

《为什么要过儿童节？》

导读:6月1日是儿童节，但是你知道吗，全世界居然有很多儿童节，时间也各不相同！



Every year, Children's Day is celebrated with great enthusiasm in different countries of the world and at different dates. In fact, there are so many days dedicated to children that at times, it gets confusing when "Children's Day" is actually held. So we have done a little bit of research and here we bring you the fascinating histories of the most commonly observed "Children's Day"s across the world.

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Universal Children's Day

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Universal Children's Day is observed every year on the 20th of November. It was in 1954 when, to protect children from having to work long hours in unsafe conditions; allowing all children to have access to learning; and to work towards achieving many other rights for children, the UN General Assembly recommended that all countries should establish a Universal Children's Day on an "appropriate" day. On November 20, 1959, the United Nations adopted

the Declaration of the Rights of the Child spelling out specific rights to which all children should be entitled. And from this time, Children's Day began to be celebrated on 20th November of every year.

1954年11月20日，联合国大会通过了《儿童权利宣言》，其中明确规定了所有儿童应享有的权利。从那时起，每年的11月20日被定为国际儿童日。

International Children's Day

2000年

International Children's Day is celebrated every year in the second Sunday in December. This is a joint initiative between UNICEF and the International Academy of Television Arts and Sciences. It's a day when special programmes are broadcasted for kids. The occasion is said to have originated in Turkey on April 23, 1920 and later in the 'World Conference for the Well Being of Children', held in Geneva, Switzerland in 1925. After the conference, governments around the world decided to specify a day as Children's Day to draw attention to children's issues. Many countries, including the Soviet Union, chose June 1. And from this time, International children's day is celebrated on the 1st of June each year.

1920年4月23日，土耳其在伊斯坦布尔举行了世界儿童大会，这是国际儿童节的起源。1925年，在日内瓦举行的世界儿童福利大会后，各国政府决定指定一天为儿童节，以引起人们对儿童问题的关注。许多国家，包括苏联，选择了6月1日。从那时起，国际儿童节在每年的6月1日庆祝。

World Children's Day

3000年

World Children's Day is always annually observed on the 20th of November. This is a day McDonald's uses as a fundraiser for Ronald McDonald House Charities. It was on November 20th, 2002, when World Children's Day was first held officially. The occasion is celebrated every year in honour of children of the world and also as an annual global fundraiser to benefit branches of Ronald McDonald House Charities around the world. Today, World Children's Day is celebrated in more than 100 countries.

2002年11月20日，世界儿童日首次正式举行。这一天是麦当劳为罗纳德麦当劳之家慈善机构筹款的日子。世界儿童日每年在世界各地举行，以纪念全世界的儿童，同时也是为世界各地的罗纳德麦当劳之家慈善机构分支机构筹款的一年一度的全球筹款活动。今天，世界儿童日在100多个国家庆祝。

Children's Day in Japan

4000年

In Japan, Children's Day is observed as a national holiday called "Kodomo no Hi" and is celebrated annually on May 5th. Kodomo no Hi meaning "Children's Day" is a part of the Japanese Golden Week festival and is held in honour of children and to celebrate their happiness. It was in 1948 that the Japanese government declared Children's Day as a National holiday. The day was originally called "Tango no Sekku".

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It was known as Boys' Day and was dedicated in honor of boys while Girls' Day (Hinamatsuri) was celebrated on March 3. But in 1948, the government decreed this day to be a national holiday to celebrate the happiness of all children and to express gratitude toward mothers. It was renamed Kodomo no Hi. Children's Day in Japan is a festive day to celebrate the life of children. The holiday is believed to have started in China where the people would hang medicinal herbs to ward off childhood diseases. In Japan it is often celebrated by giving children kites and hanging streamers.

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