



NATIONAL STEPHEN LAWRENCE DAY, 22 APRIL

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National Stephen Lawrence Day

The 22 April is marked officially in the British calendar as Stephen Lawrence Day.

“A day for everyone with a cause which deserves justice and a day of celebration of what we have achieved across that year and what we are going to achieve in the future.”

Baroness Doreen Lawrence of Clarendon, OBE and Founder of The Stephen Lawrence Day Foundation

The Stephen Lawrence Day Foundation and the Stephen Lawrence Research Centre have partnered with The Reading Agency and Libraries Connected to deliver the Easter Reading Challenge supported by bespoke online resources to mark the day.

About the Stephen Lawrence Research Centre

The Stephen Lawrence Research Centre at De Montfort University began with the loan of archival materials by former DMU Chancellor Baroness Doreen Lawrence that document the history of the Lawrence family's fight for justice in the wake of their son's tragic murder. The Centre has a mission to extend the legacy of Stephen Lawrence and create impact on a local, national and global scale by being a hub of innovative, world-leading research. We create intergenerational research communities that engage academics, students and the general public in debating critical issues, generating ideas and raising awareness to shape and influence how we think about race and social justice in contemporary society.

Research Target Areas

- Histories and cultures of Black, Asian and racially minoritised peoples in the UK
- The concept and practice of institutional racism
- Denials of justice
- The social psychology of racial violence
- Racial literacy and transformative education

To learn more about our work and to get involved, you can find us at:
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