

History Elective

What is this subject about?

Students can look at a range of interesting and popular topics that are not covered in the compulsory Australian History course. Some of the topics could include:

- Ancient Greece
- Aztecs and Incas: gold and blood
- South Africa and Nelson Mandela
- Genocide in the modern world
- Epic Disasters: eg Titanic
- Jack the Ripper and Victorian crime
- Native Americans
- Vikings
- The French Revolution
- Alexander the Great
- Film and History
- JFK and his assassination
- The Terrible Tudors - Henry VIII and his six wives
- An historical investigation of your own choice

Why study this subject?

This course is designed for students with a particular interest in History. It is designed to challenge students and encourage their enjoyment of History. There is opportunity to develop skills in essay writing and analysis.

Learning experiences

Students will have the opportunity to learn in a variety of ways. Their writing skills will be developed and there will be a substantial amount of class discussion and debate, which gives students the opportunity to voice their opinions on historical issues. Students will also learn through the study of historical sources and research skills.