

2010 Australian Studies Buying Guide

Australian History

Australia Then and Now

Lower Primary **\$29.99** each

This series compares the everyday lives and familiar activities of Australians today with those of the past. Readers will compare people at work, home, school and play through large informative pictures and text that aims to direct their observations.



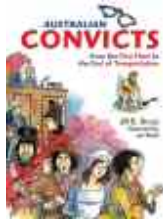
- Australians at Home** 666956
- Australians at Play** 666957
- Australians at School** 666958
- Australians at Work** 666959

Australian Convicts

From the First Fleet to the End of Transportation

Middle Primary - Lower Secondary 658260 **\$14.99**

Learn about the tragic plight of transported child convicts, some of whom were only nine years old. Follow the stories of daring escapes where some convicts successfully absconded by stealing ships and others turned to bushranging.



Australian Explorers

Middle Primary - Lower Secondary 577038 **\$35.99**

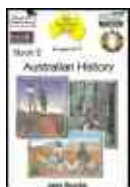
Uses the high-interest topic of explorers to make students aware of the great heroism displayed by our early European explorers - which will increase their knowledge of their country's history.



Australian History

Our Australia

Middle Primary - Lower Secondary 603144 **\$34.99**



Offers insights into what has made Australia the country that it is today. These include important events in Australia's history that allow us to gain an understanding of how and why our country has developed.

Stories from Australia's History

Middle Primary - Upper Primary

\$34.99 each



A fascinating series that tells the stories of some momentous times in our history. The approach promotes critical thinking and analysis with an emphasis on causes and effects, key personalities, and the long-term outcomes for Australian society.

- Captain Arthur Phillip and the First Fleet** 691828
- Douglas Mawson's Antarctic Expedition** 691829
- Peter Lalor and the Eureka Stockade** 691830
- The Anzacs and the Battle for Gallipoli** 691832
- Vida Goldstein's Fight for Women's Rights** 691831
- Vincent Lingiari and the Wave Hill Walkout** 691833



Australian People & Culture

30 Australian Legends & Icons

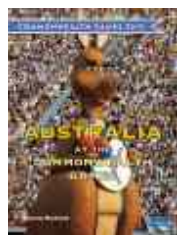
Middle Primary -

Lower Secondary 658656 **\$20.99**



This book contains thirty of our most time-honoured icons, from the Sydney Opera House and jars of Vegemite to Phar Lap's glory and the tradition of Anzac. Take a tour through the large legends and little-known facts that make Australia truly unique.

Australia at the Commonwealth Games
Commonwealth Games 2010

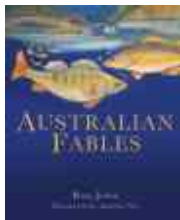


Middle Primary +
 691710 **\$29.99**
 Provides information about the Commonwealth as well as lots of interesting facts about the history of the Commonwealth Games and the Games in India in 2010.

Australian Fables

Lower Primary
 693853 **\$24.99**

Australian Fables will take you on a fantastical journey through the Australian bush from red sands and gum trees to billabongs and water holes. Australian bush creatures and bushmen have a tale or two to tell us all.



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\$34.99 each

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Australian Events 603138
Famous Australians 603143



Quizzes for Aussie Kids

Middle Primary - Lower Secondary
 675852 **\$27.99**

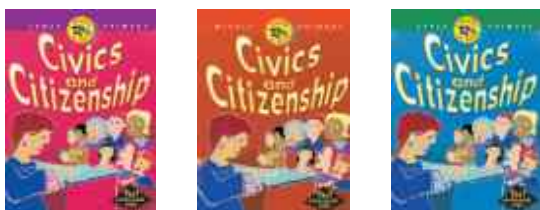


This book contains 32 quizzes that can be used as either a whole class activity or as an independent activity for pairs of early finishers. The questions are general knowledge and contain many questions relevant to Australia (focusing on history, politics, sports, geography, inventions, science, current events and so on).

Ready-to-Go Civics and Citizenship

Lower Primary - Upper Primary **\$29.99** each
 Presents Civics education in an active and engaging manner so students will see the relevance of political, legal and social systems. Helps students gain an understanding of the four important areas of Civics education.

Lower Primary 598079
Middle Primary 598080
Upper Primary 598082



Terrific Australian Topics

Lower Primary - Upper Primary **\$59.99** each
 Terrific Australian Topics meets the challenge of providing an integrated approach to the curriculum and provides a springboard for exploring everything Australian. Each of the topic units includes an outline of the outcomes across the key learning areas, 10 photocopiable work sheets and detailed teaching notes.

Lower Primary 690820
Middle Primary 690821
Upper Primary 690822



What's the Issue?

Upper Primary - Lower Secondary **\$34.99** each
 This series aims to fill in the facts behind the headlines, developing students' understanding of the context of the issue they hear about in the media and assisting them to develop and justify their own opinions and arguments.

Challenges for Indigenous Australia 692248
Drugs in Australian Sport 692249
Introduced Species in Australia 692251
Nuclear Energy for Australia 692252
The Australian Immigration Debate 692259
The Murray-Darling Basin Crisis 692261



Indigenous Australia

Aboriginal Australia

A Traditional Culture in an Organic World
 Upper Primary - Lower Secondary
 652495 **\$51.99**

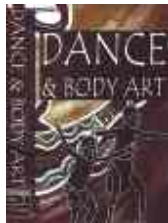
The aim of this book is to try and impart an understanding of traditional Aboriginal culture and society at the time of this 'first contact'. This is done by incorporating different aspects of Aboriginal culture and society into mainstream subjects, found in upper primary and lower secondary schools.



Dance and Body Art DVD

Upper Primary - Upper Secondary
669946 **\$75.99**

Filmed at the Laura Dance Festival in far north Queensland, the Tjapukai Cultural Theatre and other venues, this film focuses on Aboriginal dance and body art as an expression and celebration of a belief system.



Didgeridoo DVD

Upper Primary - Upper Secondary
647798 **\$75.99**

This DVD examines the origins and traditional use of the didgeridoo, the making of a 'didge' and regional variations in playing. It demonstrates its unique sound and gives tips on technique.



Dreamings on Canvas DVD

Upper Primary - Upper Secondary
669945 **\$75.99**

This video explores the origins of dot painting. The meanings, interpretations and variations between tribal groups are explained in this engrossing and informative video.



Sharing Our Stories

Middle Primary - Upper Primary

Each book focuses on one Indigenous Australian community using a series of photographs describing the local community setting.

The Devil-Devil from Warlok	693525	\$12.99
The Frog and the Brolga	693526	\$12.99
The Mermaid and Serpent	693527	\$12.99
The Sunbird	693528	\$12.99
Turtle Dreaming	693529	\$12.99
Woonyoombo	693530	\$12.99
Teacher Resource	678892	\$44.99



Natural Australia

Australia's Invaders

Upper Primary - Upper Secondary **\$56.99** each

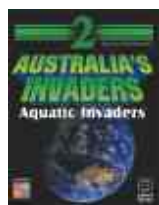
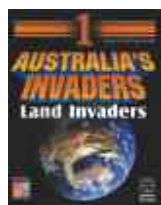
These books or teacher resources focus on introduced land species including lantana, rabbits, camels, fire ants, and introduced aquatic species including Northern Pacific sea star, mosquito fish, carp, and alligator weed.

Book 1: Land Invaders

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Book 2: Aquatic Invaders

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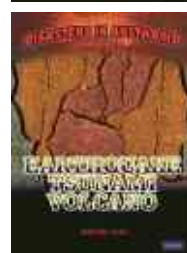


Disasters in Australia

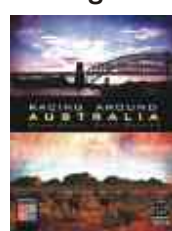
Middle Primary + **\$29.99** each

This series explores some of Australia's worst natural disasters. Learn about the bushfires, cyclones, earthquakes, tsunamis and floods that have threatened Australian communities, early warning systems in place, and how communities prepare and cope with the clean-up and the aftermath.

Bushfire	693849
Cyclone	693850
Earthquake, Tsunami and Volcano	693851
Flood	693852



Racing Around Australia



Upper Primary - Middle Secondary

678317 **\$56.99**

Teacher resources to bring our country into the classroom. At each stage a new state or territory of Australia is visited and teams have to solve problems, find clues, research and complete tasks to be first across the finish line.

Resource Conservation

Global Issues Series



Upper Primary +

677841 **\$56.99**

This book is designed to guide students through the maze of conflicting reports and give them a framework of reference enabling them to intelligently participate in the debate of the issues that affect us all.



