

Mandated events

This is a summary list of high-level and commemorative meetings, events, informal dialogues and briefings mandated by the General Assembly for the 78th session of the General Assembly and beyond, as well as some of the relevant United Nations Conferences. Further details on each mandate can be found in the listed resolutions.

Meetings mandated for the seventy-eighth session of the General Assembly

18-19 September 2023	SDG Summit - Two-day high-level political forum on sustainable development under the auspices of the General Assembly (A/Res/67/290) – every four years
19-24, 26 September 2023	General debate (A/Res/57/301) ¹
20 September 2023	High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development, (A/Res/69/313) – every four years
20 September 2023	High-level Meeting on pandemic prevention, preparedness and response (A/Res/77/275)
21 September 2023 tbc	Preparatory ministerial meeting for the Summit of the Future (A/Res/76/307)
21 September 2023	High-level Meeting on universal health coverage (A/Res/74/2 and A/Res/75/315)
22 September 2023	High-level meeting on the fight against tuberculosis (A/Res/77/274)
26 September 2023	High-level plenary to commemorate and promote the International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons (A/Res/77/47) ¹
7 December 2023	Half-day thematic event to provide substantive input to the third UN Conference on Landlocked Developing States, with ECOSOC (A/Res/77/246)
12 March 2024	Informal briefing on the Group of 20 (A/Res/71/327) ¹
21 March 2024	Commemorative meeting for the International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination ² (A/Res/78/234)
25 March 2024	Commemorative meeting to mark the International Day of Remembrance of the Victims of Slavery and the Transatlantic Slave Trade (A/Res/70/7) ¹
16 April 2024	High-level thematic event on tourism (A/Res/77/178)

¹ Mandated to reoccur annually

² Mandated by annual resolutions of the General Assembly.

17 April 2024	Half-day high-level meeting to promote sustainable transport cooperation (A/Res/77/286)
17 April 2024	High-level event to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the adoption of the outcome document of the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples (A/Res/78/189)
18 April 2024	Informal dialogue on building global resilience and promoting sustainable development through infrastructure connectivity (A/Res/77/282)
19 April 2024	Global stocktaking marking the completion of the United Nations Decade of Sustainable Energy for All (2014–2024) (A/Res/77/170)
26 April 2024	Informal interactive dialogue on commodity markets to review world commodity trends and prospects (A/Res/78/138)
30 April 2024	One-day thematic event to address the socioeconomic and environmental impacts of the 2023/24 El Niño phenomenon (A/Res/78/152)
22 May 2024	High-level panel on the theme “Public accessibility and inclusivity: developing strategic initiatives to raise awareness on the role and work of Ombudsman and mediator institutions in the promotion and protection of human rights, good governance and the rule of law” (A/Res/77/224)
8 May 2024	Informal interactive dialogue with the candidates for the position of President of the General Assembly (A/Res/71/323) ¹
17 May 2024	Pledging Conference for Development Activities (A/Res/45/125 and decision 75/511B) ¹
5 June 2024	High-level debate on the theme “Crime prevention and sustainable development” through sports” (A/Res/78/229)
2 July 2024	One-day preparatory meeting for the 2025 Oceans Conference (A/Res/78/128)
15 July 2024	Informal commemorative meeting for Nelson Mandela International Day (A/Res/64/13) ³
2 August 2024	High-Level Forum on a Culture of Peace (A/78/277) ²

³ Commemorated annually

4 September 2024	High-level plenary meeting to commemorate and promote the International Day against Nuclear Tests (A/Res/72/51) ⁴
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Meetings mandated for the seventy-ninth and later sessions of the General Assembly

22-23 September 2024	Summit of the Future (A/Res/76/307)
25 September 2024	High-level meeting on addressing the existential threats posed by sea-level rise
26 September 2024	High-level meeting on antimicrobial resistance (A/Res/78/269)
26 September 2024	High-level plenary to commemorate and promote the International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons (A/Res/78/27) ⁴
Second half 2024	Plenary meeting on the implementation of the Global Compact (A/Res/76/266)
During 79 th Session	Informal biennial meeting, including an SG briefing and dialogue, on missing persons (A/Res/77/220)
During 79 th Session	High-level interactive dialogue on culture and sustainable development (A/Res/78/161)
During 79 th Session	Meeting to discuss the structural barriers for middle-income countries in the implementation of the 2030 Agenda (A/Res/78/162)
During 79 th session	High-level meeting on sand and dust storms (A/Res/78/158)
During 79 th session	High-level debate on the theme “A second chance: addressing the global prison challenge” (A/Res/78/229)
September 2025	High-level meeting to commemorate the thirtieth anniversary of the World Programme of Action for Youth (A/Res/76/137)
September 2025	World Social Summit (A/Res/76/6)
September 2025	High-level meeting to celebrate the thirtieth anniversary of the Fourth World Conference on Women (A/Res/78/182)

⁴ Mandated to reoccur annually

By end 2025	High-level meeting on the overall review of the implementation of the outcomes of the World Summit on the Information Society (A/Res/70/125)
During 2025	One-day high-level interactive dialogue on the social, economic and environmental determinants of health (A/Res/78/280)
By end 2025 (80 th GA)	High-level meeting of the General Assembly on the progress achieved in the implementation of the Global Plan of Action on Trafficking in Persons (A/Res/76/186)
By end 2025	High-level meeting on non-communicable diseases (A/Res/73/2)
During 80 th Session	Meeting on science, technology and innovation for development (A/Res/78/160)
2026 (end of 80 th session)	High level meeting on HIV/AIDS (A/Res/77/284)
2026	High-level meeting on pandemic prevention, preparedness and response (A/Res/78/3)
2027	High-level meeting on universal health coverage (A/Res/78/4)
2028	High-level meeting on tuberculosis (A/Res/78/5)

Mandated United Nations Conferences⁵ and other meetings

27-30 May 2024	Fourth International Conference on Small Island Developing States, Antigua and Barbuda (A/RES/76/203)
10-13 December 2024	Third United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries, Botswana (A/Res/78/315)
9-13 June 2025	United Nations Conference to Support the Implementation of Sustainable Development Goal 14: Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources for sustainable development, France (A/Res/78/128)
30 June-3 July 2025	Fourth International Conference on Financing for Development, Spain (A/Res/78/271)
2026	United Nations Water Conference to Accelerate the Implementation of Sustainable Development Goal 6 (A/Res/77/334)

⁵ See the calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations, submitted by the Committee on Conferences and approved by the General Assembly, for more. <https://conf.un.org>.