

Women's History Month 2024

*To honour achievements of women
(week 1)*

- Montessori: Italian physician, educator, philosopher of education, writer of scientific pedagogy
- Martens: Dutch professional football player, Golden Women award (2021), Best player in the World (2017)



Maria Montessori
1870 – 1952



Lieke E.P. Martens
1992 –

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- Wright: American oncologist, pioneer in clinical cancer chemotherapy
- Ono: Japanese multimedia artist, songwriter and peace activist



Jane Cooke Wright
1919 – 2013



Yoko Ono
1933 –

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To honour achievements of women
(week 2)

- Margulis: American biologist, developed endosymbiotic theory on the origin of eukaryotes
- Halsema: Dutch politician and filmmaker, first female Mayor of Amsterdam



Lynn Margulis
1938 – 2011



Femke Halsema
1966 –

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(week 2)*

- Jordon: American, first dentist to specialise in pediatric dentistry
- Achidie: Nigerian writer and feminist, holds eighteen Honorary doctorate degrees



Minnie Evangeline Jordon
1865 – 1952



Chimamanda Ngozi
Adichie 1977 –

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To honour achievements of women
(week 3)

- Blok: Dutch, first female operational F16 pilot in the World
- Sirleaf: Liberian, first female African elected president, Nobel Peace Prize



Manja Blok
1964 –



Ellen Johnson Sirleaf
1938 –

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- Lamarr: American actress and inventor, pioneered the basic technology for WiFi, GPS, Bluetooth
- Kusama: Japanese contemporary artist know for extensive use of polka dots and her infinite rooms



Hedy Lamarr
1914 – 2000



Yayoi Kusama
1929 –

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*To honour achievements of women
(week 4)*

- Westwood: British pioneer of modern punk and new wave fashion, designer and businesswomen
- Tsukamoto: Asian American scientist, inventor of human stem cell isolation



Vivian Westwood
1941 - 2022



Ann Tsukamoto
1952 –

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*To honour achievements of women
(week 4)*

- Eche-Chenna: Moroccan social and women's rights activist, Opus Prize winner
- Van Moorsel: Dutch racing cyclist, changed women cycling, 4 gold Olympic Games medals



Aïcha Eche-Chenna
1941 – 2022



Leontien van Moorsel
1970 -