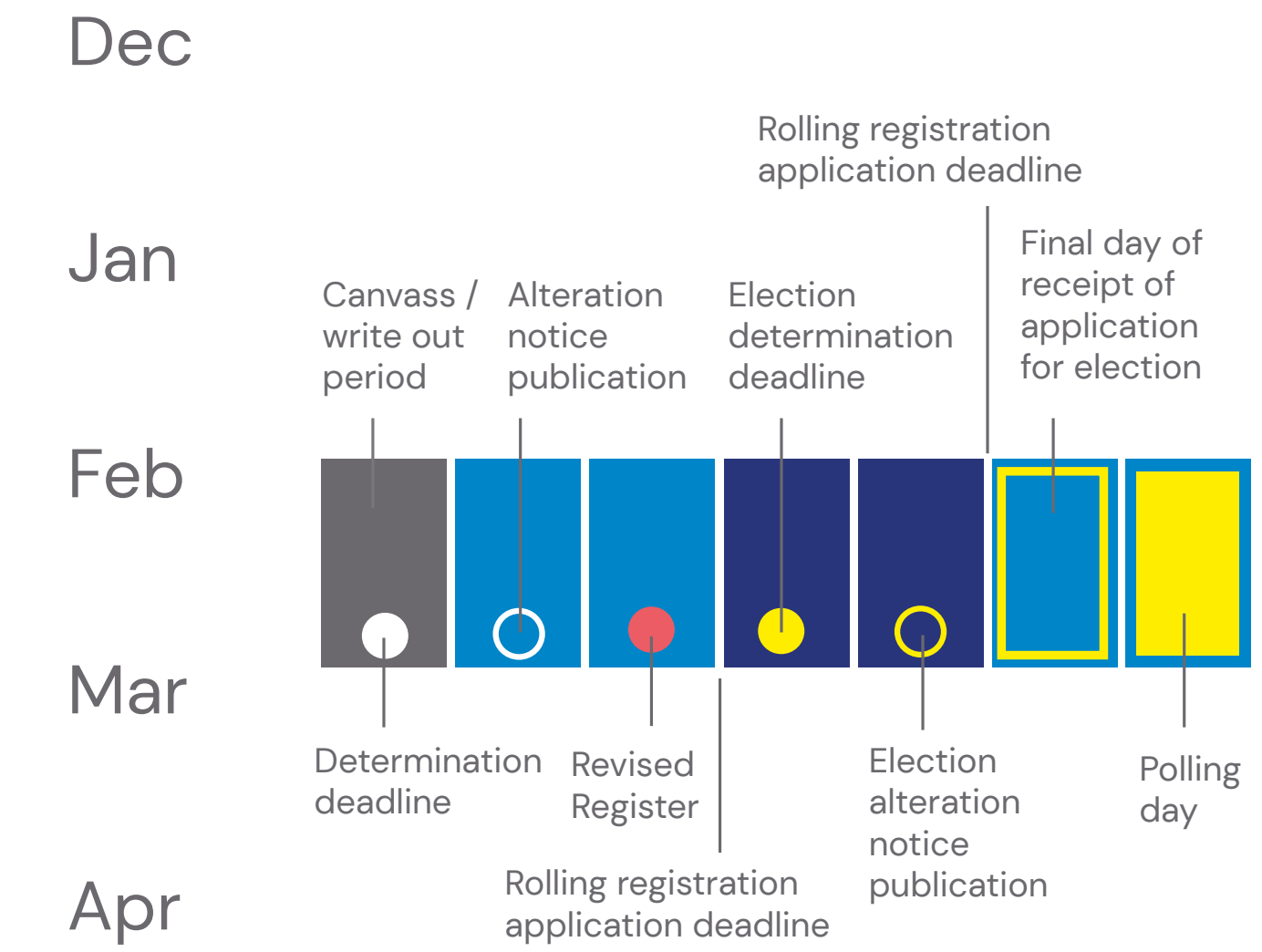
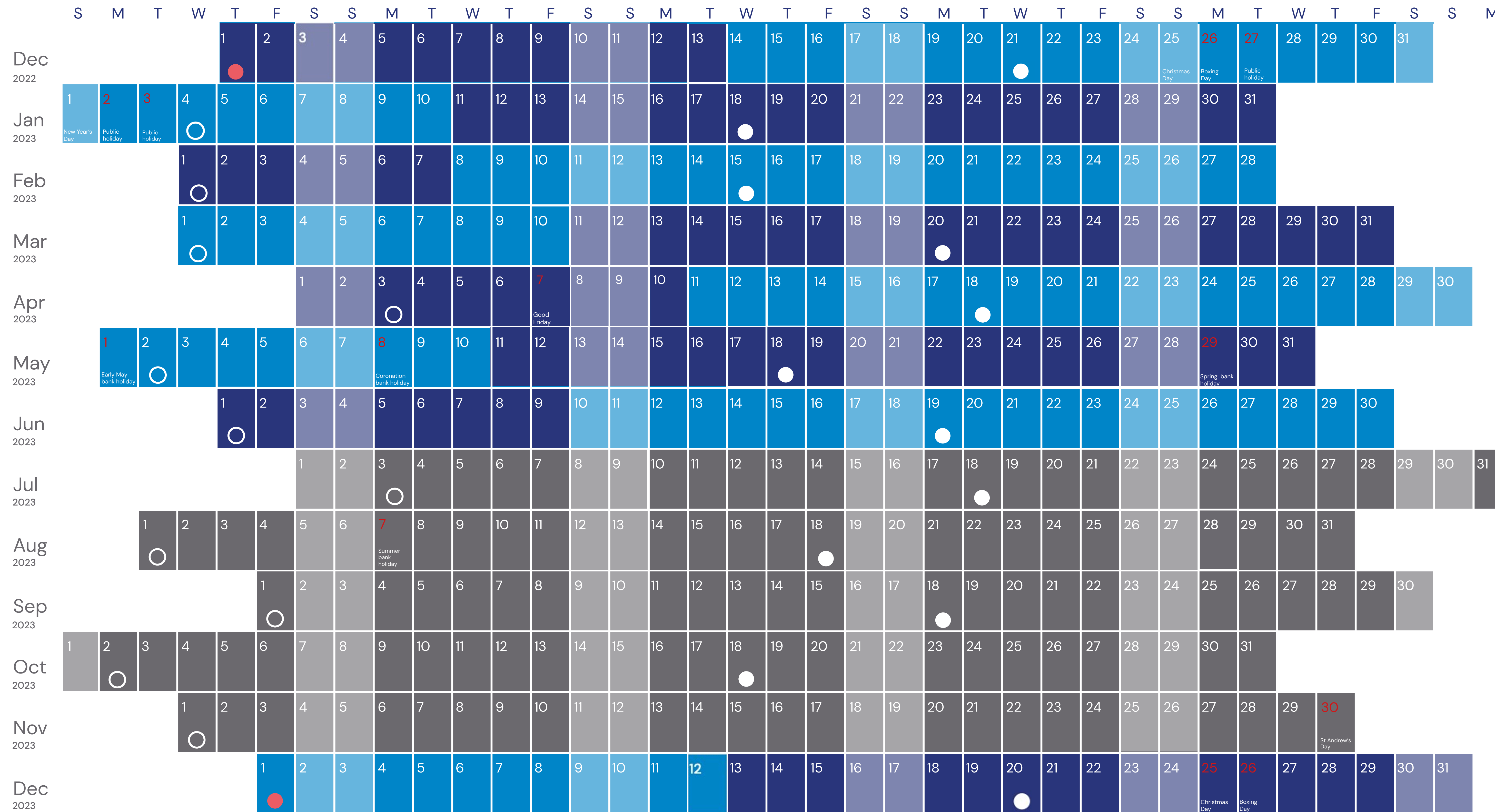


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Turning 16 during this register: 1 Dec 2006 – 30 Nov 2007
 (1 Dec 2022 – 30 Nov 2023)

Turning 16 during the next register: 1 Dec 2007 – 30 Nov 2008
 (1 Dec 2023 – 30 Nov 2024)

Future Elections

Scotland
 4 May 2023
 No scheduled elections

2024/2025
 Next scheduled UK
 parliamentary election – by
 28 January 2025

Special Category Electors*

Franchise	Declaration	Eligible Elections	Duration
F	Overseas	UK Parliamentary and Referenda only	1 year (for up to 15 years after leaving the UK)
E	Overseas Peer of the Realm	Referenda only	1 year (for up to 15 years after leaving the UK)
L	Peer of the Realm	Local only	For duration of registration
M	Foreign National	Scottish Parliament and Local Elections	For duration of registration
-	Local Connection	All	1 year
-	Anonymous	All	1 year
-	Crown Servant	All	1 year
-	Armed Forces (Service Voter)	All	5 years

* The 15-year duration requirement for Overseas Electors is expected to be removed in the second half of 2023 and the renewal period extended to three years

EU Member States

Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg*, Malta, Netherlands, Poland*, Portugal*, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain*, Sweden

* Bilateral agreements in place at time of writing

Overseas Citizens Resident in UK Eligible to Vote in All Elections

British Overseas Territories
 Anguilla, Bermuda, British Antarctic Territory, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, Montserrat, Pitcairn Islands, St Helena, Ascension Island & Tristan Da Cunha, South Georgia & The South Sandwich Islands, Sovereign Base Areas on Cyprus, Turks & Caicos Islands

British Crown Dependencies
 Channel Islands, Isle of Man

Commonwealth Countries
 Antigua & Barbuda, Australia, Bahamas, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belize, Botswana, Brunei Darussalam, Cameroon, Canada, Cyprus, Dominica, Eswatini, Fiji Islands, Ghana, Grenada, Guyana, India, Jamaica, Kenya, Kiribati, Lesotho, Malawi, Malaysia, Maldives, Malta, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Nauru, New Zealand, Nigeria, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Rwanda, Samoa, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Solomon Islands, South Africa, Sri Lanka, St Kitts & Nevis, St Lucia, St Vincent & Grenadines, Tanzania, The Gambia, Tonga, Trinidad & Tobago, Tuvalu, Uganda, United Kingdom, Vanuatu, Zambia, Zimbabwe