

KALENDARIVM ROMANVM

| | <i>Iānuārius</i> | <i>Aprilis</i> | <i>Frēbruārius</i> | <i>Mārtius</i> |
|-----|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| 1. | <i>kalendae</i> | <i>kalendae</i> | <i>kalendae</i> | <i>kalendae</i> |
| 2. | | a.d. IV nōn. | | a.d. VI nōn. |
| 3. | | a.d. III nōn. | | a.d. V nōn. |
| 4. | | prīdiē nōn. | | a.d. IV nōn. |
| 5. | | nōnae | | a.d. III nōn. |
| 6. | | a.d. VIII īd. | | prīdiē nōn. |
| 7. | | a.d. VII īd. | | nōnae |
| 8. | | a.d. VI īd. | | a.d. VIII īd. |
| 9. | | a.d. V īd. | | a.d. VII īd. |
| 10. | | a.d. IV īd. | | a.d. VI īd. |
| 11. | | a.d. III īd. | | a.d. V īd. |
| 12. | | prīdiē īd. | | a.d. IV īd. |
| 13. | īdūs | īdūs | īdūs | a.d. III īd. |
| 14. | a.d. XIX kal. | a.d. XVIII kal. | a.d. XVI kal. | prīdiē īd. |
| 15. | a.d. XVIII kal. | a.d. XVII kal. | a.d. XV kal. | īdūs |
| 16. | a.d. XVII kal. | a.d. XVI kal. | a.d. XIV kal. | a.d. XVII kal. |
| 17. | a.d. XVI kal. | a.d. XV kal. | a.d. XIII kal. | a.d. XVI kal. |
| 18. | a.d. XV kal. | a.d. XIV kal. | a.d. XII kal. | a.d. XV kal. |
| 19. | a.d. XIV kal. | a.d. XIII kal. | a.d. XI kal. | a.d. XIV kal. |
| 20. | a.d. XIII kal. | a.d. XII kal. | a.d. X kal. | a.d. XIII kal. |
| 21. | a.d. XII kal. | a.d. XI kal. | a.d. IX kal. | a.d. XII kal. |
| 22. | a.d. XI kal. | a.d. X kal. | a.d. VIII kal. | a.d. XI kal. |
| 23. | a.d. X kal. | a.d. IX kal. | a.d. VII kal. | a.d. X kal. |
| 24. | a.d. IX kal. | a.d. VIII kal. | a.d. VI kal. | a.d. IX kal. |
| 25. | a.d. VIII kal. | a.d. VII kal. | a.d. V kal. | a.d. VIII kal. |
| 26. | a.d. VII kal. | a.d. VI kal. | a.d. IV kal. | a.d. VII kal. |
| 27. | a.d. VI kal. | a.d. V kal. | a.d. III kal. | a.d. VI kal. |
| 28. | a.d. V kal. | a.d. IV kal. | prīdiē kal. | a.d. V kal. |
| 29. | a.d. IV kal. | a.d. III kal. | Mārtias | a.d. IV kal. |
| 30. | a.d. III kal. | prīdiē kal. | | a.d. III kal. |
| 31. | prīdiē kal. | Māiās | | prīdiē kal. |
| | Februāriās | Iūliās | | Aprilēs |
| | Septembrēs | Octōbrēs | | Iūniās |
| | Iānuāriās | Decembrēs | | Augustās |
| | | | | Novembrēs |

- young lady** adulēsc·ēns -ēntis *f.*
muliēcul·a -ae *f*
- young man** adulēsc·ēns -ēntis *m.*
iūven·is -is *m*
- youngster** adulēscéntul·us -ī *m,*
adulēscéntul·a -ae *f*

youth (age) adulēscénti·a -ae *f* (*between puer and iūvenis, between 15 and 30 years and even beyond*); (*young men collectively*) iuvént·ūs -ūtis *f;* (*young person*) iūven·is -is *mf*

youthful iūvenīl·is -is -e; iūven·is -is -e

THE JULIAN CALENDAR

- ◆ The names of the Roman months are: **Iānuārius, Februārius, Mārtius, Aprīlis, Māius, Iūnus, Iūlius, Augūstus, Septēmber, Octōber, Novēmber, Décember.** The name of the month functions as an adjective in agreement with **Kaléndae, Nōnae, Idūs.** Before Augustus, the months July and August were called **Quintilis** and **Sextilis.** (*Originally the Roman calendar began with March. This explains the names Septēmber, Octōber, etc. In the year 153 B.C., in order to give the new consuls time to organize their armies and reach the latest frontier, the year was made to begin with January.*)
- ◆ The Romans counted backward from three points in the month, Calends (**Kaléndae**), Nones (**Nōnae**), and Ides (**Idūs**), to which the names of the months are added as adjectives: **Kaléndae Iānuāriae, Nōnae Iānuāriae, Idūs Iānuāriae.** The Calends are the first day, the Nones the fifth, and the Ides the thirteenth. In March, May, July, and October the Nones and the Ides are two days later.
- ◆ In counting backward, the Romans used **prīdiē** (+ acc) for “the day before”: **prīdiē Kaléndas Iānuāriae** (= December 31), **prīdiē Nōnae Iānuāriae** (= January 4); **prīdiē Idūs Iānuāriae** (= January 12).

- ◆ Because the Romans, in counting backward, counted both ends of the series, the second day before (by our system of reckoning) was designated as **diē tértiō ante Kaléndas, Nōnae, Idūs.** Similarly, the third day before (by our system of reckoning) was designated as **diē quārtō**, and so on.
- ◆ To complicate matters further, the Romans generally did not say, for example, “the third day before the Calends of January” but “before the third day Calends January,” **ante diem tértiam Kaléndas Iānuāriās**, often abbreviated **a. d. III Kal. Iān.** This was the most common form for indicating dates. Others were:
diē tértiō ante Kaléndas Iānuāriās
tértiō ante Kaléndas Iānuāriās
tértiō (III) Kaléndas Iānuāriās
- ◆ These phrases are treated as nouns and combined with the prepositions **ex** (from), **ad** or **in** (up to), e.g.:
ex ante diem tértium Kaléndas Iānuāriās (from December 30)
ad (or in) ante diem tértium Kaléndas Iānuāriās (up to December 30)
- ◆ In leap years, the 25th was reckoned as the extra day in February. The 24th was called **ante diem VI Kaléndas Mārtiās** and the 25th as **ante diem bis VI Kaléndas Mārtiās**.

| day of the month | January, August, December | February | April, June, September, November | February | February (leap year) |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|
| March, May, July, October | | | | | |
| 1 | Kaléndis | Kaléndis | Kaléndis | Kaléndis | Kaléndis |
| 2 | VI Nōnās | IV Nōnās | IV Nōnās | IV Nōnās | IV Nōnās |
| 3 | V Nōnās | III Nōnās | III Nōnās | III Nōnās | III Nōnās |
| 4 | IV Nōnās | Prīdiē Nōnās | Prīdiē Nōnās | Prīdiē Nōnās | Prīdiē Nōnās |
| 5 | III Nōnās | Nōnīs | Nōnīs | Nōnīs | Nōnīs |
| 6 | Prīdiē Nōnās | VIII Idūs | VIII Idūs | VIII Idūs | VIII Idūs |
| 7 | Nōnīs | VII Idūs | VII Idūs | VII Idūs | VII Idūs |
| 8 | VIII Idūs | VI Idūs | VI Idūs | VI Idūs | VI Idūs |
| 9 | VII Idūs | V Idūs | V Idūs | V Idūs | V Idūs |
| 10 | VI Idūs | IV Idūs | IV Idūs | IV Idūs | IV Idūs |
| 11 | V Idūs | III Idūs | III Idūs | III Idūs | III Idūs |
| 12 | IV Idūs | Prīdiē Idūs | Prīdiē Idūs | Prīdiē Idūs | Prīdiē Idūs |
| 13 | III Idūs | Ídibus | Ídibus | Ídibus | Ídibus |
| 14 | Prīdiē Idūs | XIX Kal. | XVIII Kal. | XVI Kal. | XVI Kal. |
| 15 | Ídibus | XVIII Kal. | XVII Kal. | XV Kal. | XV Kal. |
| 16 | XVII Kal. | XVII Kal. | XVI Kal. | XIV Kal. | XIV Kal. |
| 17 | XVI Kal. | XVI Kal. | XV Kal. | XIII Kal. | XIII Kal. |
| 18 | XV Kal. | XV Kal. | XIV Kal. | XII Kal. | XII Kal. |
| 19 | XIV Kal. | XIV Kal. | XIII Kal. | XI Kal. | XI Kal. |
| 20 | XIII Kal. | XIII Kal. | XII Kal. | X Kal. | X Kal. |
| 21 | XII Kal. | XII Kal. | XI Kal. | IX Kal. | IX Kal. |
| 22 | XI Kal. | XI Kal. | X Kal. | VIII Kal. | VIII Kal. |
| 23 | X Kal. | X Kal. | IX Kal. | VII Kal. | VII Kal. |
| 24 | IX Kal. | IX Kal. | VIII Kal. | VI Kal. | VI Kal. |
| 25 | VIII Kal. | VIII Kal. | VII Kal. | V Kal. | bis VI Kal. |
| 26 | VII Kal. | VII Kal. | VI Kal. | IV Kal. | V Kal. |
| 27 | VI Kal. | VI Kal. | V Kal. | III Kal. | IV Kal. |
| 28 | V Kal. | V Kal. | IV Kal. | Prīdiē Kal. | III Kal. |
| 29 | IV Kal. | IV Kal. | III Kal. | Prīdiē Kal. | Prīdiē Kal. |
| 30 | III Kal. | III Kal. | Prīdiē Kal. | | |
| 31 | Prīdiē Kal. | Prīdiē Kal. | | | |