

YEAR 9

Civics and Citizenship – *Our democratic rights*

The role of political parties, and independent representatives in Australia's system of government, including the formation of governments (ACHCK075)

WA IDEAS

- **The political parties of Western Australia:** looking at the political parties of WA and their place across history in the Western Australian government
- **The government of Western Australia:** when, where, changes over time, who forms the government, etc.
- **Edith Cowan:** the election of the first female to parliament

RESOURCES

The political parties of Western Australia

<https://walabor.org.au/history>

Western Australian Labor Party

<https://greens.org.au/wa/our-history>

History of the Western Australian Greens

<https://www.waliberal.org.au/the-party/our-history/>

History of the Western Australian Liberal Party

<http://www.nationalswa.com/history>

History of the Nationals in Western Australia

<https://www.elections.wa.gov.au/candidates-and-parties/registered-political-parties-wa>

List of registered political parties in Western Australia

The Government of Western Australia

<https://www.elections.wa.gov.au/elections/state/past-elections>

Past election results

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2017-03-05/wa-election-who-are-the-microparties-standing/8321476>

The rise of micro parties in the 2017 Western Australia elections

[http://www.parliament.wa.gov.au/WebCMS/WebCMS.nsf/resources/file-structure-and-function/\\$file/Structure%20and%20Function%2005082015%20.pdf](http://www.parliament.wa.gov.au/WebCMS/WebCMS.nsf/resources/file-structure-and-function/$file/Structure%20and%20Function%2005082015%20.pdf)

Pamphlet – the structure and function of the West Australian government

<http://www.parliament.wa.gov.au/WebCMS/WebCMS.nsf/content/about-parliament>

Parliament fact sheets on the different sections of the WA government

Edith Cowan

<http://www.australiangeographic.com.au/blogs/on-this-day/2011/08/on-this-day-australias-first-female-politician-born/>

Article – Australian Geographic, Australia's first female politician

[http://www.parliament.wa.gov.au/intranet/libpages.nsf/WebFiles/FACTSHEETS+SN+08+WOMen+in+Parliament+2013+May+updated+9+april/\\$FILE/FACTSHEETS+SN+8+Women+in+Parliament+2013+May+updated+9+april.pdf](http://www.parliament.wa.gov.au/intranet/libpages.nsf/WebFiles/FACTSHEETS+SN+08+WOMen+in+Parliament+2013+May+updated+9+april/$FILE/FACTSHEETS+SN+8+Women+in+Parliament+2013+May+updated+9+april.pdf)

Parliament library Western Australia – fact sheet

http://www.nma.gov.au/online_features/defining_moments/featured/edith-cowan

National Museum of Australia – defining moments in Australian history – Edith Cowan

EXCURSIONS/INCURSIONS

<https://www.constitutionalcentre.wa.gov.au/Pages/Default.aspx>

Constitutional centre excursion

How citizens' choices are shaped at election time (e.g. public debate, media, opinion polls, advertising, interest groups, political party campaigns) (ACHCK076)

WA IDEAS

- **Government expenditure on elections:** comparison between political parties and how much they spend on campaigning
- **Method used to win elections:** the methods that are used to influence votes

RESOURCES

Government expenditure on elections

<https://thewest.com.au/politics/state-politics/this-is-how-much-money-was-spent-on-the-wa-election-ng-b88546177z>

Article – the West, how much money was spent on the WA election

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2017-07-24/wa-liberals-fundraising-problems-laid-bare/8738340>

Article, the ABC breaks down how much each party spent on the election

Methods used to win elections

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2016-06-27/election-2016-the-many-ways-to-woo-a-voter/7529714>

Article, the ABC, influence over people

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BG7Sxk_8RSo

Example advertising (Labor), against Liberal

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=buYUoJhFswM>

Greens campaign video

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QDAbhRljNus>

How social media is used to influence people's understanding of issues (ACHCK076)

WA IDEAS

- **Facebook data:** used in campaigns to access voter and build stigma around popularity

RESOURCES

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2017-02-14/social-media-playing-vital-role-in-wa-election/8268738>

Article – the ABC, *WA Election: How political parties are using your Facebook profile to target you*

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2017-10-12/social-media-warfare-hits-denmark-council-elections/9040790>

The negative impact of the use of social media during election campaigns: Denmark, WA case study

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2017-02-09/wa-election-social-media-fake-followers-and-not-so-micro-parties/8256722>

Politics and popularity, fake social media implications

<https://thewest.com.au/politics/state-politics/how-labor-used-facebook-to-win-the-election-ng-b88431006z>

Article, the West How Labor used Facebook to win the election

The key features of Australia's court system and the role of a particular court (e.g. a supreme court, a magistrates' court, the Family Court of Australia) and the types of cases different courts hear (ACHCK077)

WA IDEAS

- **Western Australian court system:** the structure and history of the Western Australian courts

RESOURCES

WA Court system

A Atkinson Et Al, Society and Environment 2, Pearson, 2010

Summary Chart

A Atkinson Et Al, Society and Environment 3, Pearson, 2007

Alternative methods of settling disputes in WA

S Chapman and M Saldais, Society and Environment in WA 2, Jacaranda, 2005

Ombudsman, Tribunals, Arbitration, CAB

<https://www.lawsocietywa.asn.au/wp-content/uploads/2015/09/FBLEP-Court-Hierarchy-Flow-Chart.pdf>

Flow chart of the court system in Western Australia

<http://www.districtcourt.wa.gov.au/H/history.aspx?uid=3824-4637-2117-4118>

History of the District court in Western Australia

<http://www.supremecourt.wa.gov.au/H/history.aspx?uid=5392-9554-2354-3872>

History of the Supreme court in Western Australia

<https://www.lawsocietywa.asn.au/community/mock-trial-competition/>

Access to the Law Society Mock Trial competition materials

EXCURSION/INCURSIONS

<https://www.lawsocietywa.asn.au/community/francis-burt-law-education-programme/#francis-burt-law-education-programme>

Visit the supreme, district or magistrates court of Western Australia through the Francis Burt Law Education Programme

How courts apply and interpret the law, resolve disputes, and make law through judgments (e.g. the role of precedents) (ACHCK077)

WA IDEAS

- Example Western Australian cases of precedent

RESOURCES

R v. Peterson case

A Atkinson Et Al, Society and Environment 3, Pearson, 2007

Small article/ questions

Graffiti

A Atkinson Et Al, Society and Environment 3, Pearson, 2007

article

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2016-05-16/court-rules-against-wa-government-bell-group-alan-bond-laws/7417122>

Article – the ABC, Court room impacts government legislation

The factors that can undermine the application of the principles of justice (e.g. bribery, coercion of witnesses, trial by media, court delays) (ACHCK078)

WA IDEAS

- **Jurors and the influence of media:** the increasing debate about the influence of media on jurors
- **Break downs in the court process:** Case study

RESOURCES

Jurors and the influence of media

<https://www.australasianlawyer.com.au/news/are-jury-trials-on-the-way-out-225239.aspx>

Article – Australasian Lawyer, Juror dismissed after Facebook post

Break downs in the court process

<https://www.perthnow.com.au/news/wa/liam-bartlett-why-ingrid-bishop-wants-answers-over-sons-broome-murder-ng-2e7f993f51f0a2205528a66243d4ade3>

Ingrid Bishop – disturbance to son's case

Conti, L., Easton, M., Saldais, M., Dumovic V., and Kostecki R. (2016). Oxford big ideas: Humanities and Social Sciences 9, Melbourne, Victoria: Oxford university Press. Page 488

Case study – Ingrid Bishop

Year 9 Civics and Citizenship Teaching Ideas

- Students could construct a timeline demonstrating the introduction and change of major political parties in Western Australia over the past 100 years. Students should annotate the timeline with information regarding party splits and significant changes in leadership – including which government has been in power and when, change and continuity in their party policies.
- In assessing the influence of political campaigning you may like to look at the tactics, modes and mediums used by various parties and simulate your own classroom experience of campaigning. Encourage students to consider using different types of advertising according to their target groups, policies that may attract votes, tactics against 'competing parties', how to express their party platform.
- Have students consider the increasing role of social media to political campaigns. Pose the question 'is this advertising morally right?' and 'does the use of Facebook for political campaigns increase awareness in Australian democracy?'. Use the articles and data to assess and debate the questions within the class.
- Using the case material available to be down loaded from the Mock Trials website have students split into groups and take on roles in a practice mock trial of their own. This task encourages students to use legal terminology in practice, teaches critical and innovative thinking and uses relevant Western Australian cases as examples. Student's final performance in the mock trial could even be used as a formal assessment task.
- Students could further investigate the influence of media on Western Australia and democracy with reference to its use and miss-use throughout this course. Students could stage a debate over whether or not media has had a positive or negative influence on modern democracy and the outcomes of democracy in Western Australia

Economics and business - *Australia and the global economy*

Australia's interdependence with other economies, such as trade and tourism, trade links with partners in the Asia region, and the goods and services traded (ACHEK038)

WA IDEAS

- **Tourism:** Famous Western Australian sites and natural wonders attract tourists from other countries
- **Trade:** Western Australia's trade relationship with the Asian region

RESOURCES

Tourism

A Atkinson Et Al, Society and Environment 3, Pearson, 2007

WA Tourism region information

<https://parks.dpaw.wa.gov.au/about-was-tourism-regions>

Parks and Wildlife WA tourism region information

Ningaloo Reef: case study

C Bedson, Humanities Alive Geography, Jacaranda, 2010

Purnululu National park

A Atkinson Et Al, Society and Environment 1, Pearson, 2003

Case study

<https://www.constitutionalcentre.wa.gov.au/175thAnniversary/HeritageIcons/Pages/July-NingalooReef.aspx>

Links to information on reef, use of reef etc.

https://www.tourism.wa.gov.au/marketing/Brand-and-campaigns/Pages/Just_Another_Day_in_WA.aspx#/

‘Just another day in WA’ tourism campaign – links to useful videos

<https://www.perthnow.com.au/news/tourism/tourism-campaign-hotel-perth-sells-wa-holidays-as-affordable-ng-b88756662z>

Article and corresponding video – government reaction to Perth being branded as having expensive accommodation

<https://www.smh.com.au/business/tourism-australia-in-40m-aquatic-and-coastal-push-20151211-glkyb9.html>

Article – Sydney Morning Herald, Western Australia’s place in Australian Tourism Campaign

Trade

<https://www.mediastatements.wa.gov.au/Pages/Lawrence/1992/10/WA-leads-country-in-international-trade.aspx>

Media statement – WA takes over eastern states counterparts in the 1990s as Australia’s most significant trader with over seas markets

<https://theconversation.com/western-australias-welcome-engagement-in-asia-has-been-a-long-time-coming-74927>

Article, the Conversation – 2017 Labour government appoints the state’s first minister for Asian engagement, Bill Johnston.

<http://www.abc.net.au/btn/story/s3624406.htm>

The concept of Australia and Western Australia’s place in ‘the Asian Century’

<http://www.waterforfood.wa.gov.au/Investment/Why-Western-Australia>

Western Australia’s advantageous trade relationship with Asia

<http://www.abs.gov.au/Ausstats/abs@.nsf/7d12b0f6763c78caca257061001cc588/5764196ebee319ca25711a0080714f!OpenDocument>

ABS report on Western Australia's changing trade relations - The emergence of China and India

Why and how participants in the global economy are dependent on each other, including the activities of transnational corporations in the supply chains and the impact of global events on the Australian economy (ACHEK039)

WA IDEAS:

- **The Global Financial Crisis:** the predominantly negative impact of the GFC on WA’s economy and mining sector in comparison to the rest of Australia
- **WA’s place in the Global supply chain:** the importance of WA’s geography and access to natural resources

RESOURCES

The Global Financial crisis:

<https://www.worldfinance.com/special-reports/recession-proof-australia>

The impact of the global financial crisis on Australia and Western Australia

WA's place in the Global supply chain:

<http://www.murdoch.edu.au/Murdoch-Commission/Commissions/First-Murdoch-Commission/Our-Themes/Resources-Interdependence-and-Security/>

The first Murdoch University commission on the growing interdependency of Western Australia and the Asian region

<http://www.jtsi.wa.gov.au/docs/default-source/default-document-library/mets-snapshot.pdf?sfvrsn=23>

WA's mining industry as integral to the Global Supply Chain

<http://www.jtsi.wa.gov.au/trade-with-wa/buying-from-wa/agriculture-food>

The extent of WA's agricultural production as part of the global supply chain

The ways consumers can protect themselves from risks, such as debt, scams and identity theft (ACHEK040)

WA IDEAS:

- **Property scams:** the prevalence of scams across Western Australia and equipping consumers with the ability to identify them
- **Private debt levels:** the place of WA in regards to Australia's national debt and individual debt

RESOURCES

Property scams

<https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/publications/renewed-warning-after-another-loss-wa-property-sale-scam-0>

Consumer protection, cyber-attack that intercepted a property sale transaction has triggers Consumer Protection to issue

<https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/consumer-protection/wa-scamnet-0>

ScamNet - profiles the most prevalent scams targeting Western Australians and provides information on different types of scams, how to recognise scams, and what to do if you have received a scam.

<http://www.watoday.com.au/wa-news/mother-of-all-property-scams-rears-ugly-head-again-20120219-1tgr.html>

Re-occurring property scam in Perth

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2011-11-19/australian-homes-targeted-by-property-scam/3681838>

The susceptibility of WA to a national property scam

Private debt levels

<https://www.perthnow.com.au/opinion/peter-van-onselen-our-debt-a-triple-crown-of-thorns-ng-9969b9a2c7ffa2abd41e02741d7475e2>

WA's triple crown of debt

<https://www.perthnow.com.au/news/wa/young-west-australians-credit-crazy-racking-up-debt-at-alarming-rate-says-ratecity-consumer-study-ng-ffb8d7aaa4332c3a2b6c7a7e5baafc6f>

Credit Card debt in young West Australians

<http://www.afr.com/news/policy/budget/wa-debt-spirals-towards-unprecedented-39b-20151220-glsabf>

Financial review – WA's debt levels

The way the work environment is changing in contemporary Australia and the implication for current and future work (ACHEK042)

WA IDEAS

- **Future proofing Perth jobs:** responding to the changing nature of the Western Australia economy
- **The impact of digital technologies in Perth:** the impact of technology on the future careers

RESOURCES

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2015-03-19/fact-file3b-facts-about-the-workforce/6322238>

11 facts about the changing face of the Australian workforce

<https://www.michaelpage.com.au/advice/management-advice/engagement-and-retention/what-does-future-wa-jobs-market-look>

A break down of the trends in the WA jobs market

<https://www.perthnow.com.au/news/wa/was-future-what-perth-life-will-be-like-in-2021-ng-8ea9bee600a21dbfb56deac81b357d59>

WA's future: what Perth life will be like in 2021

<https://thewest.com.au/news/world/augmented-reality-could-be-the-future-of-work-bc-5694584540001>

Video: 'Augmented reality' could be the future of work

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2017-09-19/careers-to-pursue-to-avoid-being-replaced-by-a-robot/8951384>

What future-proof jobs can you train for now that won't be threatened by the rise of robots?

<https://cciwa.com/about-us/news-and-media-statements/drive-the-future-of-perth>

Chamber of commerce and industry WA report 'Drive the future of Perth'

Year 9 Economics and Business Teaching Ideas

- Give your students A3 size maps of Australia and Asia. Using the information provided get students to draw connections/links between the Asian region and WA, mapping where our resources are traded to, including quantities and changes over time (i.e. agriculture to mining)
- Get students to create their own marketing campaign for tourism in Western Australia. Get students to consider the most 'sell-able' elements of Western Australia and to whom is their prime target audience. Students should estimate the possible economic difference their campaign could make (given historical case studies) to the Australian economy (i.e. revenue, employment, urban growth, etc).
- Have students use the information on scams to create awareness posters about the threat and impact of Scams on the internet. Students should show evidence of the possible scale of impact for personal, state, national and global finance
- WA and Australia have some of the highest private debt levels in the world. Have students create mini documentaries on the scale, impact, and possible effects of private debt levels in Western Australia
- From the information provided have students create an advertisement for a 'job of the future' in WA. You should identify first with the class the following: 1) what are the skills needed for the future, 2) in what ways is the Perth job market changing and how will this reflect on jobs skill and requirements, and 3) which sectors of the economy are growing and will there be need more employment opportunities.
 - Students should then choose one of these advertisement to write a mock future job application in response
- Get students to trace the role and significance of Asia to the past and future economic development of Western Australia under a set of measures: employment, trade, investment, corporations, tourism. Students may trace this through annotating a map of Western Australia, a 'projected future timeline' (i.e. Annotating Hypothetical targets based on historical data), an infographic, etc.
- Get students to find historical tourism posters. Students can create an artistic journal that demonstrates continuity and change over time in the messages of these sources.

GEOGRAPHY - *Biomes and food security*

The distribution and characteristics of biomes as regions with distinctive climates, soils, vegetation and productivity (ACHGK060)

WA IDEAS

Ninglao Reef – Ocean Biome

South West – Temperate forrest biome

Mid West – Desert Biome

North West – Grassland Biome

RESOURCES

Ningaloo Reef

<https://www.australiascoralcoast.com/destination/ningaloo-marine-park>

Australia's Coral Coast – profile of the marine park

<http://ningaloo-atlas.org.au/content/ningaloo-marine-park-habitat-map>

Ningaloo Atlas – Department of Environment and Conservation – park Habitat Map

<https://www.marineconservation.org.au/pages/ningaloo-marine-park.html>

Conservation society – Marine park

<http://whc.unesco.org/en/list/1369>

Ningaloo UNESCO listing including how it meets the criteria

<https://theconversation.com/western-australias-coral-reefs-are-in-trouble-we-mustnt-ignore-them-53111>

Article – the conversation, the impact of climate change and the future of WA's coral reefs

South West

http://awsassets.wwf.org.au/downloads/wa006_swef_jewel_of_the_australian_continent_1apr06.pdf

Report including detailed maps of the southwest region of WA

http://wwf.panda.org/what_we_do/where_we_work/southwest_australia/

WWF – southwest region biodiversity report

North West

<https://www.agric.wa.gov.au/rangelands/buffel-and-birdwood-grasses>

Agriculture and food of WA's North West

The ways that humans in the production of food and fibre have altered some biomes (e.g. through vegetation clearance, drainage, terracing, irrigation) (ACHGK061)

AND

The environmental, economic and technological factors that influence crop yields in Australia and across the world (e.g. climate, soils, landforms, water resources, irrigation, accessibility, labour supply, agricultural technologies) (ACHGK062)

WA IDEAS

- **Agricultural schemes:** the development of the south west
- **Group Settlement schemes:** 1920s
- **Effects of Depression:** 1930s,
- **Wheat and dairy farming during the war**
- **The role of wheat production in WA history**

RESOURCES

[http://cottonaustralia.com.au/uploads/resources/Year_9 -
_Biomes_that_produce_our_food,_industrial_materials_and_fibre.pdf](http://cottonaustralia.com.au/uploads/resources/Year_9_-_Biomes_that_produce_our_food,_industrial_materials_and_fibre.pdf)

Year 9 curriculum resources – Biomes that produce our food and fibre waste

<https://theconversation.com/australias-farming-future-western-australia-14150>

Article, the conversation Australia's farming future is Western Australia

<http://www.wanowandthen.com/Great-Depression.html>

impact of the Great Depression on Western Australia

<http://www.mrdhs.com.au/?file=kop3.php>

History of the Group Settlement Schemes in the Margaret River district including the impact of the depression

<https://australianfoodtimeline.com.au/group-settlement-scheme/>

History of the Group Settlement Schemes in relation to the supply of food and agriculture

[http://www.abs.gov.au/ausstats/abs@.nsf/46d1bc47ac9d0c7bca256c470025ff87/3319eb4d2d14b
d2dca256cae0015bad3!OpenDocument](http://www.abs.gov.au/ausstats/abs@.nsf/46d1bc47ac9d0c7bca256c470025ff87/3319eb4d2d14bd2dca256cae0015bad3!OpenDocument)

ABS statistical impact of farming on the Western Australian environment

[https://www.mla.com.au/globalassets/mla-corporate/blocks/research-and-development/wa-
climate-change-and-commodities.pdf](https://www.mla.com.au/globalassets/mla-corporate/blocks/research-and-development/wa-climate-change-and-commodities.pdf)

What and sheep production, climate change, and Western Australian farming

<http://museum.wa.gov.au/explore/wa-goldfields/environmental-impacts/pastoralism>

The historical impact of pastoralism in the Western Australian Goldfields

<https://greens.org.au/policies/wa/agriculture>

WA Greens sustainable agricultural platform (*hint: can be paired with the study of political groups in Civics and Citizenship*)

A Atkinson Et Al, Society and Environment 1, Pearson, 2003

Case study of intensive farming- Viticulture , extensive land use-wheat-York.

Opening up of the Wheatbelt

A Atkinson Et Al, Society and Environment 1, Pearson, 2010

Salinity

M Fazio et al, Society and Environment for WA Book 1, Jacaranda, 2004

Casestudy

The challenges to food production, including land and water degradation, shortage of fresh water, competing land uses, and climate change for Australia and the world (ACHGK063)

WA IDEAS

- **WA food production and innovation**
- **Profile of historical and current challenges to farming in WA**
- **Soldier Settlement Schemes in WA**

RESOURCES

<https://www.agric.wa.gov.au/grains-research-development/western-australian-wheat-industry>

Wheat production and markets in Western Australia

<https://www.croplife.org.au/western-australia-has-a-proud-history-of-agricultural-innovation/>

Western Australia has a proud history of agricultural innovation

<http://www.abs.gov.au/ausstats/abs@.nsf/featurearticlesbytitle/F31ABD086779E596CA25730D0018BCBC?OpenDocument>

ABS report on the foreseen challenges to the Agricultural industry in WA

http://www.nma.gov.au/online_features/defining_moments/featured/soldier_settlement

National Museum of Australia – Soldier Settlement schemes in Western Australia

<http://insidestory.org.au/how-to-eat-a-wilderness/>

Inside story report – WA and the wheat belt from the 1920s: challenges to food security

https://www.planning.wa.gov.au/dop_pub_pdf/State_Planning_Strategy_2050.pdf

State planning strategy for 2050 – infographics, tables, statistics, etc.

Geographies of interconnections

The perceptions people have of place, and how this influences their connections to different places (ACHGK065)

WA IDEAS

- Famous 'Places' or Perception in WA (and how they may have changed over time):
 - Rottnest Island
 - Moore River
 - Kings Park (Commemoration)
 - Aborigines banned from entering the centre of Perth. (Remains in force until 1948.)

RESOURCES

Rottnest Island

<https://www.theaustralian.com.au/arts/review/rotnest-islands-dark-past/news-story/81f70728a193f800bb0f2ce769ec8fcf?sv=9f63abda64436b3961b26315f8cda6cb>

Article, the Australian – Rottnest Island's dark past

<http://www.rotnestisland.com/the-island/about-the-island/our-history>

Natural History of Rottnest Island

<http://www.rotnestisland.com/the-island/about-the-island/our-history>

The changing perception and use of Rottnest island – Article, ABC news 'Rottnest Island: Black prison to white playground'.

<https://www.constitutionalcentre.wa.gov.au/175thAnniversary/HeritageIcons/Pages/May-RottnestIsland.aspx>

The constitutional centre of Western Australia – a detail history of Rottnest Island thematically and chronologically

<http://www.historycouncilwa.org.au/advocacy/rotnest-island/>

The History Council of Western Australia – advocacy statement

Moore River

<https://trove.nla.gov.au/newspaper/article/59839600>

Trove – National Library of Australia – the Story of Moore River Mission

<https://guildertonwa.com.au/fomre/moore-river-south-development/history/>

The modern history of Moore River

<http://www.mabonativetitle.com/info/mooreRiverWA.htm>

Moore River and Native title

<http://australian-cultural-atlas.info/CAA/listing.php?id=133>

Interactive Map – Australian cultural Atlas

Kings Park

<https://www.bgpa.wa.gov.au/kings-park/visit/history/historical-timeline>

Timeline – the history of Kings Park

<https://www.bgpa.wa.gov.au/kings-park/visit/history/aboriginal-history>

Aboriginal history of Kings park

<https://www.bgpa.wa.gov.au/kings-park/visit/history>

Memorials and historic features of Kings Park

<https://www.bgpa.wa.gov.au/about-us/conservation/wa-botanic-garden/beedawong>

Beedawong history of Kings park

Aborigines banned from entering the centre of Perth

<https://www.noongarculture.org.au/prohibited-area-map/>

Prohibited area map

<https://www.dpc.wa.gov.au/lantu/south-west-native-title-settlement/Pages/Noongar-History---A-Brief-Summary.aspx>

Noongar History in Perth

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2014-07-11/noongar-maps-of-perth-city-released/5589910>

Mapping Noongar Perth: new guide details Indigenous history in the CBD

EXCURSION/INCURSIONS

<https://www.bgpa.wa.gov.au/kings-park/events/kings-park-education>

Education program – Kings Park

The way transportation, and information and communication technologies are used to connect people to services, information and people in other places (ACHGK066)

AND

The ways that places and people are interconnected with other places through trade in goods and services, at all scales (ACHGK067)

WA IDEAS

- **Transport:** around Perth – the development of transport links
- **Trade:** WA a growingly interconnected world

RESOURCES

Transport

<https://www.pm.gov.au/media/traffic-moves-freely-new-mitchell-freeway-extension>

The development of the Mitchell freeway – connecting northern Perth

<http://www.abc.net.au/news/2015-01-19/perth-causeway-history/6025254>

Perth Causeway links to early colonial transportation and city heritage

<http://www.pta.wa.gov.au/about-us/our-role/our-history>

The role and history of Public Transport Authority in WA

<http://www.raafawa.org.au/museum/wa-aviation-history/west-australian-airways>

West Australian Airways. Western Australian Airways becomes the first to commence regular commercial flights. (Later to become MacRobertson Miller Aviation in 1934)

http://www.slwa.wa.gov.au/federation/iss/080_airs.html

1929 Interstate air services begin in WA

Trade and Other

<https://www.committeeforperth.com.au/assets/documents/ConnectivityReportNovember2013.pdf>

PDF – ‘Perth, a globally connected city’

<http://www.news.uwa.edu.au/business-briefing/international-experts-map-perths-liveability-global-scale>

UWA - *International experts to map Perth's liveability on global scale*



Year 9 Geography Teaching Ideas

- Students could create an annotated map of Western Australia, predominantly featuring 'key places' that demonstrate the various biomes in WA. Students should include images of the various biome characteristics to achieve this.
- Case study: Agriculture in Western Australia featuring various government directed agricultural plans such as the soldier settlement schemes, its economic, social, political and environment success. Students could initially create a time line of the development of Agricultural policies in the south west, and along this timeline insert reference to economic, social, political and environment impacts. From this visual representation they could assess the significance of the impacts of these schemes and whether they were a success or failure. Additionally they could assess which event (i.e. depression, world war, government policy, etc) had the most significant impact on the sustainability of the land.
 - As an extension of this, students could draw a predicted growth graph that indicates the nature and extent of Economic output, employment, trade, (etc) that the Australian government hope to see from this sector.
- Students could address perceptions of place by building two 'story books' about the history of a place from different perspectives (i.e. Aboriginal vs. white Australian, Cultural vs. Political, economic vs cultural, etc). The sources the students use to 'tell the narrative' should directly represent the changing attitudes to tat place over time and the nature of *change*: including the change in the use of this place (e.g. Kings Park – introduction of War memorial, then cultural entertainment venues, then parkland). They could assess hoe these changes reflect a change in the society given the historical context at the time.
- Students could choose a 'place' in WA and create a 'layered' map to demonstrate the physical/cultural changes in use of the 'place' over time. These overlays may also comment on political change as well.
 - Students could use this to explain and account for the change in 'identity' of WA with each over-lay of the map
- Discuss with your students the notion of ethical tourism in regards to Rottneest: Culturally and Environmentally. Use Rottneest as a case stud to demonstrate the impact of tourism on an area

- Students should use the committee for Perth's '*Perth, a globally connected city*' PDF to create 3D model, sketch map, or 2d 'birds-eye-view' drawing to create an annotated, hypothetical projection of what Perth city will look like 20years into the future. Their vision should focus on using the statistics and information, re-enforced by the concept of sustainability