

In the Classroom programs are presented on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday and are typically 60 minutes in duration. There is a maximum of 2 classes per session of the presentation. Multiple sessions can be booked for a specific day. Please discuss with our Education Officer at the time of booking.

In Times of War – Term 1 & 2 only

Participate in an interactive telling of the events that led up to the First World War. Investigate the participation of our local men in the war through Birtwistlewiki. Discover objects that were used by our soldiers.

Djeran to Djilba - Term 2 & 3 only

Who are the Noongar people? Identify the features of the seasons. Compare the Noongar seasons with our seasons. Investigate Noongar artefacts used in the gathering of food. Discover Noongar food/medicine and their seasonal use.

Lest We Forget – Term 4 only

Discover the personal stories of local soldiers and nurses during WWI and find out how their lives were impacted by war. Explore objects used by servicemen from Armadale to understand their war time experience and why we remember? Learn about the significance of the poppy and how we remember those who participated in the war.

Life in a New Land

Discover the difference between a migrant, refugee and asylum seeker. Identify the waves of migration to Australia. Hear the stories of our migrants. Pack a “suitcase” for a child coming to Australia as a part of the post-war migration. Be wowed with amazing migration facts. Unpack a child migrant’s suitcase.

Old Time Games

Play the games that children played a hundred years ago. Have a go at quoits, skipping games, knucklebones, hula hoops, hopscotch, marbles or snakes and ladders.

Stone Tool Archaeology

At a simulated dig, learn about the methods used by archaeologists in the field, apply the skills needed and study stone tools found in the Pilbara region of Western Australia.