

## FOR TEACHERS

Links with the Western Australian HASS, English and Media Arts curricula.

## Some examples:

Year 1 (HASS) History Curriculum – exploring how family life has changed over time, concepts of then and now, old and new.

Year 1 Media Arts Curriculum – experimenting with images and text to communicate ideas and tell stories.

Year 2 History – exploring the history of the local area and why the past is important to the local community; significant people, buildings, sites.

Year 2 Media Arts – capturing, selecting and arranging images and editing text to organise important features of a story.

Year 3 History – the role of different cultural groups in the development of the local community, origin and significance of days commemorated in Australia.

Year 4 History – Australia's first peoples and the ways they are connected to country/place. Precontact life and nature of contact post British settlement.

Year 5 History – British colonies and the significance of individuals or groups in shaping the Swan River Colony.

Year 6 History – Experiences of Australia's democracy and citizenship including Federation and the status and rights of Aboriginal people, Asian migrants, women and children. Year 7 History – Conserving the ancient past including the heritage of Aboriginal Peoples.

Year 8 (HASS) Civics and Citizenship – perspectives on Australian identity and how Australians can actively participate in their democracy.

Year 9 History – Investigating World War 1

Year 10 History – Investigating World War 2 and Australians' rights and freedoms from 1945 to the present.

Year 11 and 12 – use the process of historical inquiry to question and evaluate sources, identify various representations of history, use evidence to formulate and support historical interpretations and communicate findings in a variety of ways.



## **FOR STUDENTS**

Local History perspectives and interpretations. Here are some starting points, but look around you. Originality is very likely to be rewarded!

The Cygnet Cinema, The Old Mill, The Como Jetty, South Perth Hospital, Heritage House, Waterford Plaza, May Gibbs, The Name of my Street/my Suburb/my local Park, Street Signs, Royal Perth Golf Club, The South Perth Tennis Club, McDougall Dairy House, The Swan River, Waterford Wetlands, Clontarf, The Ferry Tram, South Perth War Memorial, The Walter Murdoch Library, The Beeloo Nyoongars of Gareenup, Sir James Mitchell Park, Fremantle Road, the Collier Pine Plantation, The Perth Zoo, Chinese Market Gardens, The Decoy, The Narrows Bridge, Mends St, George St, Ley St, Preston St, Your school, your Family, South Perth people, your local Scout Hall, your local Church, the Coode St Jetty, Ferries on the Swan.

The South Perth and Manning Libraries have extensive local history books and photographs.





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