



16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based
Violence (Nov 25)

National Day of Remembrance and Action
on Violence Against Women (Dec 6)

16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based Violence

The Global 16 Days Campaign, launched by the Center for Women's Global Leadership Center (CWGL) at its first Women's Global Leadership Institute in 1991, has been used worldwide to call for the elimination of gender-based violence (GBV). It is run annually from November 25 (International Day Against Violence Against Women) to December 10 (International Human Rights Day). In 2018, a multi-year theme focusing on ending GBV and harassment in the world of work was announced by CWGL to coincide with the adoption of a historic new International Labour Organization Convention with the same focus.

In 2020, the Campaign increased its efforts to amplify the voices of women workers in the informal economy while continuing to call for the ratification of ILO Convention 190 and to end all forms of GBV in private and public spaces. In 2021, the Campaign will focus on Domestic Violence in the world of work.

This year marks the 30th anniversary of the Global 16 Days Campaign. To commemorate the anniversary, the Campaign will have an additional special theme focusing on femicide.

<https://www.unwomen.org/en/what-we-do/ending-violence-against-women/take-action/16-days-of-activism>

<https://16dayscampaign.org/>



December 6 is the National Day of Remembrance
and Action on Violence Against Women in Canada.
This day marks the anniversary of the murders in 1989 of
14 young women at l'Ecole Polytechnique de Montréal.
They died because they were women.

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National Day of Remembrance and Action On Violence Against Women

Geneviève Bergeron

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This day is a nationally recognized day that originally began to honour the 14 female engineering students whose lives ended in an act of gender-based violence in Montreal that shocked the nation.

National Day of Remembrance and Action On Violence Against Women

The National Day of Remembrance and Action on Violence Against Women provides Canadians an opportunity to reflect on the violence that many of our mothers, sisters, aunts, nieces, daughters, and friends face on a regular basis.

We also commemorate the missing and murdered Indigenous women, Trans women and all women in Canada and throughout the world whose lives have been harmed or lost to gender-based violence.



Status of Women
Canada

Condition féminine
Canada

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YOUR
#ACTIVIST

THE **16 DAYS OF**
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NOVEMBER 25-DECEMBER 10

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WHITE RIBBON CAMPAIGN

-Digital-

Traditionally, D13 has handed out white ribbons for all staff to wear on Dec 6th however COVID has prevented us from doing so the past couple of years.

Instead, we are encouraging ALL staff to place digital white ribbons on their power points and any handouts used for the day.



MALE IDENTIFIED PLEDGE

-Calling all D13 Allies Into Action-

A true “Ally” is someone willing to step-up to this violence in action. “Ally” can be a verb... to take action! The strongest ally to women are men. MEN can end the violence women face so frequently in our society.

We are asking all male identified staff to step forward as an ally – making a commitment to end all forms of violence against women and children. D13 male staff are encouraged to take the time to run a “Male Pledge” activity in their schools!

**I swear
never to commit, excuse
or remain silent about
violence against women.
This is my oath.**



Signatures:

White Ribbon Campaign





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