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infusion**

*Building Harmony
& Wellbeing*

CULTURAL EDUCATION INCURSIONS 2022

SOUTH AUSTRALIA



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WELCOME TO 2022



CULTURAL INFUSION BRINGS CULTURALLY DIVERSE PRESENTERS TO:

Our experienced presenters create colour, variety and engagement for your celebrations, fetes and fundraisers. Programs are tailored to suit the age, year level and abilities of your organisation, group or event.

- Classrooms
- Preschools and early learning centres
- Youth centres
- Libraries and Councils
- Shopping centres and strips
- Arts venues and galleries
- Corporate Family Days
- Churches
- Holiday and aftercare, including OSHC, OOSH and camps
- Community groups, such as Scouts, Guides and sports clubs
- Special needs schools

Cultural Infusion is Australia's leading culture-in-education provider and has been promoting intercultural harmony throughout the country for more than 20 years. We provide immersive experiences to educate about different cultures and facilitate meaningful connections to Australia's diverse communities.

Our programs are designed to match the Australian Curriculum's focus on:

- Intercultural understanding
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander histories and cultures, and
- Australia's engagement with Asia

WELCOME TO COUNTRY

Cultural Infusion respectfully acknowledges the Traditional Owners of the land, the Wurundjeri people of the Kulin Nation and pays respect to their Elders, past and present and future custodians. In continuation of cultural, spiritual and educational practises of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples throughout Australia"

PROGRAM TYPE	DURATION	PRICE (+GST)	NO OF STUDENTS
Pre-Primary	30-40 min	\$395	Up to 30
Single Session	50 min	\$7 - \$9 (per student)	Up to 150
Multicultural Half-Day Program	Half Day	\$15 (per student)	From 150
Multicultural All-Day Program	Full Day	\$20 (per student)	From 150
Specialist All-Day Program	Full Day	\$20 (per student)	From 150
Virtual Program	50 min	\$700	Up to 120

TO BOOK

Contact us at info@culturalinfusion.org.au or call us on 1800 010 069

View all programs at www.culturalinfusion.org.au

TRAVEL FEES
For in-person programs, a travel fee may be charged to schools located outside metropolitan areas over 50 km.

TOURING INCURSIONS
Travel and accommodation fees applies to rural and country Incursions, in addition to the program fee.

CUSTOM PROGRAM
Programs can be provided for less than the minimum number of students, however the minimum fee will still apply. Consider including more classes, combining with other schools or a virtual program.



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CONNECTING TO YOUR CURRICULUM

A fantastic way to celebrate the diversity of your community, our programs cater to a broad range of curriculum areas.

GENERAL CAPABILITIES

Intercultural Understanding
Empathise with others as well as recognise and value diverse cultures through engagement with various identities, languages and beliefs.

CROSS- CURRICULUM PRIORITIES

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Histories and Cultures
Across subject areas students engage in reconciliation, respect and recognition of the world's oldest living cultures.

Asia and Australia's engagement with Asia
Recognise the diversity within and between the countries of the Asia region. Gain understanding of Asian societies, cultures, beliefs and environments and explore the connections between the people of Asia, Australia and the world.

F-10 Learning Areas/Subjects

The Arts
Reflect on accepted perspectives, sounds, movements, beliefs and practices in their own culture and those others through engagement with culturally diverse art forms.

Languages
Language learning provides students with an in-depth exploration of a people and culture. They can understand how communication works between cultures and across cultures.

Geography, History and HASS
Learning about the lives, places, values and beliefs of another culture contributes to the growth of knowledge surrounding cultural diversity.

CULTURAL PROGRAM CALENDAR

FEB	1 to 7	World Interfaith Harmony Week (International, UN)	
	1 to 15	Lunar New Year/Spring Festival (International)	BOOK IN EARLY!
	6	Waitangi Day (Aotearoa, New Zealand)	
MAR	15	Lantern Festival (China)	BOOK IN EARLY!
	3	Hari Raya Nyepi Day of Silence (Balinese New Year)	
	6	Independence Day (Ghana)	
	8	International Woman's Day (International)	
	21	Norouz New Year (Iran)	
	21	Harmony Day (Australia)	BOOK IN EARLY!
APR	17 to 18	Holi Festival (India)	BOOK IN EARLY!
	1	Kha b-Nisan (Assyrian New Year)	
	2	Ramadan Begins (International)	
	17	Easter Sunday (International)	
	18	National Day (Zimbabwe)	
MAY	24	Orthodox Easter (International)	
	1	Eid al Fitr Festival and End of Ramadan (International)	BOOK IN EARLY!
	5	Children's Day (Japan)	
	27 to 3 Jun	National Reconciliation Week (Australia)	BOOK IN EARLY!
JUN	19 to 25	Refugee Week (Australia)	
JUL	3 to 10	NAIDOC Week (Australia)	BOOK IN EARLY!
	14	Bastille Day (France)	
	18	Nelson Mandela Day (International)	
AUG	4	National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day (Aus.)	
	9	International Day of the World's Indigenous People (International)	
	13 to 15	Obon Festival (Japan)	
	17	Indonesian Independence Day (Indonesia)	BOOK IN EARLY!
SEP	18 to 19	Krishna Janmashtami (International, Hindu)	
	16	Independence Day (Mexico)	
	25 to 27	Rosh Hashanah (International, Jewish)	
OCT	22 to 30	Children's Week (Australia)	
	24	Diwali (International, Hindu)	
NOV	2	Day of the Dead (Mexico)	BOOK IN EARLY!
	3	Culture Day (Japan)	
DEC	3	UN International Day of Disabled Persons (International)	
	18 to 26	Hanukkah (International, Jewish)	
	25	Christmas Day (International)	
	31	New Year's Eve (International)	



POPULAR

MEXICAN MARIACHI MUSIC

The sounds of Mexico, Mariachi music is an original style of the Mexican people. Elio is a musician and entertainer with 26 years' experience performing and teaching Mexican music around Australia. With guitar, percussion, singing and dancing this program will engage students in Mexican music and culture. Elio can incorporate Spanish language adjusted to the ability of students but even total beginners will be singing catchy Mexican folk songs!

“ You had the children, aged from 0 to 6 eating out of your hands from the outset. Your friendly, active approach provided to all children to join in and take part in activities. You are extremely well organised with numerous visual aids and recorded background music. I will highly recommend your session to schools, libraries and parent groups. Thank you again Elio and I wish you well for your continued success!

Rosalie, Port Broughton School, SA

CELEBRATE INDIGENOUS CULTURE

Celebrate and learn more about Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures, histories and contributions

Reconciliation Week
27 MAY TO 3 JUNE

NAIDOC Week
4 TO 11 JULY

Book a program at www.culturalinfusion.org.au



MULTICULTURAL ALL-DAY (3 TO 5 PROGRAMS)

This program allows a choice of three or five programs. You can choose to explore one culture, language or topic in depth or travel the world with a program from each continent! Students split into two groups and rotate between 25 minute sessions then come together to finish and celebrate the day together in a 50 minute session.

“ Absolutely amazing incursions today, our students were so engaged, had an amazing time and we were able to link it within our units of work. I would recommend it strongly to other educators!

Michael, Lynbrook Primary School

“ We were absolutely overwhelmed at the quality of all the presenters throughout our Multicultural Program. They kept all our students thoroughly engaged and presented relevant, thoughtful and important ideas in all their fields. Thank you so much for this wonderful program!

Cait, Kunyung Primary School

Example Timetable (Choose any 3 programs):

HALF-DAY PROGRAM

TIME	GROUP 1	GROUP 2
10:00 – 10:25 am	Classical Indian Dance	Middle Eastern Infusion
10:35 – 11:00 am	Middle Eastern Infusion	Classical Indian Dance
11:00 – 11:30 am	Recess	
11:35 – 12:25 pm	Flamenco Fiesta	

Example Timetable (Choose any 5 programs):

ALL-DAY PROGRAM

TIME	GROUP 1	GROUP 2
10:00 – 10:25 am	Chinese Harpist	Classical Indian Dance
10:35 – 11:00 am	Classical Indian Dance	Chinese Harpist
11:00 – 11:30 am	Recess	
11:35 – 12:25 pm	Middle Eastern Infusion	Hip Hop Infusion
12:10 – 12:35 pm	Hip Hop Infusion	Middle Eastern Infusion
12:35 – 1:35 pm	Lunch	
1:40 – 3:30 pm	Flamenco Fiesta	

POPULAR

MIDDLE EASTERN BELLDANCE



Renowned Egyptian belly dancer Nayima Hassan brings to life the ancient tradition of belly dance for students in these vibrant, fun and active sessions. Nayima has been teaching belly dance for more than 25 years and her programs help students explore the traditional meaning of belly dance routine, as well as the history of this ancient art form.

In addition to offering more traditional belly dance programs Nayima provides a range of hybrid programs including classical music, modern pop and most other dance style from Egypt to the Arabian Gulf. The most popular of these is the incredible Bolly-Belly program, that brings the fun and glamour of these two cultures together. Nayima's programs can be tailored to suit all age groups and specific regions or styles.

“Great belly dancing and music! We loved how she adapted choreography and music for older and younger year levels

Wynn Vale School, SA

INDIA / MUSIC

Classical Indian Song

This program introduces students to the vast musical tradition of India in an accessible and fun way. Priya is a trained Hindustani classical singer and Indian music teacher. She regularly performs at events around Adelaide and in this new program she introduces basic musical notations from India and will have children singing in Indian languages accompanied by her trusty flute!

CHINA / MUSIC

The Chinese Harpist

Zhao Liang is a Chinese Harpist from The School of Chinese Music and Arts, established in 2005 to teach the Guzheng or Chinese Harp. This workshop presents the origins of the harp and introduces traditional Chinese music. This is followed by a beautiful performance and an interactive workshop where students learn a traditional song.



LATIN AMERICA / DANCE

Latino Grooves

Colombian musician Hugo Salcedo teams with Latin dance instructor Julia Gonzalez to present this fun introduction to Latin dance styles like Salsa, Bachata and Brazilian Samba. Using traditional as well as contemporary instruments, the duo provide an energetic and insightful music and dance program and can incorporate Spanish language to suit the level of students.



INDIA / DANCE

Bollywood Infusion

Bollywood is an important part of modern Indian culture, it incorporates film, music and of course – dance! This program presents a vibrant Bollywood Dance workshop where students will learn about the folk and classical origins dances. Students will learn a short routine backed by awesome Bollywood tunes and get to try some colourful props and outfits too.

VIRTUAL AVAILABLE



“This performance was amazing. The two dancers were so enthusiastic and great to watch. They worked so well with the students helping them to play the instruments. They even included Bahasa Indonesia throughout!

Aveley North Primary School
Western Australia



POPULAR

CLASSICAL INDIAN DANCE

Dr. Khurshid Shroff is a reputed dancer, choreographer, researcher and teacher and was awarded a Doctorate in Fine Arts (Dance) and an Honours Bachelor of Science by the University of Mumbai. Through her performance and interactive workshops, Khurshid teaches dance movements and explains the multi-facets of Indian art and philosophy with the help of statues, artefacts, colourful costumes, jewellery and spice boxes. Students create traditional designs on the floor and learn how to drape a sari. The program suits any year level and enhances the school curriculum.



“Both of the performances were amazing! All of our staff and students commented on how much fun they had and how good the performers were. I must admit I was a little unsure of how our students would take the shows, but they loved them! Thanks to the performers and to Cultural Infusion for offering such great programs. I will definitely be using Cultural Infusion again.”

Rostrevor College, Adelaide SA

“Great belly dancing and music.”
Wynn Vale School

WORLD / THEATER

A Nomadic Journey

This musical and theatrical performance takes students on a cross-continental journey to learn about the origins of Roma culture. Using theatre, storytelling, puppetry and interactive workshops students will learn how the Roma influenced the music, dance, dress and language from India, across the Middle East and all the way to Spain!

WORLD / DANCE

Hip Hop Infusion

In this high-energy interactive program students will discover the significance of hip-hop and urban dance culture around the world. Using a variety of super-danceable beats our presenters will create an atmosphere that will have all students up and dancing. This is the perfect introduction to the expressive, powerful world of hip-hop.

ITALY / DANCE

Bella Italia

Explore the unique and vibrant culture of Naples in Italy! Napoli native Mira takes students through her childhood to learn about this ancient city. Students will sing along to Neapolitan folk songs and practice traditional folk dances. The Italian language level can be adjusted to the ability of the students.



“Props were well set out and effective.”
Wynn Vale School



SPAIN / DANCE

Flamenco Fiesta

Experienced teachers and performers of Flamenco company 'Alma Flamenca' present this vibrant performance and workshop including all the elements of Flamenco – dance, guitar, singing and 'Jaleo'! Students will discover the historical and cultural meaning of Flamenco, an Andalusian art form. Students learn footwork, percussion and 'palmas'.



SOUND INFUSION PILOT SCHOOL PROGRAM

In 2022, *Sound Infusion* will be piloted in a number of schools, beginning with SCEGGS (Sydney Church of England Girls' Grammar School) in Darlinghurst, NSW. The school will be using lesson plans linked to the Australian Curriculum and creating arrangements of traditional instrument sounds from around the world.

We are looking for more pilot schools in the coming year.

Contact nisha.f@culturalinfusion.org.au if you know of schools who may be interested. Nisha is happy to help music teachers to construct curriculum, using a blended learning approach combining the online arranging tool *Sound Infusion* with traditional song, dance and the excitement and authenticity of the Cultural Infusion incursions.



INDIGENOUS Mungo Explorer

Mungo Explorer is a fascinating journey into the past 50,000 years of human and natural history. Endorsed by the Aboriginal custodians of Lake Mungo, *Mungo Explorer* presents a rare educational opportunity to experience this landscape through Science, History, Aboriginal Perspectives, Geography and the Arts woven into a unique learning journey. <https://learn.culturalinfusion.org.au/mungo-explorer/>

DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION Diversity Atlas

Diversity Atlas is a one-of-a-kind diversity mapping computer platform that provides schools with insightful data on birth place, language, migration, family origins, gender and differing worldviews. Understand the cultural diversity within your school community, build inclusivity and peer to peer learning as students openly present their cultures to the classroom. <https://schools.diversityatlas.com.au/>

MUSIC Sound Infusion

A virtual studio of original recordings, *Sound Infusion* is an interactive digital collection of culturally diverse music samples from around the world designed to promote global harmony through intercultural awareness.

Our online virtual studio contains:

- An interactive music program enabling students to combine sounds of instruments from many cultures
- More than 5000 tracks of 300 traditional instruments from nearly 100 countries
- 50 lesson plans for Years 1 to 10 linked to IB

Try it for free at www.soundinfusion.com.au

EDUCATION GAMES Joko's World

Children explore our fascinating planet, test their knowledge and gain new skills – all through the engaging medium of interactive games. *Joko's World* takes kids from simple (noisy) pleasure of playing all of the world's tambourines and other instruments, discovering some of the world's messiest festivals, and exploring the planet's geography. www.jokosworld.com

CULTURAL AMBASSADOR Intercultural Citizenship Ambassador Program (ICAP)

ICAP teaches students to be leaders, develops Intercultural Understanding, and a sense of what culture means in a globalised world. ICAP takes students through mind-mapping, what makes culture, and the needs of leadership in the 21st century. Students experience what leadership truly means and become cultural ambassadors of the future.

<https://learn.culturalinfusion.org.au/icap/>



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