

## GREAT IDEAS FOR MAY

### GENERAL MONTHLY LESSON PLANS

<http://www.atozteacherstuff.com/Themes/ Months of the Year/ 5 May/index.shtml>



CLEAN AIR MONTH

<http://www.cdc.gov/features/cleanairmonth/>

NATIONAL MILITARY APPRECIATION MONTH

<http://www.nmam.org/>

NATIONAL BIKE MONTH

<http://www.bikeleague.org/programs/bikemonth/>

### GREAT DAYS IN MAY

**Don't forget to check out the Birthdays for April for additional activities!**

MOTHER GOOSE DAY

MAY 1<sup>ST</sup>

<http://www.librarysupport.net/mothergoosesociety/>

BIRD DAY

MAY 4<sup>TH</sup>

<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/today/may04.html>

**We also encourage you to contact KEDT to schedule a presentation by Beth "the Bird Lady"**

MOTHER'S DAY

2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN MAY

<http://www.mothersdaycentral.com/>

ARMED FORCES DAY

3<sup>RD</sup> SATURDAY IN MAY

<http://www.armedforcesday.net/>

MEMORIAL DAY

LAST MONDAY IN MAY

<http://www.usmemorialday.org/>

## GREAT MAY BIRTHDAYS

- Orson Welles, "War of the Worlds" Born May 6, 1915

<http://school.discoveryeducation.com/lessonplans/programs/warofworlds/>

- Robert E. Peary, Arctic explorer, Born May 6, 1856

<http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/ice/index.html>

- Peter Tchaikovsky, composer Born May 7, 1840

<http://mjthom.iweb.bsu.edu/eportfolio/mused351/listeninglessonplan.htm>

- Henry Dunant, founder of the Red Cross Born May 8, 1828

[http://www.cssd11.k12.co.us/bristol/Bristol\\_Wall/1910/front\\_1910\\_redcross.htm](http://www.cssd11.k12.co.us/bristol/Bristol_Wall/1910/front_1910_redcross.htm)

- Harry S. Truman Born May 8, 1884

<http://www.whitehouse.gov/about/presidents/harrystruman/>

- L. Frank Baum, children's author Born May 15, 1856

<http://baum.thefreelibrary.com/>

- Pope John Paul II Born May 18, 1920

<http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/pages/frontline/shows/pope/>

- Malcolm X (Little) Born May 19, 1925

<http://school.discoveryeducation.com/lessonplans/programs/malcolmX/>

- Ralph Waldo Emerson Born May 25, 1803

<http://www.webenglishteacher.com/emerson.html>

- Sally Ride, astronaut Born May 26, 1951

<http://quest.arc.nasa.gov/people/bios/women/sr.html>

- John F. Kennedy, Born May 29, 1917

<http://www.whitehouse.gov/about/presidents/johnfkennedy/>