Your State Library:

▸ **collects and preserves the memories of our state**

▸ **allows current and future generations to enjoy, experience and learn from the collections**

▸ **supports creativity, research and problem solving**

▸ **offers engaging learning opportunities that share significant stories, and**

▸ **provides access to our unique collections.**

Join our mailing list

To keep up to date with news about the Library's programs, events and exhibitions, subscribe to our e-newsletter at www.slsa.sa.gov.au/subscribe.

Lifelong learning at your State Library

Cost	FREE
Capacity	30 students
Supervision ratio	Ratios for learner supervision at the State Library are carefully considered to maximise safety and learning outcomes. Please ensure that you have the following ratio of adults to students for your visit, Years 7-12 = 1:15.
Bookings essential	www.slsa.sa.gov.au/communitylearning
Enquiries	08 8207 7239 or slsacommunitylearning@sa.gov.au

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2018 EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Secondary School Students 7-12

2018 Programs

Come in and get the edge on Learning

- Extend students' research skills.
- Engage with a range of quality primary and secondary sources.
- Investigate our state's stories through photographs, maps, letters, diaries and newspapers.
- Discover study spaces, exhibitions and programs that support quality learning.
- Learn how to access FREE databases from home.

Programs are designed in line with the Australian Curriculum and the Teaching for Effective Learning framework.

All programs are facilitated by Community Learning Librarians.

Coo-ee Digger

Find out what it was like to be a South Australian digger during World War One. Learn about their experiences through primary sources including photographs, letters, diaries and digitised records. Go behind the scenes to the Library's basement and view World War One original sources. Students have the opportunity to wear a soldier's and nurse's uniform.

Suitable: Years 9 – 10 | Duration: 90 minutes

Discover Your State Library

Choose from the options below to introduce students to the State Library's spaces, services, resources and collections.

- tour the basement to see behind the scenes and view South Australian historical resources (diaries, letters, and newspapers)
- investigate eResources (databases and eBooks)
- learn about the English Language Learning Improvement Service (ELLIS), and
- explore Family History.

Each program includes a tour of the Mortlock Wing* and a demonstration of the Library's Discovery system.

* Subject to availability.

Suitable: Years 8 – 12 | Duration: up to 90 minutes

South Australia and Federation

Learn about South Australians who were instrumental in advancing the cause of Federation. Visit Sir Josiah Symon's Library tucked away upstairs in the magnificent Mortlock Wing. See the desk on which drafts of the Australian Constitution were penned. There is a unique opportunity to go behind the scenes to tour the Library's basement and view original documents.

Suitable: Years 9 – 10 | Duration: 90 minutes

Where's the Evidence?

Build skills in analysis, interpretation and evaluation.

Using State Library historic maps and images, students will explore basic inquiry skills that allow them to:

- pose questions
- devise a hypothesis
- critically test and evaluate findings, and
- communicate their discoveries to one another.

Suitable: Years 8 – 10 | Duration: 60 minutes

Optional: Add an orientation to the Library | Duration: 30 minutes

The Research Project and State Library Resources

Gain a competitive edge by enhancing research skills at the State Library. Students are introduced to the resources and how to access them, and can search their own topics using BYO devices or the Library's iPads.

Discover and use:

- eResources, including access to databases that provide newspaper and journal articles
- FREE home access to databases
- over 600,000 books
- hardcopy magazines and newspapers
- the most comprehensive South Australian published and archival collections
- maps and geodata
- digital collections
- audio/visual collections
- photographs and images
- Library Guides developed specifically to provide research assistance
- subject guides and pointers to useful resources, and
- friendly professional advice and services.

Suitable: Years 10 – 12 | Duration: 90 minutes

Researching History

Students learn how to research historical investigations using primary and secondary sources and home access eResources. Community Learning Librarians will provide research tips to enhance project work. Students will have the opportunity to research their selected topics using the Library's iPads or BYO devices. Go behind the scenes and tour the basement to view a selection of South Australian historical documents.

Suitable: Years 10 – 12 | Duration: 90 minutes

Researching Science and Technology

Improve your science and technology-related investigations using authoritative free home access eResources and secondary sources available via the State Library. Community Learning Librarians will provide research tips to enhance your projects. Students will have the opportunity to research their chosen topics using the Library's iPads or BYO devices. Go behind the scenes and tour the basement to view a selection of South Australian documents relating to technical innovation.

Suitable: Years 10 – 12 | Duration: 90 minutes

The State Library is used widely by the community and every effort is made to provide access to the Mortlock Chamber and Library spaces during programs.