

Year 6 Humanities and Social Sciences Curriculum Overview

HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES LEARNING AREA		
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Civics and Citizenship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Civics and Citizenship Knowledge and Understanding Humanities and Social Sciences Skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> FBLEP Tour FBLEP Resources Lawyer Visits to Schools Cluedunnit Kids

Australia's System of Government and Citizenship

Students continue building on their understanding of ***the concepts of justice, rights and responsibilities, and the Westminster system.*** They investigate Australia's democratic system of government, including state/territory and federal parliaments, and the court system. Students examine Australian citizenship and reflect on the rights and responsibilities that being a citizen entails. (WAC Civics and Citizenship)

KNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTANDING	FBLEP ACTIVITY/RESOURCE
The key institutions of Australia's democratic system of government based on the Westminster system, including the monarchy, parliaments and courts ACHASSK143	FBLEP Tour <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Empty Court Activity Observing a Magistrates Court in session Scripted Mock Trial – The State of Western Australia v. Captain James HOOK, or The State of Western Australia v. Jamie BROWN, or A Day in the Life of the Magistrates Court

KNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTANDING	FBLEP ACTIVITY/RESOURCE
	FBLEP Resources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VR Court Personnel and Court Room Layout Yr 5-6 Resource • FBLEP Kahoot Quiz Year 5/6 • The Trial of James SMART • The State of Western Australia v Goldie LOCKS

HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES SKILLS	
Questioning and Researching	FBLEP Tour <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Empty Court Activity • Scripted Mock Trial – The State of Western Australia v. Captain James HOOK, or The State of Western Australia v. Jamie BROWN, or A Day in the Life of the Magistrates Court
Analysing	FBLEP Tour <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Empty Court Activity • Observing a Magistrates Court in session • Scripted Mock Trial – The State of Western Australia v. Captain James HOOK, or The State of Western Australia v. Jamie BROWN, or A Day in the Life of the Magistrates Court
Evaluating	FBLEP Tour <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Empty Court Activity • Observing a Magistrates Court in session • Scripted Mock Trial – The State of Western Australia v. Captain James HOOK, or The State of Western Australia v. Jamie BROWN, or A Day in the Life of the Magistrates Court

HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES SKILLS	
Communicating and Reflecting	FBLEP Tour <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Empty Court Activity• Observing a Magistrates Court in session• Scripted Mock Trial – The State of Western Australia v. Captain James HOOK, or The State of Western Australia v. Jamie BROWN, or A Day in the Life of the Magistrates Court

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