

# EUREKA CENTRE BALLARAT

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## EUREKA EDUCATION

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The Eureka Centre encourages young people to engage with Australia's colonial history through its *Eureka Education* programs.



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The Eureka Centre provides teachers and students with tools and experiences to deepen their understanding of the Eureka Stockade and the profound political reforms that followed.

Led by professional educators, these programs give students and teachers the opportunity to view the original Eureka Flag and explore the interactive Eureka Stockade exhibition.

The programs are designed to deliver curriculum outcomes in *History, Civics and Citizenship* and *English*, and can be delivered to students in early childhood, primary, secondary and VCAL.

Education visits to the museum can be adapted to meet the specific curriculum needs of individual groups. Speak to our Education Officer today to discuss tailoring programs that will better complement and extend your classroom learning.

## PROGRAM STRUCTURE

Each program runs for 90 minutes and offers a range of hands-on, guided and self-directed activities.

To deliver each program to the highest possible quality we generally request groups of no more than 60 students, however, we are aware that this may not suit your needs. In these instances, we are more than happy to discuss the possibility of adapting our programs to larger groups.

The Eureka Centre is proud to partner with the Art Gallery of Ballarat which offers an immersive Eureka Program that complement our Eureka Education programs.

Groups larger than 60 can benefit from making a split booking and participating in both programs at the discounted rate of \$15 (inc. GST) per student.

# PROGRAMS

## **Eureka!**

Students explore the lives and stories of the people who had a significant influence on shaping Australia's colonial society. The program gives students an opportunity to form deeper connections with the people of the Eureka Stockade as they become absorbed in their stories.

Students will adopt the voice of key protagonists to enable them to merge these stories to their personal experience; creating a relationship with the beliefs, values and motivations of the people at Eureka and their impact on social justice and equality.

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*Victorian and Australian Curriculum F-10*

History levels 3 - 6 and 9 - 10

Civics & Citizenship levels 5 -10

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## **Down with Despotism**

Students participating in this program will gain a clear understanding of key moments in the history of democracy in Australia by investigating the lives and stories of people who have created social change.

Students will compare the past with contemporary examples and explore how they can contribute to and strengthen Australia's democratic processes today.

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## BOOKINGS AND ENQUIRIES

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**Bookings essential**

## PROGRAM COST

\$9.50 (inc GST) per student. Teachers are free of charge. Ask about our discount for schools located in the Ballarat municipality.

The Eureka Flag is on loan from the Art Gallery of Ballarat

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