



## Korean American Day - January 13, 2025

Korean American Day, celebrated on January 13th in the U.S., commemorating the arrival of the first Korean immigrants to the country in 1903. This occasion recognizes the significant impact and accomplishments of Korean Americans across different aspects of American life. It highlights the enduring spirit and cultural diversity of the Korean American community, emphasizing their contributions to shaping the nation's social and economic landscape. Through a range of events and initiatives, Korean American Day promotes awareness and appreciation for the rich heritage and achievements of Korean Americans within American society.

## **HOW CAN WE CELEBRATE?**

- Cook traditional Korean food such as kimchi, bibimap, or bulgogi
- Watch/listen/read stories from Korean Americans:
  - Podcast: K-Pod by Catherine Hong and Juliana Sohn
  - Book: Crying in H-Mart by Michelle Zauner
  - Book: Clay Walls by Kim Ronyoung
- Visit www.koreanamericanstory.org to learn more about Korean culture and www.bit.ly/3QlpdF3
  to learn about the history of Korean immigration to America

