

New Australian Curriculum Geography Programs

Excursion	Level	Excursion Synopsis	Location	
<u>Landscapes and Landforms</u>	YR 7- 8 Stage 4	Investigation of natural landforms, its geological and human history. Comparison of physical characteristics of two landscapes using a variety of field equipment. Use of maps and aerial photos to examine land uses, urbanisation & impacts, and discussion of their management. Observe evidence of geomorphic hazards at Long Reef and Mt Keira.	RIVER VALLEYS	Bantry Bay Camp Coutts Camp Kedron Manly Dam
			COASTAL LANDFORMS	Long Reef ► Collaroy
			ESCARPMENT	Mt Keira
<u>Place and Liveability</u>	YR 7- 8 Stage 4	Examination of factors which determine the liveability of Milsons Point and Lavender Bay using first hand physical testing of sites and observation.	MILSONS POINT & LAVENDER BAY	
<u>Environmental Change and Management: Coasts</u>	YR 9 -10 Stage 5	Study of coastal land uses, sand dune profile, dune vegetation and elements shaping the coastline. Examination of human impacts & management strategies.	COASTAL	Cronulla Long Reef ► Collaroy
<u>Environmental Change and Management: Land & Water</u>	YR 9 -10 Stage 5	Water pollution study, testing & comparing two creeks and discussing management options. Examination of changes in land use, hazard reduction burn & bushfire affected areas in the surrounding catchment.	BUSHLAND	Bantry Bay Camp Coutts Camp Kedron
<u>Changing Places</u>	YR 9 -10 Stage 5	Examine social & economic changes in Sydney & their impact on expansion, urban decline & renewal, spatial inequality, & land use. A ferry ride around the harbour is included on the day.	PYRMONT & BARANGAROO	
<u>Sustainable Biomes</u>	YR 9 -10 Stage 5	Investigation of mangroves and seagrass as two productive biomes. First hand testing of abiotic factors characterising the biomes and animal catch to identify the aquatic biodiversity of the two biomes. Discussion of the economic use of these biomes for aquaculture, with a focus on oyster farming.	WETLANDS	Botany Bay

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