



Black History Month 2024: Links to Articles and Events

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From UNISON

Black members equality

<https://www.unison.org.uk/about/what-we-do/fairness-equality/black-members/>

About Black History Month

<https://www.unison.org.uk/about/what-we-do/fairness-equality/black-members/black-history-month-and-the-history-of-black-trade-unionism/>

Defining Black

<https://www.unison.org.uk/about/what-we-do/fairness-equality/black-members/defining-black/>

UNISON's Year of Black Workers Toolkit (from 2023):

<https://www.unison.org.uk/content/uploads/2023/06/2023-Year-of-Black-Workers-Toolkit.pdf>

From UNISON Leicestershire Branch:

Information, links and resources, about UNISON's Year of Black Workers (2023), Black History Month, and getting more involved.

<https://unisonleics.org.uk/black-members/>

From the official Black History Month Website:

Information about this year's theme:

"Join us...as we embrace the theme Reclaiming Narratives. It's time to take control of our stories, celebrate our heritage, and ensure our voices are heard. Discover how you can get involved and make a lasting impact on how Black history is told and taught...."

<https://www.blackhistorymonth.org.uk/article/section/bhm-intros/reclaiming-narratives-the-inspiring-theme-for-black-history-month-2024-2/>

Events in Leicester:

Various events:

<https://www.blackhistorymonth.org.uk/listings/region/east-midlands/leicester/>

Events listed by genre:

<https://www.visitleicester.info/ideas-and-inspiration/blogs/read/2024/09/black-history-month-in-leicester-2024-b419>

2 Funky Arts - History of Black Music Record Shops England:

Documentary Film to be screened at 7.15pm, 31 October, Phoenix Cinema & Arts Centre
More information:

<https://2funkyarts.co.uk/portfolio/the-record-store/>

Tickets available here

<https://www.phoenix.org.uk/whats-on/programme/the-record-store-black-music-englands-tastemakers/>

From Serendipity - Institute For Black Arts And Heritage:

Various events:

https://www.serendipity-uk.com/events/list/?tribe_eventcategory%5B0%5D=50

From Leicestershire Live:

Various events:

<https://www.leicestermercury.co.uk/whats-on/whats-on-news/black-history-trailblazers-showcased-unique-9593249>

From Organisations in Leicester and Leicestershire:

Voluntary Action Leicester (includes resources and recommended reading):

<https://valonline.org.uk/black-history-month-2024/>

Family Hubs Leicestershire (includes useful links and presentations):

<https://www.familyhubsleicestershire.org.uk/hot-topics/celebrating-black-history-month-2024>

Leicestershire & Rutland County FA (includes a video from England Football Learning):

<https://www.leicestershirefa.com/news/2024/oct/01/lrcfa-black-history-month-2024>

The University of Leicester:

<https://le.ac.uk/black-history-month>

De Montfort University:

<https://www.dmu.ac.uk/events/bhm/index.aspx>

Television

ITV:

<https://www.itv.com/presscentre/media-releases/itv-confirms-fresh-cuts-marking-black-history-month-2023#:~:text=ITV%20today%20confirmed%20feature%2Ddocumentaries,part%20Black%20History%20Month%20programming.>

BBC: A collection of programmes exploring b(B)lack history and culture.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/group/p070rtws>

CBBC:

Celebrate Black History Month 2024 with clips, quizzes and stories from across CBBC. Find out more about b(B)lack history and why Black History Month is important.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/curations/black-history-month>

Channel 4:

<https://www.channel4.com/collection/black-and-proud>