

LGBT+ History Month 2021: Messages to the LGBTQ+ community

February is celebrated as LGBT+ History Month to remind us of the journey towards LGBT+ rights, past and present. The theme of this year's history month is mind, body and spirit. This event will be an **opportunity for everybody to display your message for the LGBTQ+ Community on flags.**

These flags can be made from **fabric, paper or digital.** You can write your phrase on fabric and then embroider it (QR code below for 'how to' video) or draw and paint on paper or create your flag digitally.

To embroider your message, write it onto the fabric (in pen or chalk) and trace it with back stitching. You can also join our **live stitch along February 10th at 7pm organized by SBArtSoc** or scan the first QR code for an instructional video. Alternatively you can draw/paint/collage on paper or create your flag digitally.

Examples of messages could include "no place for hate", "hope" and "unity".

If you are based on SB campus, we have a number of free embroidery packs with fabric, thread and needle for you to pick up. Please do not make any unnecessary travel!

Please **share your art also on our online LGBT+ history month Padlet** using the second QR code and/or display it on our history boards in the vet school atrium and the Barn (more info on that soon).



↖ Embroidery video link

Some things to think about this LGBT+ History Month...

Why is this month important? What does community mean to you?

If you're looking for some podcasts to listen to this month: Queer Confessions; How to fail: Andrew Scott; Out with Suzi Ruffell

Enjoy!



Padlet gallery link ↗