



GIFTED RESOURCES NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2015 NO 1

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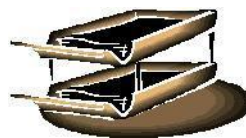
Welcome to the final Gifted Resources Newsletter for 2015. In November I participated in the webinars of the Global Education Conference. The emphasis was on global collaboration between teachers and their students and teaching peaceful sharing of knowledge, experience and stories. I have not managed to write detailed blog posts about the conference yet but hope to do so soon.

Everyone is so busy at this time of year – reviewing the past year, planning for the new year and celebrating the holiday season.

In this issue you will find information about questionnaires and surveys, Gifted Resources Activity Report for 2015, some advice from clinical psychologist Sally-Anne McCormack about talking to children about their fears, and news of coming programs. The Summer Extension and Holiday Programs newsletter is also attached.



WHAT'S IN THE IN TRAY?



These items have been received recently and can be found in the In Tray which is located on the Home page of Gifted Resources Website www.giftedresources.org If you are not able to access the links here please go to the In Tray to access them.

If you would like information included in the newsletter and/or the In Tray please send to contributions@giftedresources.org

WCGTC 22nd WORLD CONFERENCE Sydney Australia 20-23 July 2017 [WEBSITE](#)

GIFTED SUPPORT GROUPS

GIFTED SUPPORT NETWORK INC.

Active network in Melbourne's south eastern, western and north eastern regions offering the following services to families with gifted children:

- * "Mini Minds" - activities for preschoolers
- * "Primary Minds" - activities for primary school aged children and their parents
- * "Teens & Tweens" - activities for teenagers and their parents each term
- * Information evenings with expert speakers covering issues relating to the gifted
- * Daytime and evening social events for parents to share their experience of parenting the gifted child
- * Comprehensive members' library
- * Regular email/Facebook updates on events/articles of interest to families with gifted children

For further information visit www.giftedsupport.org

P.O. Box PO Box 2808

Cheltenham, 3192

Email address is admin@giftedsupport.org

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News of activities see <http://www.giftedsupport.org/news.php>

Family Dinner

All welcome!

Kids Like Us, 21 Bay St, Sandringham

Sunday 6 December 2015

5.00pm - 8.00pm

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Join us in Sandringham for a relaxed family evening out.

From 5.00pm, GSN will provide some pre-dinner snacks. Families can arrange to order and pick up their take away from a range of outlets across the road (pizza, Thai, chicken, fish'n'chips etc) and bring it back to Kids Like Us. We aim to all sit down together for dinner at 6.00pm. (You are welcome to bring a picnic dinner from home if you prefer.)

Please note: if the weather is good to us, we'll go down to the beach instead of staying inside Kids Like Us.

Cost: Approx \$2/head to cover the 'gold coin donation' for the use of the function room. (Plates/cutlery/cups etc supplied.)

BYO: Drinks (alcoholic and non-alcoholic)

RSVP: Please phone/text Louise on 0414 578 806 by Friday 4 December.

'THE BIG BANG COFFEE CLUB'

The Big Bang Coffee Club meets on the first Wednesday of the month at 9.30am (School and Public Holidays excepted) at:

The Coffee Club
Shop 49-50
Moonee Ponds Central
14-16 Hall Street
Moonee Ponds

All are welcome.

For newcomers: Moonee Ponds is well serviced by public transport. For drivers, free undercover parking for up to 3 hours is available at Moonee Ponds Central:

Enter from Mt Alexander Road, Hall Street, or Homer Street. Park your car, go through the entrance doors and take the escalator to the top floor, where you will see Kmart, and it is a few doors down from there, on the corner (Adjacent to Hall Street).

For more information please contact:

Nicole Lawrence nicole_lawrence@mailcan.com Mobile 0413 754 278

MAROONDAH GIFTED CHILDREN'S PARENTS' ASSOC.

Morning Coffee at MacDonald's, Maroondah Hwy. Croydon Vic. at 10.30 am on the first Wednesday of the month

Postal address:

c/- 13 Heathwood St
Ringwood East Vic 3135
Contact Jennifer Grant

Phone 9779 4218

ijgrant@optusnet.com.au

Louise Howe Phone 9801 2912

louise_h@tpg.com.au

BELGRAVE PARENT SUPPORT GROUP

Meetings generally monthly on Mondays

Contact Heike Reich

Phone (03) 9752 5420

Email heikemagnus@yahoo.com.au

CASTERTON AND DISTRICT AREA

Catriona Hill would like to connect with other parents of gifted children in Casterton and District area

Contact: Catriona Hill

Phone (03)55812529

Mobile 0419008734

Email: antrim@netspace.net.au

Web: <http://au.groups.yahoo.com/group/tallpoppysyndrome/>

GIFTED RESOURCE AND INFORMATION GROUP - CASEY/CARDINIA

For families with gifted children in Casey/Cardinia

Contact

Victoria Poulos

Phone 0420 286 307

Email victoriapoulos@gmail.com

CHIP GEELONG

<http://www.chipgeelong.ingeelong.com.au/>

CHIP Family Support Group Geelong

http://www.chipgeelong.ingeelong.com.au/?page_id=12

Future events for details see http://www.chipgeelong.ingeelong.com.au/?page_id=63

Treasurer : Sue Bettanin

chipgeelong@gmail.com

VAGTC

<http://www.vagtc.asn.au/>

Contact VAGTC

Postal

P O Box 132

Caulfield South

Victoria 3162

Email: infolorax@vagtc.asn.au

VAGTC Member Survey Questionnaire

<http://www.vagtc.asn.au/news/2015/11/30/vagtc-questionnaire>

GIFTED FAMILIES SUPPORT GROUP (NSW)

<http://www.gfsg.org.au/>

For details of coming events and activities such as GEM and Mums' dinners see <http://www.gfsg.org.au/index.php/whatson>

LISA CONRAD HONOURED BY NAGC

Congratulations to Lisa Conrad, the Moderator of Twitter #gtchat powered by TAGT, for being awarded the National Association for Gifted Children for the 2015 Community Service Award. Lisa is pictured with Dr George Betts, President NAGC.



FROM SUE LARKEY

Autism and Asperger Workshops for 2016

Please pass onto anyone who could benefit from attending one of these workshops.

<http://suelarkey.com.au/workshops/>

2016 Autism/Aspergers Workshops - by Sue Larkey & Dr Tony Attwood

New South Wales**

Albury/Wodonga	Thursday 18 February	Sue Larkey
Campbelltown	Friday 11 March	Dr Tony Attwood
Wagga Wagga	Thursday 26 May	Sue Larkey
Sydney (Sutherland)	Friday 27 May	Sue Larkey
Coffs Harbour	Friday 10 June	Sue Larkey

*** Endorsed Provider of Board of Studies Teaching & Educational Standards NSW*

Queensland

Mackay	Thursday 25 February	Sue Larkey
Brisbane (Chermside)	Friday 26 February	Sue Larkey
Cairns	Thursday 19 May	Sue Larkey
Townsville	Friday 20 May	Sue Larkey

Victoria

Albury	Thursday 18 February	Sue Larkey
St Kilda	Friday 19 February	Sue Larkey
Bendigo	Friday 6 May	Sue Larkey
Melbourne (Moonee Valley)	Friday 3 June	Dr Tony Attwood

South Australia

Adelaide (Morphettville)	Friday 4 March	Sue Larkey
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Australian Capital Territory**

Canberra	Friday 17 June	Dr Tony Attwood
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*** Endorsed Provider of ACT Accredited Teacher Training.*

Western Australia

Mandurah	Thursday 17 March	Sue Larkey
Joondalup	Friday 18 March	Sue Larkey

Tasmania

Hobart	Thursday 23 June	Sue Larkey
Launceston	Friday 24 June	Sue Larkey

For more information or to download registration forms go to our website www.suelarkey.com.au

New Zealand Workshop Dates

Term 1 - Sue Larkey - 4-6 April

Term 2 - Sue Larkey - 9-11 May

Term 3 - Sue Larkey and Dean Beadle - 29-31 August

For more information or to register go to http://creatingsuccess.co.nz/Seminar_Registration.php



To accelerate or not! Have your say!

Lynn Dare and Dr. Susen Smith, in a collaboration between The University of New South Wales and the University of Western Ontario, Canada, are seeking volunteer research participants for a study about educators', parents' and students' beliefs about acceleration for high-ability students.



Would the research project be a good fit for you?

The study might be a good fit for you if:

- You are an teacher, OR
- You are a parent of a high-ability child (or children), OR
- You are a high-ability student ages 11 to 14 years

What would happen if you took part in the research project?

This research project has two phases. If you decide to take part you would:

- In the first phase, complete a brief survey which will take about 10 minutes. The survey may be completed online, by paper copy, or by telephone at a time that is convenient to you.
- In the second phase, you will read the responses from the first phase, and complete an online sorting and rating activity based on those responses. The sorting and rating activity takes about 30 minutes.
- You may choose to complete either phase one or phase two, or both.

If you decide to have your child take part in the research study, your child would:

- Be asked to participate in an interview that will take approximately 20 minutes. During the interview, a member of the research team will ask your child questions about her or his perceptions about placing younger children with older classmates.
- In the second phase, your child will be given a stack of cards with the responses from the phase one interviews printed on the cards. They will be asked to read the statements and sort them into groups. Then they will be asked to rate each statement according in terms of importance. The interview will take approximately 20-30 minutes to complete.

Will you be paid to take part in the research project?

There are no additional costs associated with participation in this research project, nor will you or the participant be paid.



Who do you contact if you want more information?

If you would like more information please contact researcher, Lynn Dare:

Email: l.dare@unsw.edu.au

Phone: Direct Phone: 041 6404494

Office Phone: +61 2 9385 1037 (leave message)

Website: http://www.edu.uwo.ca/phd_profiles/ap/dare_lynn/index.html

- If you are a parent of a high-ability student, and your child has your permission and would like to take part in the study, contact Lynn at l.dare@unsw.edu.au to arrange a convenient interview time.

HREC Approval Number: HC15598

Participant group: GERRIC

Version dated: 27 October 2015

AAEGT National Gifted Conference
Beyond the Boundaries in Gifted Education

29 September – 1 October 2016

AAEGT Conference 2016 Abstract submissions

<https://www.nationalgiftedconference2016.arts.unsw.edu.au/node/31>



WHAT'S COMING UP



December 'Festivals of Workshops'

ENROLLING FROM OCTOBER 21

Once again G.A.T.E.WAYS will be running two end of year festivals. The Prep Festival will be held on December 10 and 11 at Firbank GS in Brighton, whilst the Year 1-6 Festival will be held on December 14 and 15 at Lauriston GS.

Program information is up on the G.A.T.E.WAYS website.

<http://www.gateways.edu.au/programs/festivals/end-of-year-festivals>



Enrolments for 2016

Staggered re-enrolments for current Brainwaves Club members and new members (Year 1 – Year 9) will open from November 9th

Club program outlines will be published on the G.A.T.E.WAYS website a week prior to this.



G.A.T.E.WAYS newsletter – The

G.A.T.E.POST

You can now subscribe to a G.A.T.E.WAYS newsletter. Go to the home page

www.gateways.edu.au

and enter your subscriber details at the bottom of the page.



GIFTED RESOURCES ACTIVITY REPORT 2015

During 2015 Jo Freitag /Gifted Resources has:

Continued to undertake project work with Borderlands <http://www.borderlands.org.au/>

Developed and maintained the website for Gifted Resources <http://www.giftedresources.org> and Jo Freitag's website <http://www.giftedresources.org/jo/>

Written and distributed by email Gifted Resources Newsletter and Gifted Resources Newsletter Extension and Holiday programs

Maintained the Gifted Resources library

Updated the Gifted Resources Information Packs

Provided information and resources for teachers and parents during personal consultations, by phone, using Skype or Blackboard Collaborate webinars and by email

Provided information and resources for homeschooling families and those contemplating commencement of home schooling

Developed a set of Persona Dolls representing types of gifted student and a blog about them, Personas, Profiles and Portraits

<https://jofreitag.wordpress.com/about-this-blog/>

Completed the 2015 Edublogs Teacher Personal Blogging Challenge for developing the new blog

<https://jofreitag.wordpress.com/tag/edublogs-teacher-challenge/>

Provided resources and prayer support for mentors from All Saints Rosebud with St. Katherine's McCrae <http://www.rosebudmccrae.melbourneanglican.org.au/> serving in the Kids Hope Aus program <http://www.kidshopeaus.org.au/>

Participated in the VAGTC Conference Melbourne 21-22 May 2015

<https://giftedresources.wordpress.com/2015/05/31/vagtc-conference-21-22-may-2015/>

Participated in online conferences, webinars and weekly Twitter global #gtchat sessions

<http://www.txgifted.org/gtchat>

<http://globalgtchatpoweredbytagt.wordpress.com/>

<https://globalgtchatpoweredbytagt.wordpress.com/?s=Jo+Freitag>

Presented, volunteered and participated in OZeLive

<https://giftedresources.wordpress.com/2015/03/04/ozelive-i-presented/>

<https://giftedresources.wordpress.com/2015/03/04/ozelive-i-volunteered/>

<https://giftedresources.wordpress.com/2015/03/04/ozelive-i-attended/>

Presented and participated in Tech Talk Tuesday webinars

<https://jofreitag.wordpress.com/2015/05/12/australia-e-series-tech-talk-tuesdays-webinar/>

<https://jofreitag.wordpress.com/2015/06/07/australia-e-series-tech-talk-tuesdays-webinar-part-2/>

Participated in Global Collaboration Day September 2015

<https://giftedresources.wordpress.com/2015/09/21/global-collaboration-day-sept-2015/>

Participated in Connected Educators Month

<http://connectededucators.org/>

Participated in Australia eSeries and Community Connect webinars

<https://australiaseries.wordpress.com/>

Updated the Gifted Resources blog <http://giftedresources.wordpress.com/>

Sprite's Site blog <http://spritessite.wordpress.com/>

Personas, Profiles and Portraits blog <https://jofreitag.wordpress.com/>

Participated in Gifted Homeschoolers Bloggers Forum Blog Hops

<http://giftedhomeschoolers.org/blog-hops/>

Participated in Hoagiesgifted Blog Hops

http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/blog_hops.htm

Participated in the first Gifted Awareness Week Australia March 2015

http://www.aaegt.net.au/?page_id=1170

<https://jofreitag.wordpress.com/2015/05/12/australia-e-series-tech-talk-tuesdays-webinar/>

Participated in Gifted Awareness Week New Zealand blog tour

<https://spritessite.wordpress.com/2015/06/08/changing-the-way-you-see-us/>

Participated in #30 Posts Hath September blog challenge

<http://www.lisarivero.com/30postshathsept/>

Participated in the Brilliant Chaos Group on Facebook monthly creating challenges

<http://www.facebook.com/#!/groups/brilliantchaosonline/doc/253263591368971/>

Participated in 52 Illustrations Challenge Group on Facebook

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/418616991575037/>

<https://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set=oa.555220617914673&type=1>

Participated in INKtober with the INKed Group on Facebook

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1463633423897107/>

<https://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set=oa.1472995212960928&type=1>

<https://spritessite.wordpress.com/2015/10/31/inktober/>

Updated the Appreciations page on Gifted Resources website

<http://www.giftedresources.org/gr/appreciations.htm>

Jo Freitag

Gifted Resources



FROM SALLY-ANNE McCORMACK

It has been such a scary time for everyone around the world due to the acts of a small minority of extremists who have terrified and attacked many innocent people. Children have no way of avoiding this topic (it's being discussed in the media, in shops, the school playground, etc.), but unlike adults, their life experience is limited, and many of them are afraid that they or their family members will be killed.

Here are a few tips that would help a child deal with their fears about terrorism:

- Allow them to talk (but don't force them!)
- Answer their questions age-appropriately
- Accept their responses (they may cry, be angry, withdraw briefly)
- Reassure them (in a truthful manner)
- Do NOT give them more information than necessary!

And here are some things that adults are NOT advised to do!

- Stereotype (race, religion, nationality, etc.)
- Force the child to talk about it (take your cues from them)
- Do NOT talk about other similar events (it will only scare them more)

If you are worried about someone who is not coping with their fears about this (or any other issues), please contact my office to book in a session with me here in Blackburn (and shortly at my new practice down at Cowes, Phillip Island).

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Clinical Psychologist
(03) 881 22 373

www.Sally-Anne.com.au

www.ANTSA.com.au

www.ParentsOnline.com.au

Please "LIKE" www.facebook.com/TheSallyAnneShow

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TEACHING PEACE

USIP Global Peacebuilding Center <http://www.buildingpeace.org/>

Borderlands Living Peace Museum <http://bl.borderlands.org.au/australian-living-peace-museum/>

Asylum Seeker Resource Centre <http://www.asrc.org.au/>

ASRC program <http://www.asrc.org.au/home/our-services/how-we-help/community/schoolsprogram/>



Peace Jo Freitag

Graphite pencil on canvas pad
for 52 Illustrations Challenge 2015

WEEK 45: PEACE

Love shall tread out the baleful fire of anger,
And in its ashes plant the tree of peace. John Greenleaf Whittier

TALKING TEENS

AN OPPORTUNITY TO CALL IN, ASK QUESTIONS,
MEET OTHER PARENTS AND SHARE IDEAS THAT WORK!

- Do you wonder why they aren't listening to you or how to deal with their anger?
- How do we talk so they will listen?
- Do you want to maintain a connection with them?
- Take some time out for parents

WHERE: Mulgrave
Neighbourhood House,
36-42 Mackie Road, Mulgrave

WHEN: Wednesday's Nov 11 - Dec 9
7pm – 9pm (5 sessions)

WHO: Dads, Mums & Carers
of teenagers 12-18 years

COST: FREE (bookings essential)

CONTACT: Helena at Parentzone
9735 6134 or 0488 501 204



Parentzone

anglicarevic.org.au



Mulgrave Neighbourhood House Inc.





GLOBALLEDCON: CONNECTING EDUCATORS AND ORGANIZATIONS WORLDWIDE

16-19 November 2015

<http://www.globaleducationconference.com/>

To view the recordings of the sessions see

<http://www.globaleducationconference.com/page/2015-recordings>

I intend to write blog posts about the sessions I attended for Gifted Resources blog

<https://giftedresources.wordpress.com/> very soon. I was particularly inspired by the session titled Teach Peace and found the experience of simultaneously participating in a Blackboard Collaborate webinar and a multilingual Twitter chats about games in education extremely exhilarating!

OZeLIVE 2016

<http://australianeducators.ning.com/>

The OZeLIVE 2016 program planning is well underway. We have already lined up some Keynote potentials and wish to advise you that the Call for Papers/Presenters will be out in December 2015.

Add these dates to your diaries for 2016:

Friday February 26

Saturday February 27

Sunday February 28

Please pass on to your network this link to the Online Flyer for OZeLIVE 2016. You can keep in touch with news as the flyer will be updated on a regular basis.

Theme: Connected educators shine on the world stage

Please invite your network colleagues to join this community site in preparation for being a presenter or a participant in OZeLIVE 2016! Carole McCulloch (Coach Carole)

on behalf of the OZeLIVE 2016 Team:

Ness Crouch, Anne Mirtschin, Junita Lyon, Shingo Gibson-Suzuki, Chris Smith, Michael Graffin and Lisa Dellaporte

Visit Australia e-Series at: http://australianeducators.ning.com/?xg_source=msg_mes_network

SOME INTERESTING BLOGS

GTChat Blog

<https://globalgtchatpoweredbytagt.wordpress.com/2015/11/11/setting-boundaries-for-gifted-siblings/>
<https://globalgtchatpoweredbytagt.wordpress.com/2015/11/18/2014-2015-state-of-the-states-in-gifted-education/>

<https://globalgtchatpoweredbytagt.wordpress.com/2015/11/22/how-cardboard-can-spark-creativity-with-guest-moderator-krissy-venosdale/>

<https://globalgtchatpoweredbytagt.wordpress.com/2015/11/27/high-costs-of-raising-gifted-children/>

Hoagies Gifted Blog Hops

http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/blog_hops.htm

Hoagiesgifted December Blog hop:

www.HoagiesGifted.org/blog_hop_surviving_the_holidays.htm

Sprite's Site post for this blog hop

<https://spritessite.wordpress.com/2015/12/01/surviving-the-holidays/>

GHF Bloggers Blog Hops

<http://giftedhomeschoolers.org/blogs/blog-hop/>

November blog hop

<http://giftedhomeschoolers.org/blog-hops/highs-lows-gifted-parenting/>

SOME INTERESTING WEBSITES AND BLOG POSTS

World Gifted Conference Sydney 2017

<http://www.worldgifted2017.com/>

AAEGT Conference 2016 Abstract submissions

<https://www.nationalgiftedconference2016.arts.unsw.edu.au/node/31>

On gifted elders

<http://ongiftedelders.com/>

Wenda Sheard Comics

<https://wendasheard.wordpress.com/2015/11/01/kindergarten-comics/>

Gifted Minds

http://www.giftedminds.com.au/main/page_home.html

Gifted Research and Outreach

<http://www.gro-gifted.org/>

Dr Kate Burton

<http://www.alchemytherapy.com.au/>

Parenting complex kids parent workshop

<http://www.complexkids.com.au/parent-workshop/>

Great Potential Press new releases

<http://www.greatpotentialpress.com/news-releases>

Refugees, Zoombinis and Persona Dolls

<https://jofreitag.wordpress.com/2015/09/20/refugees-zoombinis-and-persona-dolls/>

Tania McCartney The agony and angst of works in progress

<http://taniamccartney.blogspot.com.au/2015/10/the-agony-and-angst-of-works-in-progress.html>

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You may also access back issues of the newsletter (from January 2005), unsubscribe or change your subscription options, from this address.

If you have news of events, conferences, lectures, workshops, children's programmes, etc. that you would like included in our newsletter please email contributions@giftedresources.org

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Gifted Resources aims to provide information about events, services and websites that could be of interest. Inclusion in Gifted Resources Newsletter does not necessarily imply any endorsement or guarantee of quality or suitability to meet your specific needs.

Kind regards, Jo Freitag

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GIFTED RESOURCES NEWSLETTER
Extension and Holiday Programs Summer 2015 - 2016

Welcome to the Gifted Resources Email Newsletter Extension and Holiday programs edition
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You can also read the newsletter online at <http://www.giftedresources.org/web/newsletter.html>

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100 STORY BUILDING

<http://www.100storybuilding.org.au/>

<http://www.100storybuilding.org.au/100-story-holidays/>

AUSTRALIAN CAMPS ASSOCIATION

School Holiday Camps Programs

<http://www.auscamps.asn.au/>

<http://www.auscamps.asn.au/activities/holiday-activity>

ACMI AUSTRALIAN CENTRE FOR THE MOVING IMAGE Creative workshops

<http://www.acmi.net.au/creative-workshops.htm>

AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF SPORT HOLIDAY CAMPS

<https://experienceais.com/sports-camps/holiday-programme>

AUSTRALIAN MUSEUM SYDNEY

<http://www.australianmuseum.net.au/>

BUBBLE DOME EDUCATION

<http://bubbledome.com/index.php>

CHESS KIDS CHESS CLUB HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

<http://www.chessclub.com.au/>

<http://www.kidsunlimited.com.au/holiday-program.html>

CHIP HOLIDAY PROGRAM

<http://www.chip.edu.au/holiday-program/>

Up, Up & Away with CHIP Summer Holiday Program

<http://www.chip.edu.au/storage/CHIP%20Summer%2016%20Holiday%20Program.pdf>

CNAPTIC 3D PRINTING

<http://www.cnaptic.com.au/>

CSIRO SCIENCE BOOTCAMP

<http://www.csiro.au/en/Education/Community-engagement/Bootcamp>

DEE WHITE WRITING WORKSHOP FOR KIDS

<http://writingclassesforkids.com/>

EXTEND SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

For full details see

Holiday programs

<http://extend.com.au/programs/school-holiday-programs/>

GASWORKS ARTS PARK

<http://www.gasworks.org.au/whats-on/kids-holiday-program/>

Summer Holiday Program

<http://www.gasworks.org.au/assets/uploads/2015/10/Kids-Holiday-Brochure-January-2016.pdf>

G.A.T.E.WAYS

Full details of programs can be found on the G.A.T.E.WAYS website

<http://www.gateways.edu.au/>

PO Box 207, Blackburn VIC 3130 Australia

Phone 03 9894 2116 Fax 03 9894 2117

Email info@gateways.edu.au

IMMIGRATION MUSEUM**What's On Exhibitions**

<http://museumvictoria.com.au/immigrationmuseum/whatson/>

Phone: 03 9927 2700

Fax: 03 9927 2728

Web: <http://immigration.museum.vic.gov.au/>

KIDS UNLIMITED

<http://www.kidsunlimited.com.au/holiday-program.html>

Summer Camp

<http://www.kidsunlimited.com.au/summer-camp.html>

LEARNING ENRICHMENT STUDIO

Robotics Holiday Program

Noeleen Vincent

Learning Enrichment Studio

Suite 214

19 Milton Parade

Malvern Vic 3144

Ph: (03) 9824 8135

Mob: 0448 064 738

www.learningenrichmentstudio.com.au

<http://www.learningenrichmentstudio.com.au/holiday.php>

MELBOURNE AQUARIUM

<http://www.melbourneaquarium.com.au/>

MELBOURNE MUSEUM

<http://www.melbourne.museum.vic.gov.au/>

MELBOURNE PLANETARIUM

<http://museumvictoria.com.au/planetarium/>

MUSEUM OF APPLIED ARTS AND SCIENCES

<https://maas.museum/whats-on/#/>

NATIONAL GALLERY OF VICTORIA

<http://www.ngv.vic.gov.au/whats-on/programs-events/>

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF DRAMATIC ART (NIDA)

<http://www.open.nida.edu.au/>

<http://www.open.nida.edu.au/courses/Delivery/School+Holidays>

OAK HILL GALLERY**Holiday Art Classes for children**

<http://www.oakhillgallery.com.au/>

<http://oakhillgallery.com.au/category/classes/children-school-holidays/>

PARKS VICTORIA

<http://parkweb.vic.gov.au/explore>

POWERHOUSE MUSEUM SYDNEY**School Holiday Program**

<http://play.powerhousemuseum.com/whats-on/school-holiday-program/>

PRIMESCI HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

The PrimeSCI! Spring School Holiday Program will be hosted by:

KIOSC (Knox Innovation Opportunity and Sustainability Centre)

Building WK

Swinburne University of Technology (Wantirna Campus)

369 Stud Road

Wantirna South VIC 3152

(Campus Map: <http://www.swinburne.edu.au/campuses/wantirna/documents/wantirna.pdf>)

For more information and to enrol online

<http://sciencecentre.monash.edu.au/shp/>

<http://www.monash.edu/science/schools/earth-atmosphere-environment/primesci/school-holiday-programs>

RSPCA Holiday Program

<http://www.rspcavic.org/services/education-and-learning/holiday-programs>

SCIENCEWORKS MUSEUM

<http://www.scienceworks.museum.vic.gov.au/>

SWINBURNE CENTRE FOR ASTROPHYSICS AND SUPERCOMPUTING

Astro tour program

<http://astronomy.swin.edu.au/outreach/?topic=astrotour>

TECHKIDS

<http://techkids.com.au/school-holiday-programs/>

THE ART FACTORY School Holiday Programs

<http://theartfactory.com.au/holiday-workshops>

THINK CLUB

<http://www.thinkclubaustralia.com/>

<http://www.thinkclubaustralia.com/workshops.html>

http://www.thinkclubaustralia.com/uploads/4/2/9/7/42975865/final_jan2016_workshop_brochure.pdf

WRITE AWAY WITH ME

<http://www.writeawaywithme.com/>

<https://weteachme.com/writeawaywithme/the-writers-masterclass-holiday-writing-and-drawing-fun>

ZOO & SANCTUARY Programs

Zoo Adventures Holiday programs

<http://www.zoo.org.au/>

<http://www.zoo.org.au/summer>

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