

Astronomy Calendar

AUTUMN 2021

DAY	TIME	EVENTS
MARCH 2021		
02	18:17	Moon Perigee (365,400 km)
05	12:58	Asteroid Vesta at Opposition (mag 6.2)
05	18:54	Mercury close to Jupiter (0.3°)
06	14:30	☾ LAST QUARTER
06	22:58	Mercury Greatest Elongation (27.3° W)
11	12:52	Neptune at solar conjunction
13	23:21	☽ NEW MOON
14	15:00	Mercury at Aphelion (0.4667 AU)
18	18:04	Moon Apogee (405,300 km)
20	07:47	Mars close to Moon (1.9°)
20	22:30	AUTUMN EQUINOX (Southern Hemisphere)
22	03:40	☽ FIRST QUARTER
26	20:30	Venus at Superior Conjunction
29	07:48	☀ FULL MOON
30	19:12	Moon Perigee (360,300 km)
APRIL 2021		
04	03:00	Daylight Saving ends
04	22:02	☾ LAST QUARTER
07	23:24	Ceres at Solar Conjunction
12	14:31	☽ NEW MOON
15	05:47	Moon Apogee (406,100 km)
18	00:09	Moon close to Mars (0.1°)
19	13:56	Mercury at Superior Conjunction
20	18:59	☽ FIRST QUARTER
22		Meteor Shower (Lyrids)
23		Meteor Shower (♁-Puppids)
27	13:48	Mercury at Perihelion (0.3075 AU)
27	15:31	☀ FULL MOON (SUPER FULL MOON)
28	03:24	Moon Perigee (357,400 km)
MAY 2021		
01	07:44	Uranus at solar conjunction
04	07:50	☾ LAST QUARTER
06		Meteor Shower (Eta Aquarids)
12	07:00	☽ NEW MOON
12	09:54	Moon Apogee (406,500 km)
16	16:51	Moon close to Mars (1.6°)
17	20:14	Mercury Greatest Elongation (22° E)
20	07:13	☽ FIRST QUARTER
23	21:36	Saturn enters retrograde motion
26	13:49	Moon Perigee (357,300 km)
26	23:14	☀ FULL MOON (SUPER FULL MOON)
26	23:19	Total Lunar Eclipse (21:45 to 00:52)
29	17:34	Mercury close to Venus (0.4°)