

OBJECTS – WHAT STORY DO THEY TELL?

Exploring the story Indigenous & modern day objects can tell us

Through pairs and group games, students will gain an understanding of the difference between the 'present' and the 'past'.

Through activities, students will explore and discuss the meaning and purpose of a range of objects from the Indigenous past, and compare them with some from the present day.



Target audience:

Primary school students, pre-primary to Year 4

Study area: Indigenous

Duration: 2 hours

Numbers: Maximum of 60 students

Skills developed:

- Ability to make a distinction between past and present (old & new)
- Explore what objects tell us about the present and the past and the lives of the people who used them
- Identify similarities and differences between objects, present and past

Workshop outcomes:

- Ability to understand the terms 'past' and 'present'
- Ability to distinguish old from new objects
- Make inferences as to the meaning and purpose of objects

Cost:

- \$300 flat rate
- Add \$7 per head over 43 students, up to a maximum of 60 participants