

# HOW TO WRITE AND SAY DATES IN ENGLISH

Name: ..... Date: ..... Class: .....



DAY + MONTH + YEAR

BRITISH ENGLISH



You write:

14th September 1971



You say:

The fourteenth of September of  
nineteen seventy-one

DAYS are always  
said in ORDINAL

numbers:

1<sup>st</sup> (first)

2<sup>nd</sup> (second)

3<sup>rd</sup> (third)

4<sup>th</sup> (fourth)

5<sup>th</sup> (fifth)

6<sup>th</sup> (sixth)

7<sup>th</sup> (seventh)

20<sup>th</sup> (twentieth)

21<sup>st</sup> (twenty-first)

8<sup>th</sup> (eighth)

12<sup>th</sup> (twelfth)

30<sup>th</sup> (thirtieth)

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MONTHS always

start with a

CAPITAL letter:

January April

February May July

March June August

September October

November December

YEARS are usually

divided in two

parts:

You write:

1984

You say:

Nineteen eighty-four

From 2000 to 2010

we normally say:

Two thousand and one

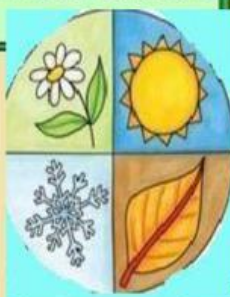
Two thousand and two

Complete the charts.

Write the words in the correct order.

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SUNDAY ★ MARCH ★ SPRING ★ THURSDAY ★ JULY  
SATURDAY ★ NOVEMBER ★ JUNE ★ APRIL ★ FRIDAY  
JANUARY ★ FEBRUARY ★ AUTUMN ★ OCTOBER  
SEPTEMBER ★ AUGUST ★ SUMMER ★ DECEMBER  
MONDAY ★ MAY ★ WINTER ★ WEDNESDAY ★ TUESDAY

1. what's the first month of the year?.....
2. What's the fifth day of the week?.....
3. What day comes after Monday?.....
4. What day comes before Sunday? .....
5. Which months finish in ber? .....
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6. What month comes before October? .....
7. What month comes after May?.....
8. What season begins in June? .....
9. What season is in November? .....

10. What day is it today? \_\_\_\_\_
11. What day is it tomorrow? \_\_\_\_\_
12. What day was it yesterday? \_\_\_\_\_

**Can you colour the days in yellow and the months in red?**

|           |          |          |           |
|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Sunday    | July     | April    | Saturday  |
| October   | August   | Thursday | June      |
| Friday    | December | May      | Wednesday |
| September | Monday   | February | November  |
| January   | Tuesday  | March    | Monday    |

**Complete the lists logically!**

Monday, \_\_\_\_\_, Wednesday, \_\_\_\_\_, Friday.

Thursday, \_\_\_\_\_, Saturday, \_\_\_\_\_.

December, \_\_\_\_\_, February, \_\_\_\_\_, April.