

Making a Nation

Investigate the theme of nationhood by handling objects and exploring the Museum's galleries.

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
Develop questions to investigate people, events, developments, places and systems. AC9HS5S01
Year 6
Significant individuals, events and ideas that led to Australia's Federation, the Constitution and democratic system of government. AC9HS6K01
The motivation of people migrating to Australia since Federation and throughout the 20th century, their stories and effects on Australian society, including migrants from the Asia region. AC9HS6K03
Develop questions to investigate people, events, developments, places and systems. AC9HS6S01
Year 7
How values based on freedom, respect, fairness and equality of opportunity can support social cohesion and democracy within Australian society. AC9HC7K05
Develop historical questions about the past to inform historical inquiry. AC9HH7S01
Explain historical interpretations about significant events, individuals and groups. AC9HH7S07
The characteristics of Australia's democracy, including freedom of speech, association, assembly, religion and movement. AC9HC7K02
Year 8
How Australians are informed about and participate in democracy. AC9HC8K01
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
Identify perspectives, attitudes and values of the past in sources. AC9HH8S06

Year 9

Different experiences and perspectives of colonisers, settlers and First Nations Australians and the impact of these experiences on changes to Australian society's, ideas, beliefs and values **AC9HH9K06**

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**

Significant events, ideas, people, groups and movements in the development of Australian society. **AC9HH9K04**

Year 10

Develop and modify a range of historical questions about the past to inform historical inquiry. **AC9HH10S01**

The significant events, individuals and groups in the women's movement in Australia, and how they have changed the role and status of women. **AC9HH10K12**

The causes of changes in perspectives, responses, beliefs and values on migration that have influenced Australian society since 1945. **AC9HH10K08**