

International Pronouns Day - October 2024

International Pronouns Day, observed annually on the third Wednesday of October, is a global initiative dedicated to raising awareness about the importance of respecting, sharing, and honoring individuals' pronouns. Established in 2018, the day aims to promote inclusivity, diversity, and respect for gender identity by acknowledging the significance of using correct pronouns for all individuals, regardless of their gender expression or identity. International Pronouns Day encourages dialogue, education, and advocacy to create more inclusive environments where people feel affirmed and respected in their gender identities. It serves as a reminder of the power of language in affirming and validating individuals' identities and experiences.

HOW CAN WE CELEBRATE?

- Add your pronouns to your **email signature, business cards, and social media**
- **Respect** the pronouns of others
- Use **gender inclusive language** when pronouns are unknown (they/them/thiers)
- **Visit www.pronouns.org for resources on:**
 - Using correct pronouns
 - Importance of pronouns
 - Sharing pronouns
 - If someone makes a mistake
 - Gender inclusive language