

Tom Kruse the Outback Mailman HASS 3-7

This program explores the work of the legendary Tom Kruse who delivered the mail and supplies, providing a lifeline to the people of the Outback.

Students will take part in an exciting re-enactment of his journey from Marree to Birdsville within the Museum grounds or at their school in a scale model electric powered Leyland Badger truck. Activities will include driving the truck, loading and securing the load, using an old HF radio, writing and posting letters and delivering the mail. Comprehensive course materials including pre-visit activities are supplied.

Available as a school incursion.



The Hawker Vans

Developing Historical Thinking HASS STEM R-6

The Hawker Vans program examines the role of the Hawkers in the early part of the 20th Century selling goods from their vans. Based on the Hawker Vans exhibition at the Museum, students will participate in an inquiry based activity and opening and exploring the contents of four mini hawker vans. Students handle old items which the hawkers sold and compare them to current day items. Interesting old mechanical items introduce students to STEM ideas.

Available as a school incursion.



From steam carriage to supercar and beyond! (using STEM widgets and game play) STEM, HASS 6 to 9

A education experience for middle school students tracing the development in automotive engineering from the very first Australian made motor vehicle through to the amazing super car era and beyond! Discover the social history associated with each of seven iconic vehicles. The program places students in the centre of the learning process by using an array of 'STEM widgets', drama skits, debates and game play. A unique experience at the National Motor Museum Birdwood.













Motor Works HASS, STEM 3 to 9

Students visit the Museum and learn how Henry Ford developed the assembly line process for his Model T Ford. They will step into the shoes of an assembly line worker and make their own vehicle. Student's will develop an understanding of the processes involved in the construction of a motor vehicle.

Alternatively the Museum can visit your school with a 1928 Model A Ford and run the Motor Works program. Students are able to experience first hand what an old vehicle is like and contrast this with cars built today. Teachers link this experience to STEM subjects in the Australian Curriculum as well as HASS and History. We can run up to four education programs throughout the day and we can present an informative talk to larger numbers of students.





Our Year 5 students thoroughly enjoyed seeing and experiencing the Ford Model 'A', having an opportunity to climb onboard and interact with the car gave them a great chance to learn and develop an interest in automotive history. The presenter was informative and engaging for the children, providing interesting and worthwhile conversation as the children explored the vehicle.

David Burton, Year 5 Teacher

Lego© Works HASS R - 3

The Lego© works Car Factory is a practical educational program that allows students from Reception to year 3 to build a vehicle using Lego©. The program is designed for junior primary students to introduce exploration of the topics and themes on how cars are made and how assembly lines used to work. Each student receives a special badge to acknowledge that they have participated in the Lego© building program at the National Motor Museum.



All programs \$7.50 per student (\$3.00 equity) School Incursion \$600 (\$450 equity) Bookings and inquiries: Ian Reed Education Manager 8568 4000 ireed@history.sa.gov.au



Buy Me! Learn Me! – Joint Education Program with Migration Museum 14 October – 24 November 2019

Visit the Migration Museum for this unique education program where your students will get to discover the National Motor Museum at the same time as the Migration Museum. The National Motor Museum will showcase the Hawkers Van Education program in the Migration Museums Settlement Square. In this full day program students will connect the past to the present in the domain of school life, daily life and rural South Australia. Suitable for Years R-2.

Cost \$7 per program thus total \$14 for the full day. Book via the Migration Museum 8207 7580

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