

The Star Wars: The Old Republic

Streamlined Galactic Timeline

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The Current Year is 31 ATC || 3622 BBY || 2024
(click the 'View Outline' button on the left)

About the Timeline

In the game's universe, the "Galactic Calendar" was adopted by the Galactic Senate following the events before (BTC) and after (ATC) the Treaty of Coruscant. This calendar system differs from the "[Galactic Standard Calendar \(Legends\)](#)," which is used to reference ALL of *Star Wars*; and is centered around the destruction of the first Death Star at the [Battle of Yavin](#) (BBY/ABY), from *Star Wars: A New Hope*.

Not every character, event, battle, death, birth, victory, or defeat will be mentioned; but relevant sources will be provided for further reading.

There will be conflicts in dates, the order of events, and the time between events; and between different source materials; and between SWTOR and the rest of the *Star Wars* franchise.

Timeline Variations

[Full Timeline](#) with complete sources

[Streamlined Timeline](#) stripped down for readability

[Roleplay Timeline](#) for role players to copy and modify for themselves and their guilds

Sources & Further Reading (ordered by priority)

1. In-Game Codex entries (provided by [Jedipedia](#))
2. *Star Wars: The Old Republic: Encyclopedia*
3. Charles Boyd and his clarifications (former lead writer)
4. The [Official SWTOR website](#)
5. Other books, websites, and material (credited as they appear)
 - a. Special thanks to my Guild and Friends
6. The general consensus that in-game time parallels real-life time

The Quick and Dirty Timeline (formatted for Discord)

Quick and Dirty Timeline

- 28 BTC = First Galactic War begins
- 0 ATC = Treaty of Coruscant
- 10 ATC = Prelude & Act 1 of Origin stories
- 11 ATC = Act 1 ends & Act 2 begins
- 12 ATC = Act 2 ends & Act 3 begins
- 13 ATC (2011) = Act 3 ends, Ilum begins (Second Great Galactic War)
- 14 ATC (2012) = Rakghouls (Kaon FP, Lost Island FP), HK-51 (Section X), Black Hole
- 15 ATC (2013) = Rise of the Hutt Cartel (Makeb), Czerka, Oricon
- 16 ATC (2014) = Tython/Korriban FPs, Manaan, Rakata Prime, Shadow of Revan (Rishi), Yavin
- 17 ATC (2015) = Ziost, KotFE Chapter 1, 5-year occupation begins
- 22 ATC (2015) = 5-year occupation ends, KotFE Chapters 3-8
- 23 ATC (2016) = KotFE Chapters 9-16, KotET, Uprisings
- 24 ATC (2017) = War for Iokath, Crisis on Umbara FP, Traitor Among the Chiss FP (Copero)
- 25 ATC (2018) = Nathema Conspiracy FP, Jedi Under Siege (Ossus)
- 26 ATC (2019) = Dantooine, Onslaught (Onderon, Mek-Sha, Objective Meridian FP)
- 27 ATC (2020) = Echoes of Oblivion, Spirit of Vengeance FP, Secrets of the Enclave FP
- 28 ATC (2021) = 10-year anniversary
- 29 ATC (2022) = Legacy of the Sith (Ruins of Nul FP), return to Manaan, Ruhnuk
- 30 ATC (2023) = Old Wounds (return to Voss, Shrine of Silence FP), Chains in the Dark (return to Ord Mantell)
- 31 ATC (2024) = Desperate Defiance (return to Hutta)

Character older than the current year?

BTC Year = [Age] - [Current Year]

Time Difference = [ATC] + [BTC]

The Galactic Timeline

c. 26,347 BTC || c. 30,000 BBY

- [Rise of the Infinite Empire](#) & [The Infinite Empire Collapses](#)

c. 22,130 BTC || c. 25,783 BBY

- [The Force Wars](#)
- c. 21,447 BTC || c. 25,100 BBY
- [Birth of the Republic](#)
- c. 16,347 BTC || c. 20,000 BBY
- Great Manifest Period
 - [The Alsakan Conflicts](#)
- c. 3347 BTC || c. 7000 BBY
- [The First Great Schism](#)
- c. 3247 BTC || c. 6900 BBY
- [The Second Great Schism](#)
- [The Sith Order Begins](#)
- 1460 BTC || 5113 BBY
- [Tenebrae](#) is born on Medriass
- 1347 BTC || 5000 BBY
- The [Great Hyperspace War](#)
- 1346 BTC || 4999 BBY
- [Rise of the Sith Emperor](#), [The Ritual of Nathema](#)
- 1327 BTC || 4980 BBY
- [Rebirth of the Sith Empire](#) by Master Gnost-Dural
 - [Long Exile](#), [Dromund Kaas](#)
- 347 BTC || 4000 BBY
- The [Exar Kun War](#) by Master Gnost-Dural
- 323 BTC || 3976 BBY
- The [Mandalorian Wars](#) by Master Gnost-Dural
- 307 BTC || 3960 BBY
- The [Battle of Malachor V](#), [Revan and Malak Fall](#)
- 306 BTC || 3959 BBY
- The [Jedi Civil War](#)
- *Star Wars: Knights of the Old Republic*
- 302 BTC || 3955 BBY
- *Star Wars: Knights of the Old Republic II*
- c. 297 BTC || c. 3950 BBY
- [A Return to the Unknown Regions](#)
- 187 BTC || 3840 BBY
- [Bowdaar](#) is born on Kashyyyk
- 54 BTC || 3707 BBY
- [Eckard Lokin](#) is born on Dromund Kaas
- 52 BTC || 3705 BBY
- [Darth Marr](#) is born
- 50 BTC || 3703 BBY

- [Darth Malgus](#) is born (as Veradun) on Dromund Kaas

49 BTC || 3702 BBY

- [Satele Shan](#) is born on Brentaal IV

44 BTC || 3697 BBY

- [Gault Rennow](#) is born on Coruscant

40 BTC || 3693 BBY

- Vivek Eron is born on Corellia

29 BTC || 3682 BBY

- [Fideltin Rusk](#) is born on Chagrian

28 BTC || 3681 BBY

- The **Great War Begins**
 - Also known as the First Galactic War
 - Also known as the Great Galactic War
 - Refer to *SWTOR Encyclopedia* page 19
 - [The Empire's Revenge](#)
- [Return cinematic trailer](#)
 - Refer to *SWTOR Encyclopedia* page 26
- [Onslaught of the Sith Empire](#) by Master Gnost-Dural
 - Refer to [Great Galactic War on Wookieepedia](#) (scroll to the bottom of the page) for an exhaustive list of battles and campaigns

27 BTC || 3680 BBY

- [Malavai Quinn](#) is born on Dromund Kaas

25 BTC || 3678 BBY

- [Zenith](#) is born on Balmorra
- [Andronikos Revel](#) is born on Corellia
- [Skadge](#) is born on Lijuter

23 BTC || 3676 BBY

- [Tanno Vik](#) is born on Nar Shaddaa

22 BTC || 3675 BBY

- Languss "[Guss](#)" Tuno is born on Varn

20 BTC || 3673 BBY

- [Aric Jorgan](#) is born on Rendili
- [Felix Iresso](#) is born on Rehemsa

19 BTC || 3672 BBY

- [Tharan Cedrax](#) is born on Anaxes
- [Kaliyo Djannis](#) is born on Rattatak

18 BTC || 3671 BBY

- The [Battle of Bothawui](#) by Master Gnost-Dural
- [Capturing the Dread Masters](#)
- [Pierce](#) is born on Ziost

17 BTC || 3670 BBY

- The [Battle of Alderaan](#)
 - [Hope cinematic trailer](#)
- The [Invasion of Balmorra](#)
- [Yuun](#) is born on Gand
- Archiban “[Doc](#)” Kimble is born on Ralltiir
- [Akaavi Spar](#) is born on Kamar

16 BTC || 3669 BBY

- [Elara Dorne](#) is born on Dromund Kaas
- [Talos Drellik](#) is born on Dromund Kaas

15 BTC || 3668 BBY

- [Vector Hyllus](#) is born on Jurio

14 BTC || 3667 BBY

- The [Mandalorians](#) return under Mandalore the Lesser

13 BTC || 3666 BBY

- [Raina Temple](#) is born on Dromund Kaas

12 BTC || 3665 BBY

- “[Xalek](#)” is born (as Xivhkalrainik) on Kalee
- [Corso Riggs](#) is born on Ord Mantell

11 BTC || 3664 BBY

- The [Battle of Hoth](#)
- [Vette](#) is born on Ryloth
- [Risha](#) is born aboard the *Mandellian Gambit*

10 BTC || 3663 BBY

- [Kira Carsen](#) is born
- [Nadia Grell](#) is born on Sarkhai
- [Jaesa Willsaam](#) is born on Alderaan

9 BTC || 3662 BBY

- [Ashara Zavros](#) is born on Coruscant
- [Mako](#) is born on Nar Shaddaa

8 BTC || 3661 BBY

- The [Hydian Way](#) is blockaded by Mandalorians

7 BTC || 3660 BBY

- The [Hydian Way](#) blockade is broken
- [Torian Cadera](#) is born on Geonosis

1 BTC || 3654 BBY

- The Battle of Rhen Var

0 BTC || 3653 BBY

- The [Sacking of Coruscant](#)
 - [Deceived cinematic trailer](#)

0 ATC || 3653 BBY

- **The Cold War**
- The [Cold War](#) begins with the [Treaty of Coruscant](#)

1 ATC || 3652 BBY

- The Alderaan Civil War begins
 - The [War for Alderaan's Throne](#)
- The [Rift Alliance](#) is formed
- The [Mandalorian Schism](#)
 - Artus becomes [Mandalore the Vindicated](#)
- [Balmorran Resistance](#)

2 ATC || 3651 BBY

- [Rediscovering Tython](#)

3 ATC || 3650 BBY

4 ATC || 3649 BBY

5 ATC || 3648 BBY

6 ATC || 3647 BBY

7 ATC || 3646 BBY

8 ATC || 3645 BBY

9 ATC || 3644 BBY

10 ATC || 3643 BBY

- **Origin Character Preludes** begin on [Tython](#), [Korriban](#), [Hutta](#), and [Ord Mantell](#)
 - Refer to [u/Alortania's Flowchart](#) (last updated for 7.5)
 - Refer to [Swtorista](#) for [planetary bonus series](#)' quest acquisition
 - The exact timing, pace, and order varies between Origin stories
- The [Esseles](#) Flashpoint and the [Black Talon](#) Flashpoint
- [Coruscant](#) and [Dromund Kaas](#) planetary storylines
- **Act 1 of Origin Stories begins**
- The [Hammer Station](#) Flashpoint
- [Republic Taris](#) (and [Taris bonus series](#)) and [Imperial Balmorra](#) (and [Balmorra bonus series](#)) planetary storylines
- [Nar Shaddaa](#) planetary storyline
 - [M1-4X](#) is "born"
- The [Athiss](#) Flashpoint
- [Tatooine](#) planetary storyline and [Tatooine bonus series](#)
- The [Mandalorian Raiders](#) Flashpoint
- [Alderaan](#) planetary storyline
- The [Cademimu](#) Flashpoint

11 ATC || 3642 BBY

- **Act 1 of Origin Stories concludes and Act 2 begins**
- [Nar Shaddaa bonus series](#)

- [Imperial Taris](#) (and [Taris bonus series](#)) and [Republic Balmorra](#) (and [Balmorra bonus series](#)) planetary storylines
- The [Tara V](#) & the [Maelstrom Prison](#) Flashpoints
- The [Boarding Party](#) & [The Foundry](#) Flashpoints
- [Quesh](#) planetary storyline
- [Hoth](#) planetary storyline

12 ATC || 3641 BBY

- **Act 2 of Origin Stories concludes and Act 3 begins**
- [Alderaan bonus series](#)
- The [Colicoid War Game](#) Flashpoint
- [Belsavis](#) planetary storyline
- [Voss](#) planetary storyline and [Voss bonus series](#)
- [The Red Reaper](#) Flashpoint
- [Hoth bonus series](#)
- [The Directive 7](#) Flashpoint

13 ATC || 3640 BBY || 2011

- **Act 3 of Origin Stories concludes**
 - [Corellia](#) planetary storyline
 - The **Second Galactic War begins** with the [Invasion of Corellia](#)
- [Belsavis bonus series](#)
- The [Kuat Drive Yards](#) Flashpoint
- [Illum](#) planetary storyline & **Star Wars: The Old Republic launches on December 20th, 2011**
 - The [Battle for Illum](#) storyline
 - Refer to [CharlesBoyd's timeline and general thoughts](#) regarding event placement
 - Refer to [CharlesBoyd's inclination to defer to the SWTOR Encyclopedia](#) when conflicts arise
- [The Battle of Illum](#) & [The False Emperor](#) Flashpoints
- [The Eternity Vault](#) Operation
- The [Karagga's Palace](#) Operation

14 ATC || 3639 BBY || 2012

- [Rise of the Rakghouls 1.1](#) (January 2012) [[1.1 Codex Entries](#)]
 - The [Kaon Under Siege](#) Flashpoint
- [Legacy 1.2](#) (April 2012) [[1.2 Codex Entries](#)]
 - The [Stardream crashes into the Dune Sea](#) on Tatooine
 - [The Lost Island](#) Flashpoint
 - The [Black Hole](#) planetary storyline
 - The [Explosive Conflict](#) Operation
 - [Denova's Novare Coast](#) becomes a warzone

- [Allies 1.3](#) (June 2012)
 - The [Grand Acquisitions Race](#)
- [Terror From Beyond 1.4](#) (September 2012) [[1.4 Codex Entries](#)]
 - The [Terror From Beyond](#) Operation
- [HK-51 Activated 1.5](#) (November 2012)
 - The [Fatality](#) is rediscovered in [Section X](#)

15 ATC || 3638 BBY || 2013

- [Return of the Gree 1.7](#) (February 2013) [[1.7 Codex Entries](#)]
- [Rise of the Hutt Cartel and Scum and Villainy 2.0](#) (April 2013) [[2.0 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Rise of the Hutt Cartel](#)
 - [Makeb](#) planetary storyline
 - The [Scum and Villainy](#) Operation
- [Titans of Industry 2.3](#) (August 2013) [[2.3 Codex Entries](#)]
 - The [CZ-198](#) planetary storyline
 - The [Czerka Corporate Labs](#) Flashpoint
 - The [Czerka Core Meltdown](#) Flashpoint
 - The [Bounty Brokers Association](#) sees an uptick in activity
- [The Dread War 2.4](#) (September 2013) [[2.4 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Oricon](#) planetary storyline
 - The [Dread Fortress](#) Operation
 - The [Dread Palace](#) Operation

16 ATC || 3637 BBY || 2014

- [Invasion 2.7](#) (April 2014) [[2.7 Codex Entries](#)]
 - The [Forged Alliances](#) story arc begins
 - [Republic Korriban Incursion](#) Flashpoint and [Imperial Assault on Tython](#) Flashpoint
 - [Republic Assault on Tython](#) Flashpoint and [Imperial Korriban Incursion](#) Flashpoint
- [Spoils of War 2.8](#) (June 2014) [[2.8 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Soovada](#) and the Festival of Splendor (aka Nar Shaddaa Nightlife) is [introduced](#) as a [recurring event](#)
- [Galactic Strongholds Early Access 2.9](#) (August 2014) [[2.9 Codex Entries](#)]
 - The [Forged Alliances](#) story arc continues on [Manaan](#)
 - The [Depths of Manaan](#) Flashpoint
- [Forged Alliances 2.10](#) (September 2014) [[2.10 Codex Entries](#)]
 - The [Forged Alliances](#) story arc concludes on [Rakata Prime](#)
 - The [Legacy of the Rakata](#) Flashpoint
- [Shadow of Revan Early Access 3.0](#) (December 2014) [[3.0 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [The Shadow of Revan](#)
 - The [Rishi](#) planetary storyline

- Imperial Intelligence is reformed into [Sith Intelligence](#)
 - The [Ravagers](#) Operation
 - The [Blood Hunt](#) Flashpoint
 - The [Battle of Rishi](#) Flashpoint
 - The [Yavin IV](#) planetary storyline
 - Alternatively concludes with the [Temple of Sacrifice](#) Operation

17 ATC || 3636 BBY || Early 2015

- [Rise of the Emperor 3.2](#) (April 2015) [[3.2 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Ziost](#) planetary storyline
 - [Death of a World](#)
- [Knights of the Fallen Empire Early Access 4.0](#) (October 15th) [[4.0 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Knights of the Fallen Empire](#)
 - [Sacrifice cinematic trailer](#)
 - Knights of the Fallen Empire Chapter 1: The Hunt

17 ATC || 3636 BBY || Mid 2015

- Knights of the Fallen Empire Chapter 2: A Dream of Empire

18 ATC || 3635 BBY || 2015

19 ATC || 3634 BBY || 2015

20 ATC || 3633 BBY || 2015

21 ATC || 3632 BBY || 2015

22 ATC || 3631 BBY || Late 2015

- Knights of the Fallen Empire: Chapter 3 to Chapter 8

23 ATC || 3630 BBY || 2016

- KotFE Chapter 9: The Alliance
- KotFE Chapter 10: [Anarchy in Paradise 4.1](#) (February 2016) [[4.1 Codex Entries](#)]
- KotFE Chapter 11: [Disavowed 4.2](#) (March 2016) [[4.2 Codex Entries](#)]
- KotFE Chapter 12: [Visions in the Dark 4.3](#) (April 2016) [[4.3 Codex Entries](#)]
- KotFE Chapter 13: [Profit and Plunder 4.4](#) (May 2016) [[4.4 Codex Entries](#)]
 - The [Eternal Championship](#) is introduced
- KotFE Chapter 14: [Mandalore's Revenge 4.5](#) (June 2016)
- KotFE Chapter 15: [The GEMINI Deception 4.6](#) (June 2016) [[4.6 Codex Entries](#)]
- KotFE Chapter 16: [The Battle of Odessen 4.7](#) (August 2016) [[4.7 Codex Entries](#)]
- KotFE Bonus Chapter: [Shroud of a Memory 4.7.1](#) (September 2016)
- [Knights of the Eternal Throne Early Access 5.0](#) (November 2016) [[5.0 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Knights of the Eternal Throne](#)
 - [Betrayed cinematic trailer](#)
 - Knights of the Eternal Throne: Chapter 1 to Chapter 10
 - [Uprisings](#) spring up across the galaxy: [Done and Dusted](#), [Firefrost](#), [Crimson Fang](#), [Inferno](#), [Fractured](#)

24 ATC || 3629 BBY || 2017

- [Defend the Throne 5.1](#) (January 2017) [[5.1 Codex Entries](#)]
 - Uprisings continue: [Trench Runner](#), [Destroyer of Worlds](#), [Divided We Fall](#), [Landing Party](#), [Trial and Error](#)
- [The War for Lokath 5.2](#) (April 2017) [[5.2 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Lokath](#) planetary storyline
 - The [Gods From the Machine](#) Operation
- [Crisis on Umbara 5.4](#) (August 2017) [[5.4 Codex Entries](#)]
 - The [Crisis on Umbara](#) Flashpoint
- [A Traitor Among the Chiss 5.6](#) (November 2017) [[5.6 Codex Entries](#)]
 - A [Traitor Among the Chiss](#) Flashpoint

25 ATC || 3628 BBY || 2018

- [The Nathema Conspiracy 5.9](#) (May 2018) [[5.9 Codex Entries](#)]
 - The [Nathema Conspiracy](#) Flashpoint
- [Jedi Under Siege 5.10](#) (December 2018) [[5.10 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Jedi Under Siege](#)
 - The [Ossus](#) planetary storyline
 - The [Third Galactic War](#) begins with the [Imperial assault on Ossus](#)

26 ATC || 3627 BBY || 2019

- [The Wretched Hive 5.10.1](#) (February 2019)
 - The [Geonosian Queen](#)
- [The Dantooine Incursion 5.10.3](#) (June 2019)
 - Hearts and Minds story beat
 - The [Dantooine](#) planetary storyline
 - The [Pirate Incursion](#) is [introduced](#) as a [recurring event](#)
- [Onslaught 6.0](#) (October 2019) [[6.0 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Onslaught](#)
 - The [Onderon](#) storyline
 - The Nature of Progress Operation
 - The [Mek-Sha](#) storyline
 - The [Objective Meridian](#) Flashpoint

27 ATC || 3626 BBY || 2020

- [Pinnacles of Power 6.1](#) (February 2020) [[6.1 Codex Entries](#)]
 - The Task at Hand story beat
- Echoes of Oblivion story beat
- The [Spirit of Vengeance](#) Flashpoint
- The [Secrets of the Enclave](#) Flashpoint
- [Game Update 6.1.2](#) (June 2020)
 - [All Worlds Ultimate Sloop Rally](#) is [introduced](#) as a [recurring event](#)
- [Game Update 6.1.4](#) (October 2020)

- [Feast of Prosperity](#) is [introduced](#) as a [recurring event](#)

28 ATC || 3625 BBY || 2021

- [Game Update 6.3](#) (April 2021) [[6.3 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Galactic Seasons](#) are introduced with Galactic Season 1: The Stranger from Kubindi
- [The Story So Far](#) blog (November 2021)
- [Game Update 6.3.2b](#) (December 2021)
 - Star Wars: The Old Republic's [10-year anniversary!](#)

29 ATC || 3624 BBY || 2022

- [Legacy of the Sith 7.0](#) (February 2022) [[7.0 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Legacy of the Sith](#)
 - [Disorder cinematic trailer](#)
 - [Invasion Zone](#), Manaan storyline
 - [Ruins of Nul](#) Flashpoint
 - Galactic Season 2: Shadows of the Underworld
- [Digging Deeper 7.1](#) (August 2022) [[7.1 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Digging Deeper](#) story beat
 - [Manaan daily area](#)
 - The [R4-Anomaly](#) operation
- [Game Update 7.1.1](#) (October 2022)
 - Galactic Season 3: Luck of the Draw
- [Showdown on Ruhnu 7.2](#) (December 2022) [[7.2 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Ruhnu](#) storyline and daily area
 - [Lane Vizla](#) and [Basilisk Droid](#) storyline begins

30 ATC || 3623 BBY || 2023

- [Game Update 7.2.1](#) (March 2023)
 - PvP Season 2: Piercing the Veil
 - Galactic Season 4: A Passage of Peace
- [Old Wounds 7.3](#) (June 2023) [[7.3 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Interpreter's Retreat](#), Voss storyline and daily area
 - The [Shrine of Silence](#) Flashpoint
 - PvP Season 3: Reign of Glory
- [Game Update 7.3.1](#) (September 2023)
 - Galactic Season 5: Confidence in Power
- SWTOR development shifts from [BioWare](#) to [Broadsword](#) (October 2023)
- PvP Season 4: Fortune and Fame (November 2023)
- [Shae Vizla \(APAC\) server](#) launches (November 2023)
- [Chains in the Dark 7.4](#) (December 2023) [[7.4 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Kessan's Landing](#), Ord Mantell storyline
 - Basilisk Droid storyline continues

31 ATC || 3622 BBY || 2024

- [Game Update 7.4.1](#) (March 2024)
 - Galactic Season 6: Building a Foundation
 - Date Night: Theron Shan, Lana Beniko, Koth Vortena, and Arcann
- [Desperate Defiance 7.5](#) (May 2024) [[7.5 Codex Entries](#)]
 - [Minboosa District](#), Hutta storyline
 - PvP Season 6: Great Pirate Hunt
 - Lane Vizla and the Basilisk Droid storyline concludes with the new [Venture system](#)
 - The [Dantooine Spring Abundance Festival](#) is [introduced](#) as a [recurring event](#)
- [Game Update 7.5.1](#) (August 2024)
 - Galactic Season 7: The Greatest Bounty
 - Date Night: Vette and Aric Jorgan