



Old
Parliament
House

Escape the cold these winter school holidays at MoAD



With imaginative play spaces, facilitated craft activities, dress ups and adventure trails through the museum, MoAD is the perfect family day out these school holidays.

DressUP

Explore the lives of Beyonce, Frida Kahlo, Dr. Karl and more in *DressUP*. Try on costumes inspired by their iconic outfits, as you listen to their stories and find out how they overcame their struggles to make a difference in the world.

In *DressUP*, you'll also find a cosy reading nook with a library full of books that will inspire young people to change the world.

What: Try on outfits inspired by Beyonce, Frida Kahlo and Dr. Karl and more in *DressUP*.

When: Open daily from 9am - 5pm

[Explore the exhibition today >](#)



PlayUP

With a Kindness Cafe, fuzzy felt wall and puppet show theatre, little ones will have so much fun in action pack and embark on the ultimate *PlayUP* that they won't want to leave.

When: Open daily from 9am to 5pm.

Children can get creative in *PlayUP* with a free facilitated craft activity.

When: Daily from 10.30am - 12.30pm

[Get in on the fun >](#)



Action Packs

For little ones who love exploring, borrow an action pack and embark on the ultimate adventure around the museum.

Save the world on the Superhero Museum Trail or break the news with a Press Gang Backpack.

When: Available every day

Cost: Free after museum entry.

[Begin your adventure >](#)

What's On



Indigenous Experiences of Democracy Tour

Join this tour to learn about the experiences of Indigenous Australians within our democracy.

We will share stories of how Indigenous Australians and their supporters have taken different pathways to bring about change, many of which led them here – the seat of Federal Parliament between 1927 and 1988.

[Book your spot now >](#)



Mystery Tour: One Small Step

Celebrate the 50th anniversary of the first moon landing as you trek back through time.

Explore the Australian connection to the moon landing, and take one step closer to the moon on the roof of Old Parliament House.

Spots are limited so bookings are essential.

When: 20 - 21 July, 10.30am and 2.30pm

Cost: \$8.00pp

[Take one step closer to the moon today >](#)



Sunday Roast at Hoi Polloi

Enjoy a delicious Roast lunch every Sunday during winter at Hoi Polloi.

The beautiful heritage space is the perfect place to cosy up on a chilly winter's afternoon, enjoying a delicious Sunday roast with warming soup entrée.

When: Every Sunday in July and August from 11.30am to 2.30pm.

Cost: \$24pp

For bookings contact Hoi Polloi on 02 6261 7210 or
moadophcafe@restaurantassociates.com.au

From our collection



Just in time for NAIDOC week, MoAD has added a new display to the *Democracy. Are You In?* exhibition.

This red Sherrin AFL football, signed by Indigenous AFL legends Adam Goodes, Buddy Franklin and Michael O'Loughlin, is a symbol of Indigenous rights.

As part of the Recognise campaign, this football showcases the ongoing campaign for constitutional, legal and cultural recognition of Indigenous people and their traditional custodianship of Australia.

[See this powerful object today ›](#)

From our blog

Artists and activists: The Ongoing Adventures of X and Ray

Several years ago, MoAD acquired a full set of high quality artwork prints created by Indigenous artist Lin Onus. He, together with his non-Indigenous collaborator Michael Eather, and his son Tiriki, have produced a series of remarkable artworks, *The Ongoing Adventures of X and Ray*.

[Read more about X and Ray ›](#)



From the shop



Little ones can learn their alphabet as they explore the A to Z of Australian cultural icons.

Aussie Legends Alphabet book is now available from MoAD's Little Corner Shop.

[Get in quick before they sell out ›](#)

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