

Deadly Defining Moments

Key moments in history from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander perspectives.

Links to Australian Curriculum v9
Year 5
The impact of the development of British colonies in Australia on the lives of First Nations Australians, the colonists and convicts, and on the natural environment. AC9HS5K02
The role of a significant individual or group, including First Nations Australians and those who migrated to Australia, in the development of events in an Australian colony. AC9HS5K03
The influence of people, including First Nations Australians and people in other countries, on the characteristics of a place. AC9HS5K04
How citizens (members of communities) with shared beliefs and values work together to achieve a civic goal. AC9HS5K07
Develop evidence-based conclusions. AC9HS5S05
Propose actions or responses to issues or challenges and use criteria to assess the possible effects. AC9HS5S06
Year 6
Changes in Australia's political system and to Australian citizenship after Federation and throughout the 20th century that impacted on First Nations Australians, migrants, women and children. AC9HS6K02
Propose actions or responses to issues or challenges and use criteria to assess the possible effects. AC9HS6S06
Year 7
Identify perspectives, attitudes and values of the past in sources. AC9HH7S06
How the First Nations Peoples of Australia are the world's oldest continuing cultures and have responded to change over deep time. AC9HH7K03
The social organisation and cultural practices of early First Nations Australians, and their continuity and change over time. AC9HH7K06
Year 8
Identify perspectives, attitudes and values of the past in sources. AC9HH8S06
Different experiences of, perspectives on and debates about Australia's national identity and citizenship, including the perspectives of First Nations Australians as owners of their respective nations, and of different migrant groups. AC9HC8K06

Year 9

How and why individuals and groups, including community, religious and cultural groups, participate in and contribute to civic life in Australia and to global citizenship. **AC9HC9K05**

The causes and effects of European contact and extension of settlement, including their impact on the First Nations peoples of Australia. **AC9HH9K03**

Year 10

The challenges to and ways of sustaining a resilient democracy and a cohesive society in Australia and/or in our region or globally. **AC9HC10K05**

The contributions of significant individuals and groups in the campaign for the recognition of the rights of First Nations Australians and the extent to which they brought change to Australian society. **AC9HH10K10**

The significant events and methods in the movement for the civil rights of First Nations Australians and the extent to which they contributed to change. **AC9HH10K11**

Senior Secondary

The nature of the relationship of Indigenous peoples with their land and their response to perceptions of, and feelings about, the arrival of the colonisers. **ACHMH070**

The role of individuals and groups who supported the movement for Indigenous recognition and rights, including the methods they used and the resistance they encountered. **ACHMH073**

