

Home Learning Week 4 and 5, 2017

Hi wonderful 5/6 students. For the next two weeks we are devoting home learning time to Inquiry. We want to give you time to research your family history in detail, to learn more about the relatives in your family who first came to Australia.

This will include who they were, where they came from, when they made their journey, how they travelled, why they came and what they brought with them.

(Don't forget about the **memories** they brought from their former home!)

Study the front sheet of your interview booklet. The questions on there will guide your research. Question family members and relatives to endeavour to find out about the immigrants of your family.

Complete your interview with a family member or relatives.

This information is vital for creating the items and the explanation of them in your suitcase. This activity will be completed both at school and at home over the next two weeks.

Your suitcase could include:

- A tag for the suitcase
- Passport (this could be a copy or one you create (delete any personal information))
- Information taken from the interview (this could be presented in a booklet e.g. 'The Katsoulis Immigration Story')
- Cultural Artefacts from various family members.
- Old family photos with descriptions of when, where and why the photo was taken (old photos should be photocopies and not originals)
- Messages or letters
- A list of major events at the time
- Any relevant documents (eg. tickets, posters)
- An extended family tree
- A flag from the country of origin
- A map detailing the journey traveled



We hope you enjoy your research and finding out more about your family's journey to Australia and Coburg!

The suitcases need to be completed by our centenary celebration on November 25th and will form an important part of the display. We know you will do an amazing job on behalf of your family!

Remember to bring a shoebox or some sort of container that could be used as a suitcase to place all these items inside.

SPELLING WORDS

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