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CULTURAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS

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YOUR CULTURAL JOURNEY STARTS HERE!

Cultural Infusion is Australia's leading culture-in-education provider, delivering immersive programs that promote intercultural harmony and meaningful connections with diverse communities for over 20 years.

We service **preschools**, **primary and secondary schools** (including specialist schools), **youth and community organisations**, **councils and libraries**, **arts venues**, **corporate family days**, **fetes and public events**, and **holiday programs**.

Our experienced presenters deliver vibrant, engaging incursions tailored to your audience's age, year level and setting.

Acknowledgement of Country

Cultural Infusion respectfully acknowledges the Traditional Owners and Elders of the land and pays respect to past, present, and future custodians, in continuation of cultural, spiritual and educational practices of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples throughout Australia.

Cultural Infusion has been appointed as an official observer to the 2005 UN Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the ***Diversity of Cultural Expressions***

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WHY SCHOOLS CHOOSE CULTURAL INFUSION?

Trusted across Australia since 2002:

- Our incursions reach **350,000+** K–12 students annually
- Nationally recognised cultural education provider
- Fully compliant for peace of mind – we manage all insurance, safety checks, and regulatory requirements so you don't have to

Hands-on, in-person, memorable learning:

- Workshops grounded in real cultural practice
- Music, dance, storytelling and live cultural arts
- Designed to leave lasting impact and build intercultural understanding

Free access to our e-learning resources:

- Sound Infusion
- Expert-developed **lesson plans** aligned to Australian curriculum

Add on support for leadership and educators:

- **Cultural Infusion's Atlas**
- Professional development that builds confidence in teaching culture, identity and diversity

Globally recognised:

- Official Observer to UNESCO's 2005 Convention on Cultural Diversity
- Internationally recognised programs supporting intercultural dialogue

Be part of a global movement:

Contribute to worldwide advocacy for cultural diversity, intercultural dialogue and a more harmonious future.

CONNECTING TO YOUR CURRICULUM

GENERAL CAPABILITIES

Intercultural Understanding

- Reflecting on culture and cultural diversity
- Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity
- Navigating intercultural contexts
- Developing empathy and understanding different perspectives

F-10 LEARNING AREAS/SUBJECTS

The Arts

Reflect on perspectives, sounds, movements, beliefs and practices in one's own culture and others through engagement with culturally diverse art forms.

Languages

Language learning provides students with an in-depth exploration of people and culture. They can understand how communication works between and across cultures.

Geography, History and HASS

Learning about the lives, places, values and beliefs of another culture contributes to the growth of knowledge surrounding cultural diversity.

CROSS-CURRICULUM PRIORITIES

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Histories and Cultures

Across subject areas students engage in reconciliation, respect, and recognition of the world's oldest living cultures.

Australia's Engagement with Asia

Recognise the diversity within and between the countries of the Asia region. Gain understanding of Asian societies, cultures, beliefs and environments and explore the connections between the people of Asia, Australia and the world.

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PRICING

We offer a variety of program formats to suit all cultural experience needs.

The pricing table below is a guide only. We also offer assemblies, performances and workshops for fairs and other events. Contact us to discuss a customised program for your occasion.

PROGRAM TYPE	DURATION	PRICE (EX. GST)	NO. OF STUDENTS	COST PER STUDENT
Pre-Primary	30 mins	from **$499**	up to **40**	from **$12.48**
Single Session	50 mins	from **$1,125**	up to **150**	from **$7.50**
Multicultural Half-Day Program	Half Day (3 sessions, rotating)	from **$3,400**	up to **200**	from **$17.00**
Multicultural All-Day Program	Full Day (5 sessions, rotating)	from **$6,600**	up to **300**	from **$22.00**
Single Culture All-Day Program	Full Day	***Enquire for Quote and Details**		
Virtual Program	50 mins	**$799**	up to **120**	from **$6.66**
TO BOOK	Contact us at **info@culturalinfusion.com** or call us on **1800 010 069** View all programs at **education.culturalinfusion.com**			

* Prices may vary depending on the type and scope of program/s chosen.
** Minimum program fee applies regardless of student numbers.

TRAVEL FEES

A travel fee may be charged to schools located outside metropolitan areas over 50 km.

TOURING INCURSIONS

Travel and accommodation fees do not apply for any tours even if schools are located in rural or regional areas.

CUSTOM PROGRAMS

Programs can be provided for less than the minimum number of students, however the minimum fee will still apply.

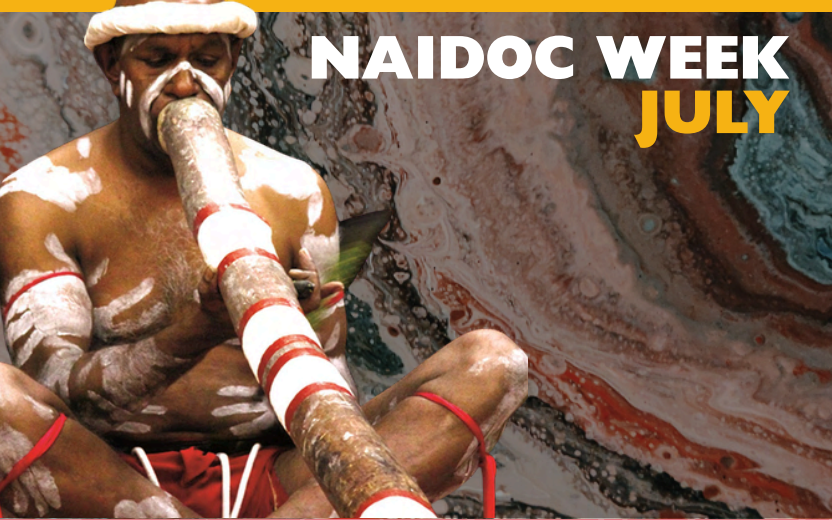
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MARCH HARMONY WEEK



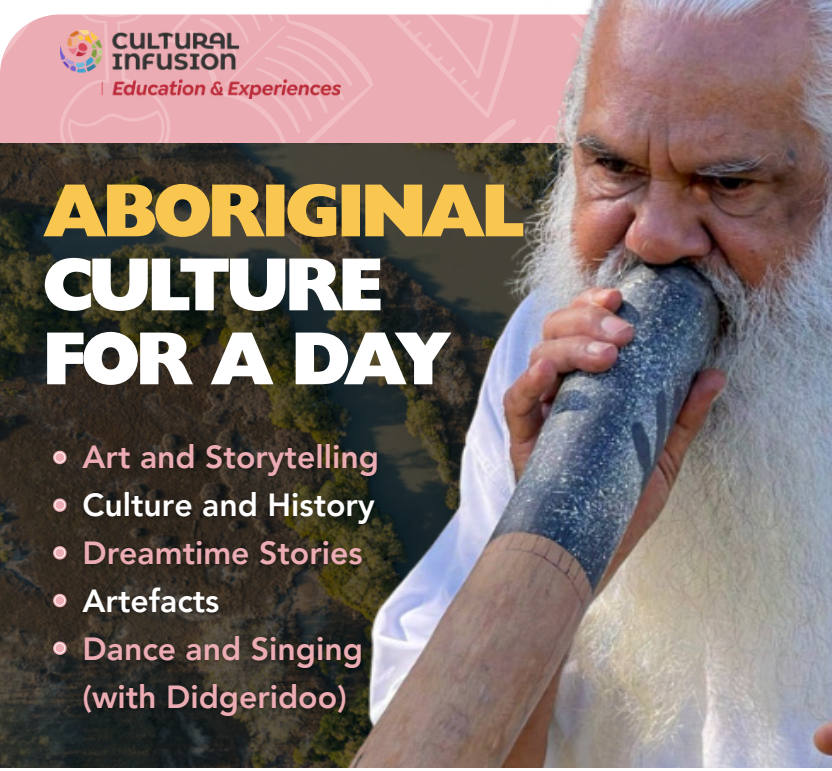
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CULTURAL CALENDAR

JAN	20	Bodhi Day
FEB	6	Waitangi Day (New Zealand)
	17	Ramadan Begins
	17	Lunar New Year/Spring Festival (International)
MAR	3	Lantern Festival (China)
	4	Holi Festival (India)
	6	Independence Day (Ghana)
	19	Eid al Fitr/End of Ramadan (International)
	19	Hari Raya (Balinese New Year)
	21	Harmony Week (Australia) - **BOOK EARLY!**
	21	Nowruz New Year (International)
APR	1	Diversity Month
	25	Anzac Day (Australia)
MAY	1	Buddha/Vesak Day (South & Southeast Asia)
	5	Cinco de Mayo (Mexico)
	5	Children's Day (Japan)
	27-3.6	National Reconciliation Week (Australia)
JUN	14-20	Refugee Week (Australia)
JUL	6-13	NAIDOC Week (Australia) - **BOOK EARLY!**
	14	Bastille Day (France)
	18	Nelson Mandela Day
AUG	4	National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day
	9	International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples
	13-15	Obon Festival (Japan)
	17	Indonesian Independence Day
SEP	4	Krishna Janmashtami (Hindu)
	11-13	Rosh Hashanah (International, Jewish)
	16	Independence Day (Mexico)
OCT	8	Diwali (India)
	24-1.11	Children's Week (Australia)
NOV	2	Day of the Dead (Mexico)
	3	Culture Day (Japan)

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ABORIGINAL CULTURE FOR A DAY

- Art and Storytelling
- Culture and History
- Dreamtime Stories
- Artefacts
- Dance and Singing (with Didgeridoo)

Aboriginal Culture for a Day immerses your students in Aboriginal cultures with three rotating sessions of cultural programs led by an experienced team of presenters.

EXAMPLE ABORIGINAL CULTURE FOR A DAY TIMETABLE

TIME	GROUP 1	GROUP 2
10:00 - 10:30 am	Introduction to the program and welcome ceremony	
10:40 - 11:30 am	Artefacts & Dreamtime Stories	Symbolic Art
11:30 - 12:00 pm	Recess	
12:00 - 12:50 pm	Symbolic Art	Artefacts & Dreamtime Stories
1:00 - 1:50 pm	Didgeridoo and Dance	
2:00 - 2:50 pm	Lunch	
3:00 - 3:30 pm	Closing celebration and dance performance	

Please note: individual sessions will be dependent upon factors such as presenter availability, participant numbers, space/set-up requirements and weather conditions.

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MULTICULTURAL ALL-DAY OR HALF-DAY PROGRAM



THIS PROGRAM ALLOWS A CHOICE OF THREE OR FIVE PROGRAMS.

Choose one culture to explore or travel the world with programs from every continent. Students rotate through 25-minute sessions, then come together for a 50-minute celebration. The timetable below is only an example and can be adapted to your school's bell times and program preferences.

EXAMPLE HALF-DAY TIMETABLE (3 PROGRAMS)

TIME	GROUP 1	GROUP 2
10:00 - 10:25 am	Chinese Classical Music	Classical Indian Dance
10:35 - 11:00 am	Classical Indian Dance	Chinese Classical Music
11:00 - 11:30 am	Recess	
11:40 - 12:30 pm	Fire of Flamenco	

Absolutely amazing incursions today, our students were so engaged... I would recommend it strongly to other educators!

Lynbrook Primary School

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FLEXIBLE INTERCULTURAL LEARNING FOR YEARS 7–9

INTERCULTURAL CITIZENSHIP AMBASSADOR PROGRAM

ICAP (Intercultural Citizenship Ambassador Program) is a **flexible 4 or 8 week program for Years 7–9**, delivered in class or as an extra-curricular option.

Students explore **identity**, **belonging**, **intersectionality** and **global citizenship** while helping to create more inclusive classrooms.

As part of ICAP, schools also receive free access to Cultural Infusion's Atlas, which deepens student learning and unpacks the hidden cultural diversity within their school community.

Now enrolling for 2027–2028! Get in touch early to secure a place for your school.

ICAP fostered a stronger student voice and encouraged thoughtful, inclusive dialogue.

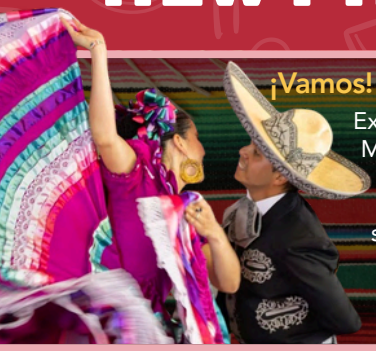
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NEW PROGRAMS



¡Vamos! Mexican Rhythms & Culture

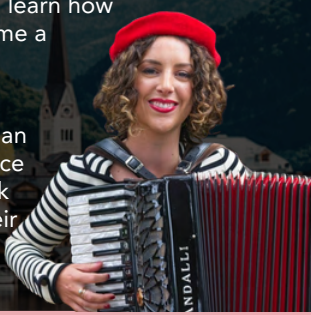
Experience the colour and energy of Mexican culture through live dance, music and storytelling. Students enjoy vibrant performances, join simple rhythm and movement, and learn the meaning behind traditional costumes, dance styles and major cultural celebrations.

French Rhythms & Culture

Step into a Parisian café with the sound of live accordion and traditional musette music. Students clap out the 3/4 waltz pulse, try a few partner dance steps, and learn how this working-class dance hall music became a symbol of French culture.

Italian Rhythms & Culture

Experience the fast-paced energy of Italian folk music with live accordion performance and lively Tarantella dance. Students pick up the traditional Tamburello and try their hand at the rhythms that have driven Italian festivals for centuries.





Afro-Colombian Rhythms & Culture

Drums, tambora, gaita and maracas bring Colombia's Afro-Caribbean coast straight into the classroom. Students build up from basic beat and off-beat technique to playing Cumbia and Puya rhythms, ending with a group performance alongside the teacher.

Iranian Rhythms & Culture

Choose one workshop focus: Persian heritage dance traces identity, family and migration; Sufi-inspired movement draws on philosophy to express spirituality and emotional awareness. Persian conceptual dance uses symbolic movement to explore freedom, restriction and voice, encouraging critical thinking and discussion.



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OUR PROGRAMS



Aboriginal Storytelling through Art

Oceania | Visual Arts, Storytelling

Aboriginal Storytelling through Art teaches students traditional symbols for people, the land and animals, and assists them with creating and presenting their own stories.



Aboriginal Infusion

Oceania | Music, Storytelling, Dance

Aboriginal Infusion is a highly interactive and engaging introduction to the rich, continuing traditions and cultural aspects of Australia's First Peoples, such as dance, didgeridoo, artefacts and storytelling.

Please note: the exact aspects explored in this program will depend on the presenter.



Didgeridoo Mindfulness Journey

Oceania | Music, Storytelling

This program includes didgeridoo playing and a story that travels from Yolgnu country to India to Siberia, ending with a meditation. Dean is endorsed by famous Yolngu knowledge holder Djalu Gurruwiwi to teach didgeridoo for wellness.

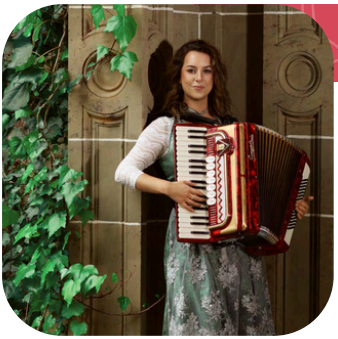


Polynesian Infusion

Oceania | Music, Dance, Storytelling

Participants will be transported to the Cook Islands with a traditional dance performance, interactive workshop and fast-paced combination of music, dance, storytelling and craft by performers skilled in drums, ukelele, chanting and more. There is also a hula dancing lesson!

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German Rhythms & Culture

Europe | Dance, Music

Live accordion music takes centre stage as students step into the world of German polkas and waltzes. From clapping out steady folk rhythms to trying a few dance moves, they'll see firsthand how music has bound German communities together for generations.



Commedia Dell'Arte

Europe | Theatre

Commedia dell'arte began in the 16th century in Italy and its mask theatre became the basis for modern-day comedy and clowning! This solo show introduces the audience to well-known historic Commedia characters.



Mime Magnifique!

Europe | Theatre

Our Mime Magnifique! program is filled with action, fun and festivities. Taking participants on a journey exploring French culture and history, they will learn the significance of the French art form of mime.



Opa! Greek Dance and Culture

Europe | Music, Dance

In this highly interactive program, children will explore Greek culture and history through traditional music, dance, and storytelling. They'll have the opportunity to participate in the Zorba dance and listen to Greek mythologies and folk songs.

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Chinese Fan Dance

Asia | Dance

A symbol of beauty and grace, Chinese Fan Dance is a colourful, captivating workshop that will get students moving with their own fans as they learn all about the Chinese Fan Dance and its origins.



Chinese Lion Dance

Asia | Dance, Martial Arts

Signifying good fortune, prosperity and longevity, the Chinese Lion Dance is an art form dating back to the 12th century! This workshop will give students an opportunity to see the Lion up close while gaining an insight into one of China's oldest traditions.



Chinese Martial Arts

Asia | Martial Arts, Wellness

Martial arts are art forms dating back more than 4,000 years ago. In Chinese Martial Arts, a high energy educational workshop, participants get to delve into the history and philosophy of martial arts in China.



Chinese Drumming

Asia | Music

The earliest known drums in China date back to 4,000 years ago! A performance of rhythm and colour, students will love this hands-on Chinese Drumming workshop as they drum out beats and learn about instruments behind the popular Lion Dance.

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Rhythms and Movements of Newar Culture

Asia | Dance, Music

Experience the vibrant sounds and rhythms of Newar culture through traditional music and dance from Nepal. Enjoy live performance, learn about the dhime drum, bansuri flute and Newari dance, and join in simple rhythms and movement activities.



Indonesian Infusion

Asia | Music, Dance, Languages

Travel through Sumatra, Java, Bali and beyond in this colourful journey through Indonesian culture. Music, dance and traditional dress bring Indonesia's diversity to life, giving students genuine appreciation for one of the world's most culturally rich archipelagos.



Filipino Music and Storytelling

Asia | Music, Storytelling, Languages

Filipino Music and Storytelling is a captivating program where Filipino language and culture come to life. In this program, students will experience uniquely narrated stories, where they get to jump in oral tales, leap into songs and movements.



Bollywood Infusion

Asia | Music, Dance

Bollywood is an important part of modern Indian culture, referring to the Hindi film industry, and categorised by colourful displays of music, dance, and costume. Participants will learn about the folk and classical origins of the Bollywood dances.

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Taiko Drumming

Asia | Music

This traditional and original Japanese music program combines amazing performance and an interactive workshop. Students are introduced to Japanese culture, before the room shakes with the sound of the Taiko drums!



Japanese Martial Arts

Asia | Martial Arts, Wellness

Japanese martial arts, known as budō, are art forms that have evolved over centuries. In this high-energy workshop, participants will explore the history and philosophy of martial arts and have the opportunity to try various styles such as Karate, Judo, and Aikido.



The Art of Origami

Asia | Art

Dive into the world of origami with our Art of Origami workshops! These hands-on sessions teach the Japanese art and science of paper folding. Participants will learn to create intricate designs while exploring the cultural significance of origami.



Japanese Ink Painting

Asia | Visual Arts

Presented by award-winning artist Junko, Japanese Ink Painting, also known as Sumi-e, guides participants in preparing inks and incorporating different ink tones and brush techniques to create traditional ink paintings.

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Cool Capoeira

South America | Martial Arts, Dance

Originating in Brazil as a martial art disguised as dance, Capoeira has UNESCO intangible cultural heritage status. Students will learn acrobatic manoeuvres accompanied by the beautiful sound of the Berimbau musical instrument. Capoeira is for all.



Latin American Dance

South America | Dance

Explore the vibrant world of Latin American dance through an engaging demonstration of Salsa, Cha-cha-cha, Merengue, Bachata, and Tango. Discover the rich cultural significance of these dances.



Music of the Andes

South America | Music

Participants will explore the music and dances of the Inca culture from the Andes Mountains. Students will learn about traditional instruments and melodies that have been part of the Andes for generations.



Yalla! Arab Dance and Culture

Middle East | Music, Dance

In this program, participants will embark on a lively journey into the diverse and rich traditions of the Arab world. This highly interactive program offers an opportunity to explore Arab cultures and histories.

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Rhythms and Instruments of West Africa

Africa | Music

The musical cultures of West Africa are explored through rhythms and songs. Students will be introduced to a range of instruments such as the Djembe, Dun Dun drums, Shekere, Talking drum, Balafon and more!



Ethiopian Dance and Culture

Africa | Dance

Acclaimed singer and dancer Seble shares the rich diversity of Ethiopian culture with learners of all ages through her highly interactive workshops. She shares songs, dance moves, and stories from her travels around the world with the Ethiopian Circus, which began when she was very young.



Cajón Drumming

Multicultural | Music

The Cajón, believed to have originated in Africa, has travelled to South America, Asia and Europe – a truly global instrument! In this workshop, students will learn about different styles of Cajón playing and the relationship between migration and innovation.



Fire of Flamenco

Multicultural | Dance

Fire of Flamenco incorporates dance, music and singing and has a rich, multicultural history. In this program, students will get to try the accompanying 'Palmas' (clapping) and learn some flamenco dance moves.

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Multicultural Moves

Multicultural | Dance

An interactive program that engages students in popular dance styles from around the world. Students will learn the basic moves of various dance styles such as Jamaican dancehall, Afro dance, hip-hop and the significance of these dances.



Hip-Hop Infusion

Multicultural | Dance

In this high-energy interactive program, students will learn about hip-hop and urban dance culture around the world. Using a variety of super-danceable beats that will have all students up and dancing, this is the perfect introduction to the expressive world of hip-hop!



Jungle Shimmy

Multicultural | Music, Dance

Hailed by parents and teachers as a one-woman-multicultural-rock-concert-for-kids, Jungle Shimmy is a dynamic music and dance adventure across the world! With colourful props and fun, easy-to-follow dances, everybody is up on their feet dancing.



Africa Meets the Middle East

Multicultural | Music

From Africa and the Middle East, this program will foster a deeper understanding of how music reflects cultural significance. Students will also explore the connections and distinctions between the musical traditions of Africa and the Middle East.

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TESTIMONIALS

Taiko Drumming



It was fantastic! The energy and the fun really captured the kids interest. The students loved having a go on the drums, as did the teachers! So many teachers commented it was the best incursion they have seen in a long time! The presenters were very easy to accomadate and work with. Thank you so much!

Regency Park Primary School, Wantima

Chinese Ribbon Dance



Yes, it was amazing! Only positive feedback from staff and library visitors. Bonnie was stunning and engaged the crowd wonderfully. Very educational and entertaining. Highlight for sure was when all participants got up and learned a dance together!

Bunjil Place Library, Narre Warren

Polynesian Infusion



A very high attendance and enjoyment level! This program surpassed expectations and from all accounts was very inclusive and entertaining. The way the facilitators engaged with teenagers who are generally very reluctant to participate in library programs was particularly impressive. The facilitators were wonderful.

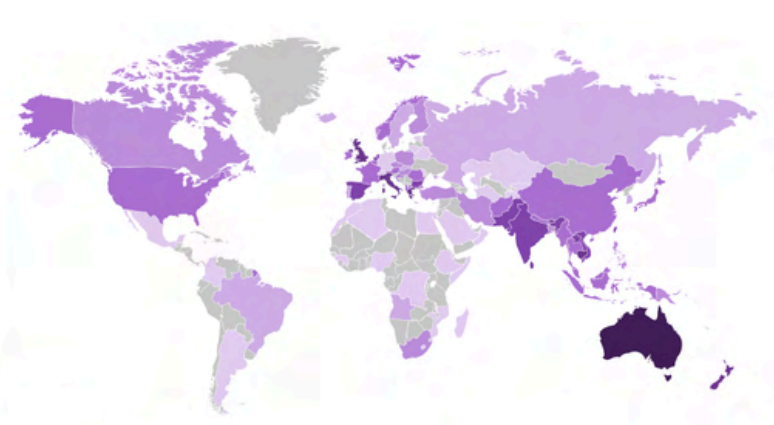
Broadmeadows Library, Broadmeadows

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Atlas

CULTURAL INFUSION ATLAS FOR SCHOOLS

UNCOVER THE HIDDEN DIVERSITY WITHIN YOUR SCHOOL



Discover the diversity within your own school. The Cultural Infusion Atlas for Schools uses interactive data and vivid visualisations to help students explore and celebrate their community. Already trusted by organisations worldwide, this powerful tool is now available for schools.

WHY SCHOOLS LOVE THE ATLAS?

- Helps students learn about themselves and others
- Supports inclusive, globally-minded classrooms
- Designed for easy curriculum integration
- Insights stay within your school
- Comes with extra teaching resources

APPLY NOW TO SECURE YOUR PLACE!

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SUPPORT CULTURAL DIVERSITY IN AUSTRALIA AND BEYOND

When your school partners with Cultural Infusion, you help strengthen the cultural diversity that keeps communities connected, resilient, and thriving.

Through **Fundraising Days** and **program bookings**, your school supports the Cultural Infusion Foundation's key initiatives:

- Training and professional development for cultural presenters
- Equal Access Programs for regional, remote, and under-resourced schools
- Community and youth programs that build identity and belonging
- The Living Culture Program in Pakistan and Tanzania
- Research and innovation in intercultural education and wellbeing
- International advocacy through UNESCO and global cultural networks

EVEN SMALL CONTRIBUTIONS MAKE A REAL DIFFERENCE.

As little as $500 a month can sustain a full-time teacher in our Living Culture Program overseas.

Every school booking already contributes to this work. A Fundraising Day, donation, or even a small student-led initiative can help preserve culture and expand access for communities worldwide.

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YOUR SCHOOL CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Cultural Infusion was founded on a simple belief: when culture is shared, communities grow stronger. Our founder and CEO experienced this firsthand. Support he received as a young artist in the 1980s shaped his lifelong commitment to celebrating humanity's shared cultural heritage — a commitment carried forward today through the Cultural Infusion Foundation.

Your school can make a difference. By hosting a Fundraising Day, donating directly, or running any school-based initiative, you help the Foundation to:

- Help preserve cultural traditions at risk of disappearing.
- Support children and communities locally and globally.
- Create opportunities for cultural presenters and knowledge-holders.
- Reinforce values of inclusion, empathy, and intercultural understanding among students.

Whether it's a whole-school fundraiser, a classroom collection, or a themed cultural celebration, every contribution helps sustain the cultural knowledge that connects communities worldwide.

Be a champion for cultural diversity.

GET STARTED TODAY!

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