



Today in History

April 5, 1992

▲ **The Siege of Sarajevo began when snipers shot dead two peace protesters. The longest siege of a capital city in modern warfare lasted until February 1996**

1982: The first ships of Britain's Royal Navy Task Force set sail after Argentina seized the Falkland Islands

1995: Israel launched its first spy satellite, the Ofek 3

1998: The Akashi-Kaikyo suspension bridge, the world's longest until 2022, was opened in Japan. It links the city of Kobe to Awaji Island

2003: Fighting between rival gangs in a jail in Honduras escalated into a riot that left 86 inmates dead