations** in 1975.
- **Theme 2024: Inspire Inclusion**

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