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## On-Line and Print Resources for Primary Schools

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- 2 **www.ryebuck.com.au/estudies/** with interactive PDFs and video which create a web and print-friendly format. See page 3.
- 3 Multimedia and print resources, available for purchase (see page 4).
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# Australian History Mysteries for Primary Schools

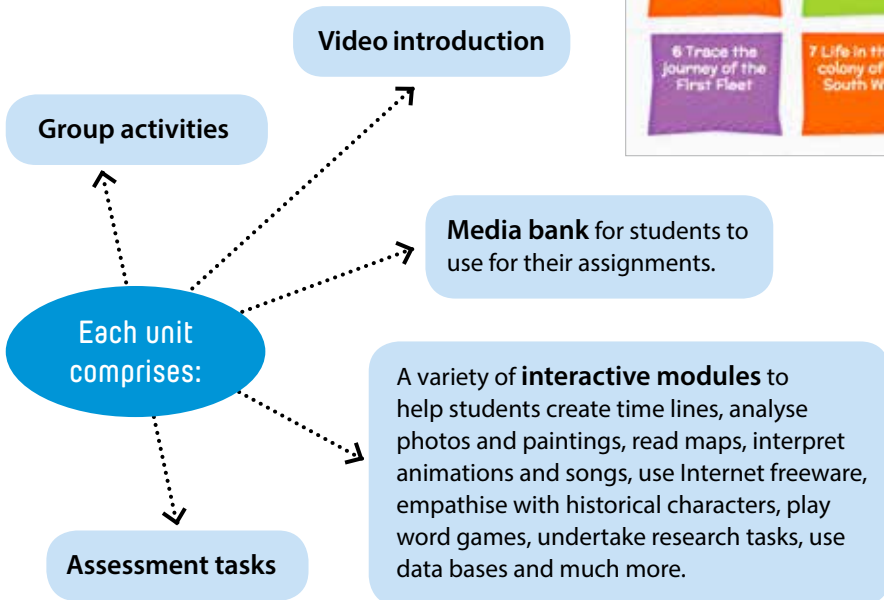
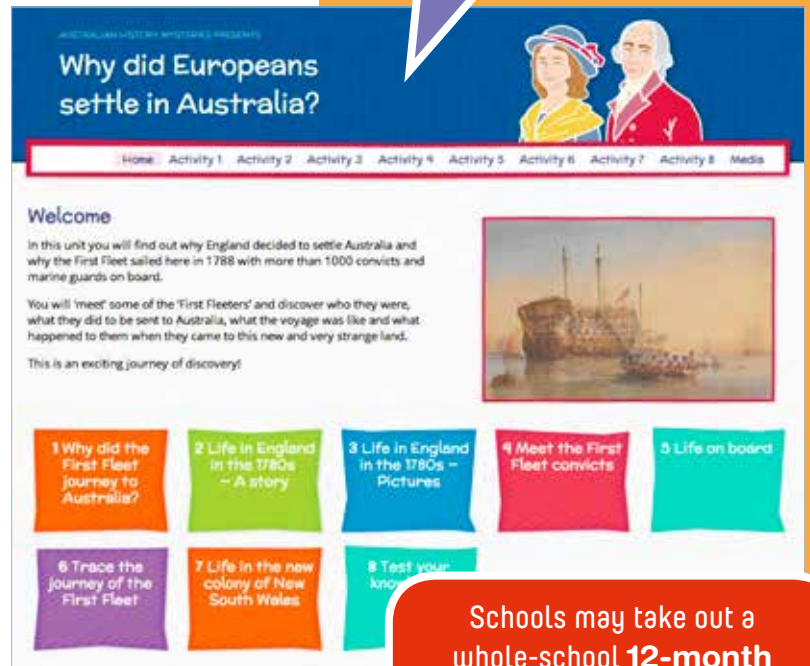
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for all the online resources you need for Australian Curriculum History – Years 3-6!

Welcome to *Australian History Mysteries for Primary Schools* – a subscription-based website containing **Key Inquiry Units** that focus specifically on the **Key Inquiry Questions** in the Australian Curriculum: History and **Extension Case Studies** that encourage students to investigate some of the mysteries in Australian History in greater depth.

Currently there are **5 Key Inquiry Units** and **7 Extension Case Studies** with more in the pipeline!

All Inquiry Units are scaffolded to help students achieve the required historical knowledge, understanding and skills.



Schools may take out a whole-school **12-month subscription** in 2014 at the special introductory rate of \$220 including GST.

In 2015 schools will be required to select a whole-school subscription based on the number of students in their school.

- Schools with 100 to 300 students: \$220 (Inc. GST) per annum
- Schools with 301 to 500 students: \$330 (Inc. GST) per annum
- Schools with 501 plus students: \$440 (Inc. GST) per annum

**TRIAL** the sample unit now, before you take out a school subscription.

[www.australianhistorymysteries.info/resource-zone/primary-first-fleet/index.php](http://www.australianhistorymysteries.info/resource-zone/primary-first-fleet/index.php)

PRIMARY SCHOOL KEY INQUIRY UNITS	Level
How has your community changed?	3
Why did Europeans settle Australia?	4
Why did great journeys of exploration occur?	4
Exploring the impact of a significant event – Gold and Eureka	5
How and why did Australia become a nation?	6

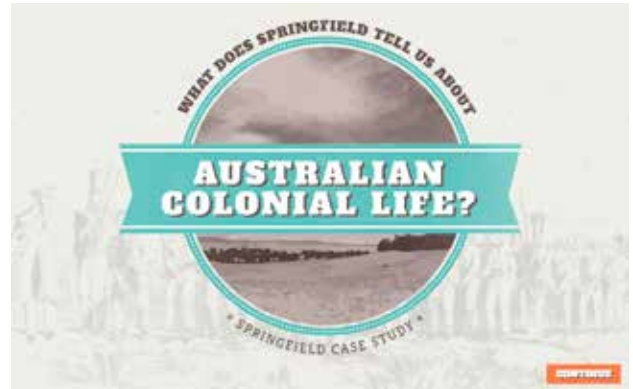
EXTENSION CASE STUDIES	Level
What is History? Ghost Town Game	3–6
What are the mysteries of Lake Mungo?	4, 5
Who discovered Australia?	4
Myths and mysteries of the crossing of the Blue Mountains	4, 5
What was the life of a female convict really like?	5
The Eureka Rebellion – could you have stopped it from happening?	5
Was Ned Kelly a hero or a villain?	5
What happened in a frontier conflict near Broome in 1864?	4
Could you be a good nation maker?	5, 6

# What does Springfield tell us about Australian colonial life?



Your history course asks you to explore what life was like in Australia in colonial times – from 1788 to 1901. You need to look at events, individuals and groups who helped shape Australia into what it is today.

Here's a way of starting that investigation, by looking at one property that was started in 1827 and still exists today. It is called Springfield. It is located near Goulburn in New South Wales.



You can do this in three ways:

**1 VIDEO TOUR** – take a video tour of the property and the National Museum of Australia to see some of the exhibits from Springfield and find out what they tell us about colonial life in Australia.

**2 DECISION-MAKER** – play the interactive decision-maker to see if you would have been able to run a property like Springfield and help develop Australia.

**3 MYSTERY OBJECTS GAME** – play the game to see if you can work out what the 10 Springfield 'mystery objects' are.

**PRICE \$88.00 including GST**  
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Welcome to

# eStudies

[www.ryebuck.com.au/estudies/](http://www.ryebuck.com.au/estudies/)

We have decided to publish this educational resource, now in its 19th year, in e-magazine format to make it more accessible to your students in the digital age. We are proud to have produced more than **250 classroom units** to date, which can be accessed at [www.ryebuck.com.au/shop/studies-catalogue/](http://www.ryebuck.com.au/shop/studies-catalogue/)

The new format enables your students to access video, interactive modules and research links on their own tablets and computers and thus make the learning experience richer and more interactive.

## eStudies units available online:

<b>eStudies 1/2013</b>	Glorious Days: Australia 1913 – Life in Australia 100 years ago. Were these really 'glorious years'? Will this society go to war? Explore Australia in 1913 and how the nation's military experience helped shape its identity.
<b>eStudies 1/2014</b>	How does the NMA's 'Old Masters' bark paintings exhibition help us to understand the Yirrkala petition? How did Australians respond to war in 1914? Why did they respond in these ways?
<b>eStudies 2/2014</b>	Australia is at war with Germany. Can you make 10 decisions about what Australia should do? Exploring the impact of a significant event – Gold and the Eureka Stockade. How and why did Australia become a nation?



# Multimedia Resources available for purchase

## Anzac Adventures

A series of eight DVD-ROM interactive games to help younger students understand the significance of Anzac Day.

LOWER – MIDDLE  
PRIMARY

\$55



## Australian History Mysteries Kit for primary students

DVD-ROM of films; book of copyable evidence/inquiry worksheets and Teacher's Guide for five case studies:

- Who 'discovered' Australia?
- Life of a female convict
- The Eureka Rebellion
- Frontier conflict at Broome 1864
- Was Ned Kelly a hero or villain?

UPPER PRIMARY. \$132



## In search of ... Resource Kit

DVD-ROM of five interactives and associated inquiry/evidence books on aspects of the Australian experience of World War 1 and after:

- Can you survive the infantryman's war? (Infantryman)
- Can you navigate the AE2 to Constantinople? (Sailor)
- Can you help the battlefield casualties? (Nurse)
- Can you survive the Charge at Beersheba? (Light Horseman)
- Can you solve the mystery of Smithy's last flight? (Airman).

UPPER PRIMARY. \$115



## Modelled Reading Kit

This Reading Support kit can be integrated with literacy programs.

- Tutor handbook
- Steps to modelled reading wall chart
- Coordinator's handbook
- Sample letters, tutor contracts, questionnaires, reading assessments, evaluation.

MIDDLE – UPPER PRIMARY.  
\$165



## Myths and Mysteries of the Crossing of the Blue Mountains



The kit contains a 20-minute 'virtual visit' film, Teacher Guides and Student Worksheets and an iPad-friendly interactive decision-maker to challenge students to see if they would have been good explorers in 1813.

MIDDLE – UPPER PRIMARY.  
\$88



## Exploring Australian Plants Resource Kit

DVD and book of copyable worksheets for exploring four environmental themes:

- Eucalypts and koalas
- Boabs and Indigenous use
- the 'dinosaur tree' Wollemi pine re-discovered
- Indigenous plant use.

MIDDLE PRIMARY. \$88



## Australian History Mysteries Nineteenth Century Educational Games



A collection of five interactive games created to complement Australian History Mysteries — Nineteenth Century Resource Kit.

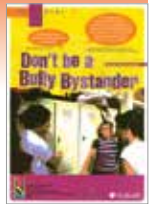
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## Don't be a Bully Bystander Resource Kit

DVD-ROM film scenario; book of copyable worksheets and resource pages for classroom strategies dealing with bullying.

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## What does Springfield tell us about Australian Colonial Life?



This DVD-ROM encourages students to explore what life was like in Australia in colonial times – from 1788 to 1901 by looking at events, individuals and groups who helped shape Australia into what it is today. The video tour, decision-maker and mystery objects game encourage students to try to manage a colonial property and help Australia become a nation!

MIDDLE – UPPER  
PRIMARY. \$88



## The Spirit of Anzac

DVD-ROM interactive and copyable inquiry/evidence worksheets for introducing historical inquiry, introducing Anzac Day, and exploring some key aspects of using historical evidence in a light-hearted way.

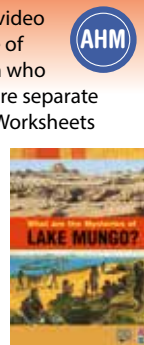
MIDDLE – UPPER  
PRIMARY. \$66



## What are the Mysteries of Lake Mungo?

The kit contains a 25-minute video that takes students to the site of Mungo Lady and Mungo Man who lived in ancient times. There are separate Teacher Guides and Student Worksheets for primary and secondary levels and an iPad-friendly interactive module that challenges students to manage this World Heritage site for the future.

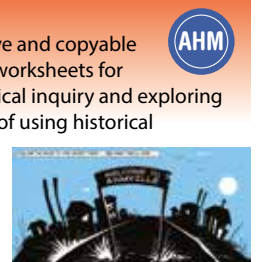
MIDDLE PRIMARY – UPPER  
PRIMARY. \$88



## Ghost Town

CD-ROM interactive and copyable inquiry/evidence worksheets for introducing historical inquiry and exploring some key aspects of using historical evidence in a light-hearted way.

MIDDLE – UPPER  
PRIMARY. \$55



Also available in digital format at the subscription site [www.AustralianHistoryMysteries.info](http://www.AustralianHistoryMysteries.info)