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EDUCATIONAL SCHOOL EXCURSIONS



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BLUE MOUNTAINS
BATHURST
SOUTH COAST
CENTRAL COAST
SYDNEY

\$20 REBATE PER STUDENT
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Canberra and Surrounding Regions

Discover Us ... a hidden treasure on the ACT's doorstep



Welcome to Warrambui – a unique retreat and conference centre just 30 minutes north of the National Capital. It is situated on a 120 hectare site with beautiful tranquil views, gum and pine forests and peaceful walking trails. We offer a range of conference and educational facilities suited to schools, corporate and community groups.

Over 10 000 people of all ages and interests make use of our facilities. Come and discover what we can do for you!

- En-suite or dorm style accommodation for up to 180 guests
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- Exclusive use of accommodation blocks
- Space to unwind at the end of a long day
- Outcomes based programs

For more information about our facilities and how we can serve your group please contact us.



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We welcome you to the Canberra Carotel Motel/Caravan Park. Situated on 20 acres and located just 7 kms north of Canberra Civic Centre we are ideally situated to numerous major attractions.



Our speciality is catering for school and sporting groups. We are able to offer a smorgasbord of accommodation and meal packages to suite your group booking requirements. We can accommodate individuals through to large groups in a variety of room types. Our chef can supply food packages for 20 people or more, or you may prefer self-catering using the Camp Shed or Multi Function Room facility. These rooms are also available for use as a meeting place/games night and/or video evening.



- 107 rooms in various sizes
- Linen Provided
- Free Wireless Internet
- Large Outdoor Swimming Pool
- Open space for outdoor activities
- Dietary Requirements are catered



As specialists in group bookings it will be our pleasure to assist you in having a most enjoyable stay with us while visiting Canberra and the surrounding district.

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Spectacular science shows and workshops in some of the ACT's premier venues, catering to all school age groups

Event listing and bookings open 3 February 2010

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www.sciencefestival.com.au

2 day Canberra Sample Itinerary

day 1	6.30am	Depart School for Canberra Mid Way Comfort Break (at own expense)
	10.30am	Arrive Canberra
	10.30am	Parliament House Guided tour of Parliament House & Parliamentary Education Office Parliament House Hospitality; morning tea with your local Federal Member if your member is present & available. (2 hour duration)
	12.30pm	Lunch - Students supply own packed lunch.
	1.00pm	Australian War Memorial The best way for students to experience the Memorial is by doing an education program, many of the programs are 'Hands-on', giving students the opportunity to see, touch and discuss items to which the rest of the public do not have access. Sessions last one hour and are presented in the galleries by experienced Memorial staff. (1 1/2 hour duration)
	3.00pm	National Museum of Australia A visit to the National Museum of Australia will expand your students knowledge, understanding and appreciation of Australia and Australians. Education programs are interactive and student centred.
	4.30pm	Cockington Green A look at the world in miniature. A visit to Cockington Green is an educational, relaxing and fun part of your itinerary. The new international display area represents the growing multicultural society of today.
	5.30pm	Overnight Accommodation
	6.00pm	Dinner
	7.00pm	Depart for Evening Activities
	7.30pm	National Dinosaur Museum Walk among the Dinosaurs & unearth the mysteries of the Earth's prehistoric past at the National Dinosaur Museum. The many exhibits provide a fun and stimulating learning environment.

day 2	7.00am	Breakfast
	8.00am	Depart Accommodation
	8.30am	Electoral Education Centre Education Sessions are aimed at educating participants about the federal electoral process and encouraging active participation in our representative democracy. (1 1/2 hour duration)
	11.00am	Questacon Spend two hours exploring Questacon's six Galleries where they make science fun and interesting for every one. (2 hour duration)
	1.00pm	Lunch - Packed lunch supplied by accommodation venue.
	2.00pm	Australian Institute of Sport Tour the Australian Institute with an elite athlete, bump in to sporting heroes jogging through the AIS, catch a glimpse of up and coming gymnasts & swimmers, view world class facilities and test your skills in Sportex the interactive exhibit. (1 1/2 hr duration)
	3.30pm	Depart Canberra Mid Way Comfort Break (at own expense)
	7.30pm	Approximate arrival at school

Tours include

- Luxury Seat Belt Equipped Coach Travel.
- Entrance & Attraction Fees (where possible).
- Accommodation of your choice.
- Meals (excludes Breakfast and Lunch on first day and Dinner on last day).
- Teachers travel free.



All itineraries are tailored to suit specific needs and requirements. Times are subject to change due to session availability.

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Questacon

The National Science and Technology Centre



Get your hands on science at Questacon!

Questacon—The National Science and Technology Centre is Australia's leading science centre. With seven galleries and more than 200 interactive exhibits, children and adults can explore and unravel the mysteries of science.

With our spectacular science shows and hundreds of hands-on exhibits, nothing is off limits when you walk through the doors. Students are encouraged to touch, feel and interact with the world around them and engage in fun and interactive science!

Visit during the day between 9 am and 5 pm, or book a *Questacon by Night* for a personally guided tour between 5–7 pm or 7–9 pm. For more information contact Questacon Group Bookings.

Questacon—The National Science and Technology Centre
King Edward Terrace, Canberra ACT
Group Bookings: 02 6270 2893 Fax: 02 6270 2833
Recorded Information: 1800 020 603
Email: group.bookings@questacon.edu.au
Open 9 am to 5 pm every day. Closed Christmas Day.


Australian Government
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Industry, Science and Research


The National Science and Technology Centre

www.questacon.edu.au



AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF SPORT



WALK IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF YOUR SPORTING HEROES!

AIS Tours have a close connection with the civics and citizenship curriculum. We use the sport context to help students develop democratic values such as fairness and a willingness to participate, to recognise the responsibilities of leadership and understand the importance of rules – all essential elements of civics and citizenship learning.

GROUP TOURS OF THE AIS

On an athlete-guided 90-minute tour of the AIS, your students will gain a unique insight into the lives of AIS athletes.

Students will venture into *Sportex*, our interactive sports experience, and try their hand at rock climbing, virtual rowing, football and more!

Each child will receive a free PasSport, lanyard and pen to record their sporting adventures.

Night options

- > Tours
- > Super Sports Experience

Tour times

Tours depart daily at 8.30am, 10.00am, 11.30am, 1.00pm, 2.30pm and 4.00pm. Night option times by arrangement. Bookings are essential.

Costs

Students: \$8.00 – one free teacher per ten children.

Adults over ratio: \$8.00

Night options from \$10.00

SUPER SPORTS EXPERIENCE

Super Sports Experience sessions are tailored to suit each group and include:

- > 90-minute AIS tour
- > *Sportex* interactive experience
- > 90-minute sport rotation program
- > the opportunity to play three sports, which may include football, hockey, netball, basketball and volleyball.

We have fitness industry-qualified instructors, and a 1:15 staffing ratio.

Super Sports Experience costs

- > 3-hour program, including an AIS tour and *Sportex*: students \$18.00 (\$20.00 at night), teachers free
- > 90-minute program, **excluding** AIS tour and *Sportex*: Students \$10.00 (day or night), teachers free

GET THE AIS INTO YOUR CLASSROOM

Get the AIS into your classroom with free online resources, including Olympic champions worksheets, which are available online at the AIS Tours website. Visit ausport.gov.au/aisclassroom.

All costs are valid to 31 December 2010.

Further information or bookings

Tel: (02) 6214 1444 or (02) 6214 1010

Email: aistours@ausport.gov.au

Website: ausport.gov.au/aisclassroom

Discover the champion within!

The Australian Institute of Sport is a division of the Australian Sports Commission.

Canberra and Surrounding Regions

3 day Canberra Sample Itinerary

day 1	6.30am	Depart School for Canberra Mid Way Comfort Break (at own expense)
	10.30am	Arrive Canberra
	10.30am	Electoral Education Centre Education Sessions are aimed at educating participants about the federal electoral process and encouraging active participation in our representative democracy. (1 1/2 hour duration)
	12.30pm	Lunch - Students and Teachers provide own packed lunch.
	1.00pm	Regatta Point - National Capital Exhibition Centre The interactive centre tells the story of Canberra, highlighting the people, events, history and design that have helped to shape the city. (1 hour duration)
	2.30pm	High Court of Australia The highest court in the Australian court system. It interprets and applies the laws of Australia. Decisions of the High Court are binding on all other courts throughout Australia. (1 hour duration)
	4.00pm	Telstra Tower Telstra Tower rises 195 metres above the summit of Black Mountain and provides 360 degree views of Canberra. Learn about the history of telecommunication in Australia from the earliest days to the 21st Century with 'Hands-on' experience when exploring the Making Connection exhibit. (1 hour duration)
	5.30pm	Arrive Overnight Accommodation.
	6.15pm	Dinner.
	7.30pm	Activities room for schools own activities.
day 2	7.30am	Breakfast
	8.30am	Depart Accommodation
	9.00am	Parliament House Guided tour of Parliament House & Parliamentary Education Office Parliament House Hospitality; morning tea with your local Federal Member if your member is present & available. (2 1/2 hour duration) Lunch - Packed lunch provided.
	12.00pm	Australian National Botanical Gardens The Gardens Education Unit offers programs with a range of fun and engaging activities relating to Australian native plants and environmental science for all school ages.
	2.00pm	Canberra Deep Space Communication Complex.
	5.00pm	Arrive Overnight Accommodation.
	5.30pm	Dinner.
	6.30pm	Depart for evening activity.
	7.00pm	Questacon by Night Tour. Here you experience first hand the exciting 'Hands-on' science exhibits. (2 hour duration)
	day 3	7.00am
8.00am		Depart Accommodation
8.30am		Australian Institute of Sport See the fittest bodies in Australia at the AIS. Experience the life of an elite athlete as you tour the international standard sports facility and students will test their skills at the interactive sports exhibition. (1 1/2 hr duration)
10.30am		Cockington Green There is a little bit of everything, fascinating architecture, stunning gardens and humorous scenes. The international display area has a multicultural focus with many countries from around the world. (1 1/2 hour duration). Miniature Train Ride & Picnic lunch at Cockington Green.
12.00pm		Depart Canberra for return journey to school. Mid Way Comfort Break (at own expense)
4.00pm		Approximate arrival at school

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AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL Botanic Gardens



Where in the world can students interact with one third of Australia's 21,000 native plants? Where in Australia can students investigate the effects of climate change on Australia's plants and animals? Where in Australia can students enjoy a night time rainforest adventure or engage in hands-on science and environmental activities whilst enjoying fresh air and heaps of educational fun? The Australian National Botanic Gardens.

Discover, explore and challenge your thinking about our Australian environment. There is nowhere else in the world where you can discover the unique biodiversity of our native plants from across Australia in just one hour!

2010 The International Year of Biodiversity Around Oz in an Hour

Take a trip to Tassie, wander Western Australia, visit Victoria and more as you investigate the diverse and unique ecosystems of Australian plants.

Discover Australia's diverse and changing landscapes.
Explore the variety of weird and wonderful Australian plants.
Connect which plants survive in which environments.
\$5 / 1 hr / Day program

Aussie, Aussie, Aussie Wattle, Wattle, Wattle

What is your state emblem and why is that so? Is a waratah - a football team, a place or a plant?

Discover Australia's floral emblems and icons.
Explore the plants that are the official and unofficial symbols of Australia.
Connect the symbolic use of Australian plants to our society.
\$5 / 1 hr / Day program

Twilight An Adventure

Shine a spotlight into the after-dark happenings in the Gardens. Search for creepy crawlies in the depths of our rainforests. Try to spy our nocturnal wildlife in the tree tops. Shine your torches with our twilight guides and discover a whole new world so close to the city.

Discover the secret life of the rainforest at night.
Explore the mysteries from the forest floor to the top of the canopies.
Connect with the Garden at night using all of your senses.
\$8 / 1½ hr / Night program

The Australian National Botanic Gardens offers a range of unique, hands on school programs from 8.30 am until dark!

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL BOTANIC GARDENS

Clunies Ross Street,
Acton ACT 2601

Bookings are essential.

www.anbg.gov.au/gardens
to book online

or call (02) 6250 9408
for bookings and information



Australian Government

Department of the Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts

Cockington Green Gardens Canberra

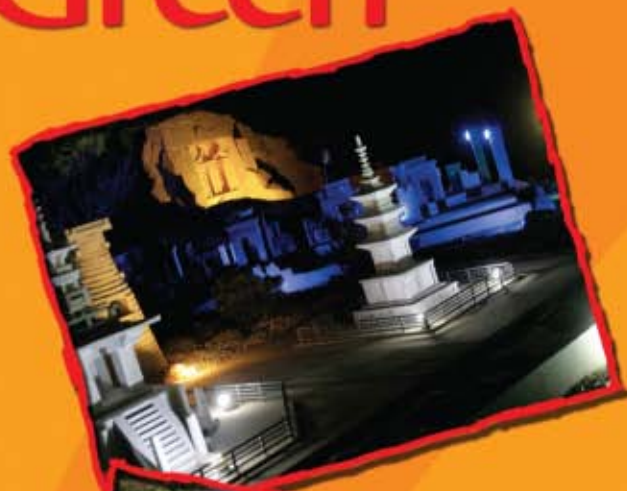
Where it's the little things that count!

Night Time Openings!

- See the Village Illuminations
- From 6.30pm
- Minimum of 40
- Steam Train Ride Included
- Bookings Essential

School Discovery Sheet

- Provided FOC for each Student,
- Pre-Order Essential



School Groups Picnic Area

- Picnic Tables located close to coach parking
- Reservations required

Open 7 days 9.30am - 5.00pm
last admission 4.15pm

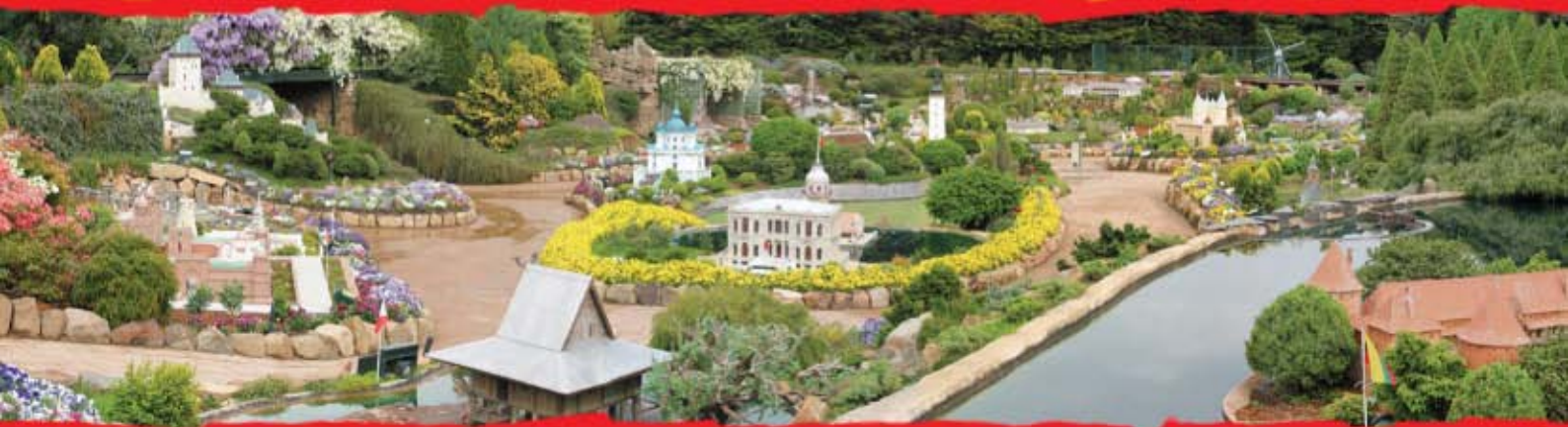
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Snowy Mountains

The Snowy Mountains Scheme and the Snow Fields of NSW.

The Snowy Mountains is more than just snow & skiing.



It is History.....it is forestry.....
.....it is industry.....it is power & water.....

If your student learning experience is just coach travel to the Snowfields then let Travelways plan it all. From accommodation, Kosciuszko National Park Entrance, Ski Tube rides, Chairlift rides, quality clothing hire & first class ski equipment for students to try their first hand at skiing. As well as the other side to the Snowy Mountains, The Australian Institute of Sports High Altitude Training Centre, Kosciuszko National Park Education Centre, Snowy Hydro Information & Education Centre, Snowy Mountains Regional Visitors Centre and many many more great learning experiences to be discovered.

Snowy Mountains Special Skiing Packages with Lessons for Primary & Secondary Students.

Including – Clothing, Ski Equipment & 2hour Group Lift & Lesson Tickets available at Thredbo & Perisher.



Snowy Mountains



Venue selections

- AIS Heated Water Slide & Heated Pool
- Berridale
- Chair Rides
- Cooma
- Eucumbene Trout Farm
- Jindabyne
- Kosciuszko National Park Education Centre
- Mt Selwyn
- Murray 1 Power Station
- Perisher Blue Ski Resort
- Perisher Ski Tube
- Ski Lessons
- Snowy Hydro Information & Education Centre
- Snowy Mountains Authority Information Centre
- Snowy Mountains Regional Visitors Centre
- Snowy River Ag. Barn and Fibre Centre
- Thredbo Resort
- Tumut 2 & 3 Power Stations
- Yarrangobilly Caves



Snowy Mountains



Our service includes:-

- Breakfast buffet
- A variety of hot & cold breakfast - a hearty start to the day

Fresh & Wholesome Cut Lunches

Ideal for eating on-the-move!

3 Course Dinner

Served by our friendly staff in the comfort of our pleasant "Top of the Town" restaurant, which has a stunning view over Cooma.

40 Rooms

On 4.4 acres, away from main street traffic. 20 multi-share rooms accommodating 6-9 students. 20 rooms for teachers, parents & coach captains accommodating 1-3 adults.

Disco and karaoke in our Large Lounge area

Our lounge is adjacent to the restaurant and has a pool table, acoustic piano, dance floor and karaoke - ideal for a disco!

Games Room

Our games room has a table tennis table.



High Country Motel

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- Can accommodate large school group •
- Dinner, Bed, Breakfast and Cut Lunch package •
- All rooms with Austar Cable channel and colour TV •
- Big dining room and large lounge room •
- Private bathrooms • Central Heating •
- Coach parking • Friendly Staff •



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Our Service, and what we provide you

...more than just another coach company...



Hopkinson's has been operating as a major supplier of bus & coach services since 1978 and has become the transporter of choice for many schools throughout New South Wales.

Our Drivers are selected for their extensive knowledge, they are trained to ensure the needs of all our passengers are met & hold all relevant licenses & government authorisations. Combining the knowledge and experience of our friendly drivers makes your educational excursion a success.

Safety & quality of service is paramount when dealing with Hopkinson's Coaches.



HOPKINSONS COACHES FEATURE:

- Reclining cloth seats
- Seatbelts
- Rest room equipped
- Climate controlled air conditioning
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- Regulation first aid kits
- Large under floor compartments

Available vehicle sizes include:

SEAT COACHES

48 - 50 - 54 - 61 - 66

SEAT BUSES

53 - 57

OUR WIDE RANGE OF SCHOOL EXPERIENCE EMBRACES:

- Educational Tours
- School Camps
- Day and Sport Charters
- Interstate School Travel
- Local Sports Transfers
- Swimming Shuttles



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COOMA



SKI & CLOTHING HIRE FOR COACH GROUPS



Treat your students to a unique experience whilst on excursion to the Snowy Mountains and surrounding areas. A day trip to the Snowy Mountains could be, for some, their only visit to the snow in a lifetime. Giving your students the best possible experience is our priority, we have been looking after school groups for many years so you know you are in good hands.

WHY HIRE IN COOMA?

Due to extreme weather conditions in the Snowy Mountains it is advisable to outfit your group before arrival in the snow

LOCATION *Pass by our door on your way to the snow.*

Great location next door to McDonalds in Cooma on your way to the snow—for your convenience you could have breakfast on the way or dinner on the return with the one stop.

PRICE

We offer very competitive group prices & packages, we can book your lift and lesson, chair lift rides, ski tube, Thredbo AIS and Park Entry which can all be paid for on the one invoice to us or through your agent.

CONVENIENCE *Coach Parking at the door:*

We have a separate group hire for fast efficient service offering 22 fitting rooms and plenty of room for your students, our hire has been designed to cater for 200 students at the same time, no more waiting on the coach or outside in the cold, there's just no waiting....

QUALITY GUARANTEED *Equipment regularly serviced & clothing laundered after every use.*

The Ski Co offer warm water proof clothing and boots of the best quality and price. Our equipment is always current and well maintained. If on a rare occasion an exchange needs to be made on the mountain a full refund will be given.

EXPERIENCE *Our hire staff are qualified technicians.*

We have been catering for school students and social groups for over 20 years our friendly staff will make the pick up and return of snow equipment effortless for you, you can even enjoy a cuppa while we look after your students.

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Snowy Mountains NSW



Let us help make your school excursion to the snow easy and enjoyable...

Arlberg Ski Centre are the school excursion and group hire specialists.

You and your students will benefit from our friendly, individual expert advice & service.

We offer completely flexible packages from basic snow play through to high performance ski & snowboard.

Our purpose built shop ensures quick throughput whilst maintaining an exceptional level of personal attention.

Our gear is of the highest standard & is maintained & tuned meticulously by our trained technicians.

Clothing and boots are cleaned & sanitised in our professional laundry.

Teachers are invited to enjoy the break with a cuppa whilst we supervise & fit out your students.

Toilets are available and there is a park right across the road which could be used for morning teas, lunches or to stretch those legs.

We are right on the highway & have safe & ample parking for coaches.

Please contact Hans or Tina for any queries you may have.

We look forward to seeing you soon...



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Blue Mountains and Central West

Discover our History and Environment with a visit to the Blue Mountain Region, the perfect location for Educational Tours.

Students have the opportunity to follow the steps of Blaxland, Wentworth, & Lawson the first Europeans to cross the Blue Mountains. Visit the Convict built Lennox Bridge at Lapstone & further west in Katoomba along the Great Western Highway view the famous Explorers Marked Tree, now caged in and sheltered to protect the remains. The tree has the initials of the famous explorers dated 1813. Explore Katoomba's early beginnings at Scenic World, descend to a Rainforest boardwalk via the world's steepest incline railway and learn about the regions special environmental values at the Edge Giant Screen Cinema.

A visit to the National Parks & Wildlife Services will help students gain a valuable understanding of the region's world heritage value and discover the unique flora, fauna, indigenous culture and geological history with a Discovery Park Ranger.

Continue your journey & experience the natural wonders of the Jenolan Caves the best known limestone caves in Australia with spectacular lighting, underground rivers, and cave formation that will amaze you. Jenolan Caves presents students with the wonderful opportunity to discover & experience the environment and the relationship between the above ground environment & the underground world.



Venue selections

- Abercrombie Caves
- Australian Fossil & Mineral Museum
- Bathurst Goldfields
- Bathurst Historical Tour
- Bathurst Observatory
- Bathurst Sheep & Cattle Drome
- Ben Chifley House
- Blue Mountains Heritage Centre
- Cowra Museum – War, Rail & Rural
- Cowra Japanese Gardens
- Cowra War Cemetery
- Cowra Prisoner War Camp
- Crystal Kingdom, Coonabarabran
- CSIRO Telescope, Parkes
- Dubbo Military Museum
- Echo Point & The Three Sisters
- Edge Giant Screen Cinema
- Govetts Leap Lookout
- Gulgong Pioneer Museum
- Hartley Historic Site
- Hill End Holiday Ranch
- History Hill
- Jenolan Caves
- Mount Tomah Botanic Gardens
- Mt Piper Power Station
- National Motor Racing Museum
- Old Dubbo Goal
- Scenic Rail & Skyway
- Sliding Springs Observatory, Coonabarabran
- Sky Watch Observatory, Coonabarabran
- Sofala
- Warrumbungles Field Study Centre
- Warrumbungles National Park
- Wellington Caves
- Wellington Phosphate Mine
- Western Plains Zoo
- Zig Zag Railway



Blue Mountains and Central West

Blue Mountains & Jenolan Caves Sample Itinerary

day 1	6.30am	Coach arrives at school
	7.00am	Depart school for the Blue Mountains
	8.45pm	Echo Point & the Three Sisters Morning Tea
	9.15am	Katoomba Scenic Railway – return journey Built in 1878 to transport coal to the top of the escarpment this thrilling & unique ride descends 450 meters down the escarpment at a maximum gradient of 52 degrees & it holds the Guinness Book of Records certificate as The World's Steepest passenger carrying incline railway.
	10.30am	Depart for Hartley
	11.15am	Hartley Historic Site Audiovisual – This is a slide presentation on the crossing of the Blue Mountains and the History of the area. Courthouse Tour – The Court House was built in 1837 and is set as it was when operating. The tour includes the constable's room, the male & female cells, courtroom, magistrates & clerks office. The farmers Inn – Built in the 1840's, the shop is set out as an old General Store & carries antique reproductions.
	12.30pm	Lunch – Students provide own packed lunch
	1.15pm	Depart for Jenolan Caves
	3.00pm	Arrive Jenolan Caves
	3.30pm	Jenolan Caves Tour Outstanding Limestone caves with spectacular lighting, underground rivers and cave formation that will amaze you.
	5.00pm	Jenolan Caves Gate House Students to provide own sleeping bags/linen & towel
	5.30pm	Dinner
	7.00pm	Jenolan Caves Tour Tour another outstanding Limestone cave.

day 2	7.00am	Breakfast
	8.15am	Depart Jenolan Caves for Portland
	10.15am	Mt Piper Power Station Video & Talk on the operations of the power station, tour the plant then visit the 'Energy Expo' which has static & interactive displays.
	11.45am	Lunch – packed lunch provided by Accommodation
	12.15pm	Depart for Katoomba
	2.00pm	The Edge Cinema
	2.20pm	Screening 'The Edge Movie' Experience on the giant Screen – waterfalls, underground caves, ancient wilderness, and the worlds oldest living trees – the Wollemi Pines.
	3.15pm	Depart for return journey to school
	5.15pm	Approximate arrival at school

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GOLD!...GOLD!...GOLD!...

Experience life as it used to be in the Australian Goldrush days.

You can study the skies and the land and gain an insight on the farm, or learn to throw a boomerang.



1 day Bathurst Goldfields

Allows students to learn about the Discovery of Gold with 'Hands-on' experience.

GOLD TOUR

- 'Hands-on' operating Whip
- 'Hands-on' operating California Bucket Pump
- Gold Panning demonstration
- 'Hands-on' operating Whim
- Mine
- Steam Shed & operating Steam Engines
- Operating Stamper Battery
- Retorting
- Blacksmithing demonstration
- Operating Water Wheel
- Chinese Protectorate

LIFE IN THE GOLDFIELDS

- Making & Erecting Mud Bricks
- Erecting rammed Earth Buildings
- Bush Cooking
- Bush Games
- Cradling Gold

GOLD PANNING

- 'Hands-on' Gold Panning

1 day Bathurst
from **\$63.00 per student**
plus \$6.30 GST
based on 42-46 travelling passengers

Venue selections

- Australian Fossil & Mineral Museum
– home of the Somerville Collection
- Bathurst Goldfields
- Bathurst & District Historical Museum
- Bathurst Observatory
- Bathurst Sheep & Cattle Drome
- Ben Chifley House
- Historical Bathurst Tour
- Hill End Holiday Ranch
- National Motor Racing Museum

2 day Bathurst Discover Gold

Experience life as it used to be in the Australian Goldrush, at Bathurst Goldfields.

GOLD TOUR

- 'Hands-on' operating Whip
- 'Hands-on' operating California Bucket Pump
- Gold Panning demonstration
- 'Hands-on' operating Whim
- Mine
- Steam Shed & operating Steam Engines
- Operating Stamper Battery
- Retorting
- Blacksmithing demonstration
- Operating Water Wheel
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- Making & Erecting Mud Bricks
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Bathurst

Goldfields

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	10.30am	Depart Katoomba
	11.45am	Jenolan Caves Outstanding Limestone caves with spectacular lighting, underground rivers and cave formation that will amaze you.
	1.30pm	Lunch - Students & teachers supply own packed lunch
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	5.00pm	Arrive Overnight Accommodation
	6.00pm	Dinner
	7.30pm	Evening activity - Bush Dance, Campfire, Observatory.

day 2	7.30am	Breakfast
	9.00am	- Gold Tour - 'Hands-on' operating Whip. - 'Hands-on' operating California Bucket pump. - Gold panning demonstration. - 'Hands-on' operating whim. - Mine. - Steam shed & operating steam engines - Operating stamper batter - Retorting - Blacksmithing demonstration - Operating water wheel - Chinese Protectorate
	12.00pm	Lunch - Sausage Sizzle
	12.30pm	- Life in the Goldfields - Making & erecting mud bricks - Erecting rammed earth buildings - Bush cooking - Bush games - Cradling Gold
	2.00pm	Gold Panning - 'Hands-on' Gold Panning
	2.30pm	Depart Bathurst Goldfields for return journey Short stop at Mc Donalds Blaxland - Own Expense
	7.00pm	Approximate arrival at school

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QUOTATION:

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DEPOSIT:

- A deposit of \$550.00 is required to confirm your booking.

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South Coast

3 day South Coast Sample Itinerary, Old Mogo Town, Gold Rush Theme Park

day 1	8.15am	Coach arrives at school
	8.30am	Depart school for the South Coast
	10.30am	Minnamurra Rainforest Centre (Budderoo National Park) The rainforest is particularly special because of the diversity of rainforest types, the range of ferns, and wildlife that exists within a relatively small area. Today students will enjoy a PowerPoint presentation/video & guided tour of the rainforest loop. Presentation & Guided Walk (2 hour duration) Lunch at Minnamurra – students & teachers provide own packed lunch. <i>Continuing our journey along the coast road travelling through Nowra, Ulladulla & Bateman's Bay where we will have a quick stop for afternoon tea. Students & teachers provide own afternoon tea.</i>
	3.30pm	Depart Bateman's Bay
	4.00pm	Old Mogo Town – Gold Rush Theme Park Walk into a time warp and experience the history and living conditions of Australia's 1850's gold rush days on the NSW South Coast. Explore the mine tunnels, historical buildings & antique machinery. On arrival students will settle into their accommodation.
	5.00pm	Time to play traditional games – Dominoes, Hop Scotch, Housey Housey, Tag, Skipping, Marbles, Coits, Rainy day games & Tug of War. These were the games played by children in the 1850's.
	6.00pm	Dinner
	7.00pm	Koori Culture Stories – beside the eerie light of the camp fire talking about Aboriginal Culture past & present.
8.00pm	Free Time & Bed Time	
day 2	8.00am	Breakfast
	9.00am	Gold History Tour & Bush Ranger Re-enactment
	12noon	Lunch
	1pm	Old Mogo Town Life – Imagine what it might have been like to live in the Gold Rush days of Australia. Explore going to school, making a traditional toy and the diggers staple food Damper.
	3.00pm	Free time
	3.30pm	Bush Dance preparation
	5.00pm	Free Time
	7.00pm	Traditional Bush Dance
9.00pm	Free Time & Bed Time	
day 3	8.00am	Breakfast
	9.00am	Depart Old Mogo Town
	9.15am	Mogo Zoo Meet the animals of Mogo Zoo with over 100 animals of more than 35 rare and exotic species.
	11.00am	Depart Mogo
	1.15pm	Stopping at Kiama to view the blowhole & lunch
	2.30pm	Wollongong Science Centre The Wollongong Science Centre is not just an educational facility. Their favourite words are 'Hands-on'; with over 100 'Hands-on' exhibits relating to various themes. (1 1/2 hour duration)
	4.00pm	Depart Wollongong for our return journey home.
	6.00pm	Approximate arrival at school



Old Mogo Town



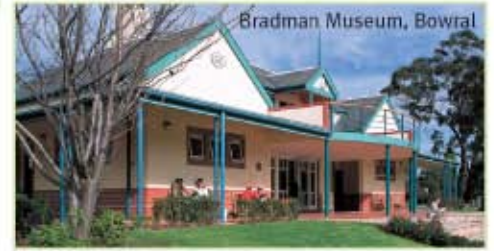
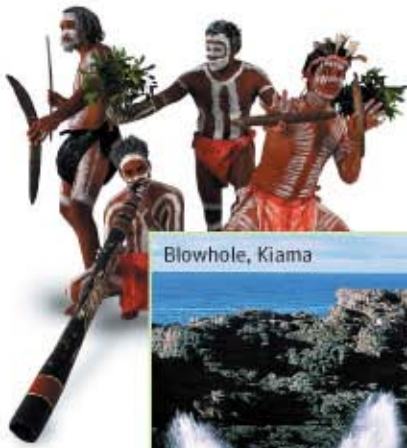
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South Coast



Venue selections

- Australia's Industry World, Wollongong
- Australian Genealogical Education Centre, Kiama
- Bradman Museum, Bowral
- Old Mogo Town & Mogo Zoo, Batemans Bay
- Umbarra Aboriginal Cultural Centre, Bermagui
- Minnamurra Rainforest
- Jamberoo Recreation Park

Central Coast



Venue selections

- Australian Reptile Park
- Dawson Scenic Cruises
- Environmental Education Centre, Morpeth
- Fighter World, Williamtown
- Australian Rainforest Sanctuary, Ourimbah
- Historic Morpeth
- Hunter Regional Botanic Gardens
- Hunter Valley Wineries
- Koolang Astronomical Observatory, Bucketty
- Kooloonbung Creek Nature Park, Port Macquarie
- Maitland Gaol
- Morpeth Courthouse Museum
- Nelson Bay Dolphin Watch
- Newcastle Guided Tram Tour
- Newcastle Maritime Museum
- Newcastle Regional Museum
- Sea Acres Rainforest Centre, Port Macquarie
- StarShip Cruises
- The Wetlands Centre
- Tocal Historic Homestead
- Vales Point Power Station, South Newcastle

Sydney



Discover Sydney

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- CSIRO Science Education Centre
- Fairfield City Farm
- Featherdale Farm
- Government House
- Hyde Park Barracks
- Imax Theatre Darling Harbour
- Koala Park
- Luna Park
- National Maritime Museum
- Maritime Museum
- Museum of Sydney
- Ocean Wold Manly
- Parliament House
- Power House Museum
- Royal Botanic Gardens
- Sydney Aquarium
- Sydney Harbour Cruise
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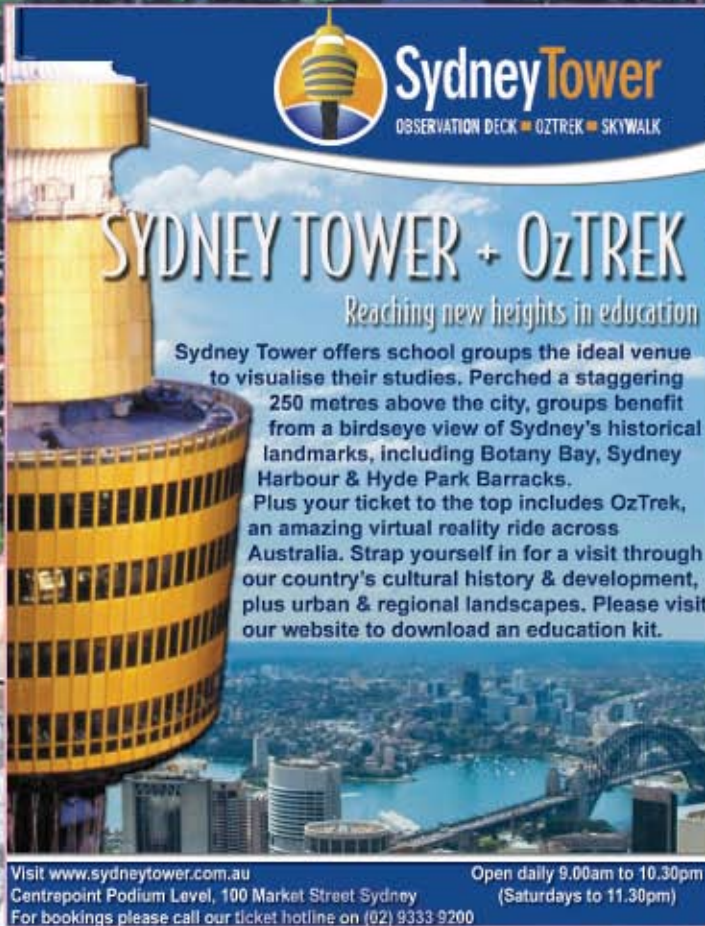
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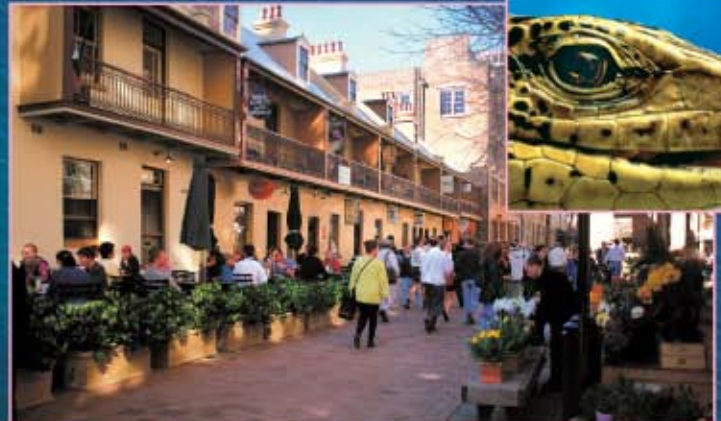


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Teachers Comment

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Teachers Comment

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Teachers Comment

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St Cecilia's School - Balgowlah,
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Teachers Comment

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Easy to contact your office.

Greystanes Public School,
3 Day Canberra, August 2009

Teachers Comment

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Warwick Farm Public School,
2 Day Bathurst, August 2009

Teachers Comment

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St Kieran's Public School,
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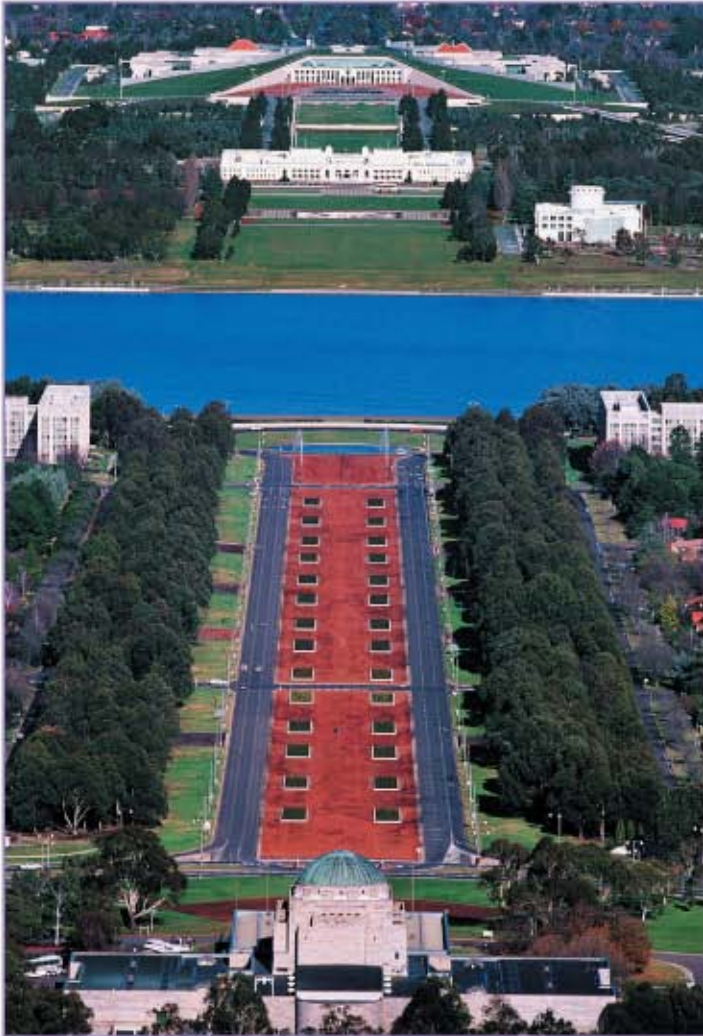
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- Cockington Green
- CSIRO Discovery Centre
- Electoral Education Centre
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- Indonesian Embassy
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- National Art Gallery
- National Capital Exhibition Centre
- National Library
- National Museum of Australia
- Old Parliament House
- Parliament House
- Parliamentary Education Office
- Pelican Sheep Station at Goulburn
- Questacon - National Science & Technology Centre
- Royal Australian Mint
- Screen Sound Australia
- Southern Cross Cruises
- St John's School House Museum
- Telstra Tower, Black Mountain
- Tidbinbilla Nature Reserve





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Applications for PACER must be submitted at least 3 weeks before the excursion and be accompanied by your itinerary showing bookings for Parliament House, Museum of Australian Democracy at Old Parliament House and/or the Electoral Education Centre and the Australian War Memorial.

For full details on eligibility and requirements and to obtain a PACER application form, visit www.ncetp.org.au or phone 1300 368 248.

The PACER supports Goal 2 of the *Melbourne Declaration on Educational Goals for Young Australians* which commits Australian governments to work in collaboration with all school sectors to support all young Australians to become successful learners, confident and creative individuals, and active and informed citizens.



▲ Find soldiers' names on the Australian War Memorial Roll of Honour

▲ Participate in a Parliamentary Education Office role-play

Canberra and Surrounding Regions

**\$20 REBATE
PER STUDENT*
FOR CANBERRA TOURS**
*Conditions apply refer p5

1 day Canberra Experience

A visit to our Nations Capital allows you to gain a valuable educational experience of our Government and our Nations history.

Depart school 6.30am - returns by 6.30pm

Choose 2-3 of the venues listed on page 4.

1 day Canberra

from **\$39.00 per student**
plus \$3.90 GST

based on 42-46 travelling passengers

2 day Canberra Adventure

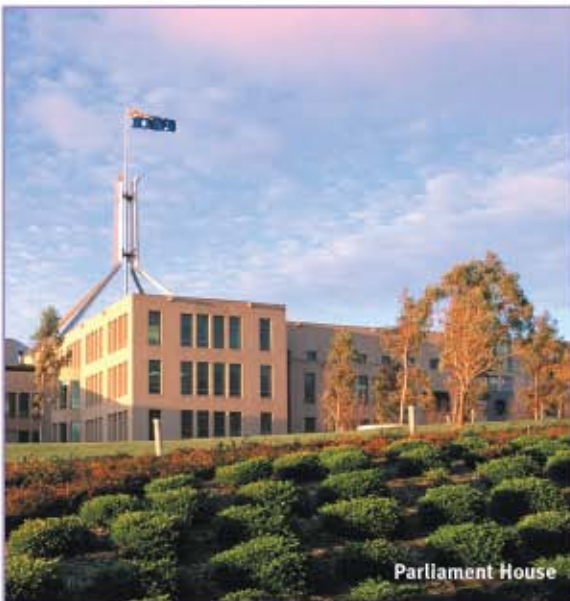
2 Day Canberra Adventure allows you to take advantage of Canberra's many attractions.

Experience our Government and our Nations History.

2 day Canberra

from **\$124.00 per student**
plus \$12.40 GST

based on 42-46 travelling passengers



Parliament House



Old Parliament House



Floriade Flower Festival



Experience democracy in action at the National Electoral Education Centre

Ideally located in the Senate Wing of Old Parliament House in Canberra is the National Electoral Education Centre (EEC). The EEC is a fun and interactive way to discover Australia's electoral system and attracts over 80,000 visitors annually.

**FREE
ENTRY**

The experience

During a visit to the EEC participants can:

- Enjoy a spectacular multimedia presentation
- Discover our interactive DEAZone
- Participate in an election scenario where everyone gets to vote.

Curriculum links

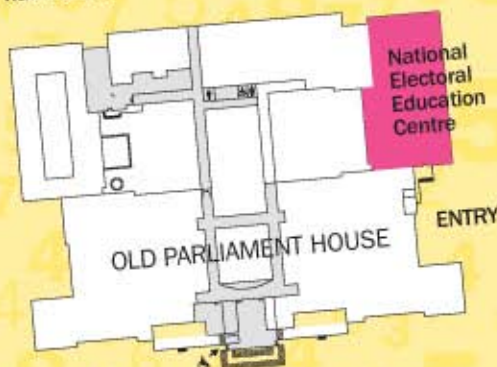
Programs offered at the National Electoral Education Centre are:

- Linked to the national Statements of Learning for Civics and Citizenship
- Tailored to suit a range of year levels
- Relevant to senior students of Australian history, politics and legal studies.

Booking details

Bookings are essential.
1800 020 067 or visit www.aec.gov.au

Sessions are 90 minutes and commence half hourly from 8.00am to 4.00pm.



National Electoral Education Centre
Senate Wing, Old Parliament House
King George Terrace, Parkes ACT 2600



*'A fun, hands-on experience
of active citizenship'*



THE NATIONAL DINOSAUR MUSEUM

Sink your teeth into some science and discover some of the amazing animals that once roamed the Earth.

Either take a **Daylight Tour** and experience all the exhibits in detail, or join the ranks of those who have dared to confront the Dinosaurs of Darkness on a **Dinosaurs at Night Tour**.

A journey into the past would not be complete without examining other life from before, during and after the Age of the Dinosaurs.

Don't miss out on this unique opportunity to explore the diverse history of Life on Earth with one of our guided tours. Your experience can be tailored to suit the specific needs of your group, with additional activities and a premium tour as available options.



- Group Admissions start from **8:00 am to 8:00 pm**, or by arrangement when booking.
- eDINOSAURIA CDencyclopedia given to all visiting schools.
- Fossil Casting, Australian Fossil Workshop and Fossil Hunter activities available - see web site for details.
- Worksheets available for use on Daylight Tours or as an after visit activity in the Classroom.
- Tour's can be tailored to suit.

The National Dinosaur Museum

Gold Creek Village

Cnr. Gold Creek Road and Barton Highway

NICHOLLS ACT 2913

Phone: 1800 356 000

For more information:

www.nationaldinosaurmuseum.com.au

admin@nationaldinosaurmuseum.com.au





DISCOVER CANBERRA AT NIGHT

**EDUCATIONAL NIGHT PROGRAMS YOUR
SCHOOL CAN DO WHILE IN CANBERRA.**



NATIONAL DINOSAUR MUSEUM

Find out what the Dinosaurs did at night, with the lights out and the spotlights on.

QUESTACON

Life-sized holograms, a walk-through kaleidoscope, and a lot more 'Hands-on' activities.

CSIRO DISCOVERY

Explore the exhibition showcasing environment, climate & weather, biodiversity, new technologies & medical and many more.



LANYON BY FIRELIGHT

Explore the lives of convicts and bushrangers in the 1830's and students come into contact with some of the physical realities of life at the 'Limits of Location'.

AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF SPORT

See where Australia's fittest bodies are created.

TELSTRA TOWER

Telstra Tower rises 195 metres above the summit of Black Mountain and provides a 360 degree view of Canberra. Learn about the history of telecommunication in Australia from the earliest days to the 21st century with 'Hands-on' experience when exploring the Making Connection exhibit.

COCKINGTON GREEN

Cockington Green Gardens offers a wonderful opportunity for schools to enjoy a mix of fun & education in the one place. The international area now boasts over 27 exhibitions, with more this year & now you can see the village illuminated at night.

CORROBOREE MAN

Boomerangs, Didgeridoo, and clapping-sticks. Decorate Boomerangs and learn how to throw a Boomerang by playing Boomerang Squash.

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL BOTANICAL GARDENS

Twilight Forest Adventure, join us for a fun, sensory evening by torchlight as we discover the sounds and smells of the Gardens at night.

