

Devoted Service (Stage 5)

Curriculum Outcomes and Content Links

New NSW Curriculum (for implementation by 2027)

STAGE 5	
DEPTH STUDY (core) – Australia: Making a Nation – from Federation to WWI (1889 – c. 1919)	
OUTCOMES	CONTENT
<ul style="list-style-type: none">analyses the key features and structures of past societies, historical periods and events HI5-SPE-01accounts for different contexts and perspectives of the past HI5-CPP-01explains how significant ideas and events have shaped the past HI5-IEP-01integrates evidence from sources to develop historical accounts, explanations and arguments about the past HI5-SOU-01assesses the value and limitations of sources as part of a historical inquiry HI5-INQ-01communicates historical arguments using historical terms and concepts for a range of purposes, audiences and contexts HI5-COM-01	<p>Working with historical concepts and skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Engage in historical inquiry, integrating information from a range of sources as evidence where appropriateCreate written texts to analyse historical concepts related to Federation and the First World War (WWI) <p>Background and origins of Australia: making a nation – from Federation to WWI</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Reasons for Australia's involvement in WWIPassing of the <i>War Precautions Act 1914</i> <p>Significant groups, individuals, ideas, beliefs, practices and events in Australia: making a nation – from Federation to WWI</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">The Australian response to WWI, including the Gallipoli Campaign, as a catalyst for the development of a national identityBattles in which Australians fought in WWI (workshop touches on Gallipoli, the Western Front, the sinking of the HMHS Gloucester Castle)Australia's civic action and humanitarian response during WWI (workshop focuses on Australian nurses and medical units) <p>Impact and legacies of Australia: making a nation – from Federation to WWI</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">The impact of Federation and WWI on different groups in Australia, including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples, migrants and women (workshop focuses on impact of WWI on women)Nature, commemoration and perspectives of the Anzac legend