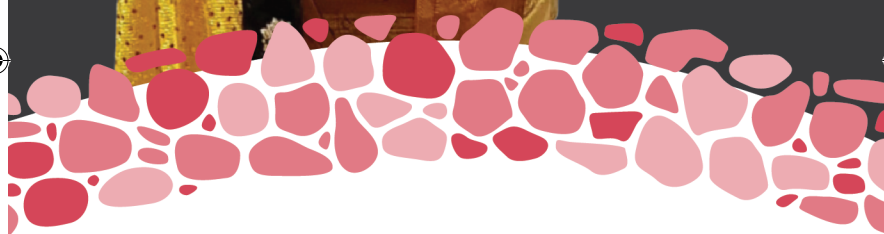




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welcome to 2025



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

Acknowledgement of Country

Cultural Infusion respectfully acknowledges the Traditional Owners and Elders of the land and pays respect to past, present, and future custodians, in continuation of cultural, spiritual and educational practices of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples throughout Australia.

cultural infusion brings culturally diverse presenters to

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

- Primary and secondary schools (incl. specialist schools)
- 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

Cultural Infusion has been appointed as an official observer to the 2005 UN Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the ***Diversity of Cultural Expressions***



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pricing

We have a wide variety of program structures to suit all your cultural experience needs.

The below pricing table is simply a guide, as we have many more options available ranging from school assembly performances to workshops at fairs and events. Please enquire about our custom programs and we will work with you to bring your celebrations to life!

PROGRAM TYPE	DURATION	PRICE (+GST)	NO. OF STUDENTS
Pre-Primary	30 min	From \$495	Up to 40
Single Session	50 min	From \$7 (per student)	Up to 150
Multicultural Half-Day Program	Half Day	From \$15 (per student)	From 200
Multicultural All-Day Program	Full Day	From \$20 (per student)	From 300
Specialist All-Day Program	Full Day	From \$20* (per student)	From 150
Virtual Program	50 min	\$790	Up to 120

TO BOOK

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* Prices may vary depending on the type and scope of program/s chosen.

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.

connecting to your curriculum

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.

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 perspectives, sounds, movements, beliefs and practices in one's own culture and others through engagement with culturally diverse art forms.

Languages

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

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cultural calendar

FEB	6	Waitangi Day (New Zealand)
	12	Lantern Festival (China)
	27	Ramadan Begins
	29	Lunar New Year/Spring Festival (International)
MAR	6	Independence Day (Ghana)
	8	International Women's Day
	14	Holi Festival (India)
	20	Nowraz New Year (International)
	21	Harmony Day (Australia) BOOK IN EARLY!
	30	Eid al Fitr Festival/End of Ramadan (International)
	31	Hari Raya (Balinese New Year)
APR	20	Easter Sunday
	20	Orthodox Easter
	5	Children's Day (Japan)
JUN	27-3	National Reconciliation Week (Australia)
	15-21	Refugee Week (Australia)
JUL	6-13	NAIDOC Week (Australia)
	14	Bastille Day (France)
	18	Nelson Mandela Day
AUG	4	National Aboriginal/Torres Strait Islander Children's Day (Australia)
	9	International Day of the World's Indigenous People
	13-15	Obon Festival (Japan)
	16	Krishna Janmashtami (Hindu)
	17	Indonesian Independence Day
SEP	16	Independence Day (Mexico)
	22-24	Rosh Hashanah (International, Jewish)
OCT	20	Diwali (India)
	26-1	Children's Week (Australia)
NOV	2	Day of the Dead (Mexico)
	3	Culture Day (Japan)
DEC	3	UN International Day of Disabled Persons (International)
	14-22	Hannukah (International, Jewish)
	25	Christmas Day (International)
	31	New Year's Eve (International)



indonesian shadow puppetry tour

VIC Metro and Regional: Feb, Mar, April, October

ACT/NSW South Coast: 29th April – 3rd May

NSW Metro and Regional: May, June

QLD Metro and Regional: July

WA Regional: August

SA Metro and Regional: September

Returning to Australia by popular demand, Cultural Infusion is once again proud to present the Dalang (Master) Shadow Puppeteer **Sumardi!**

Be captivated by one of the last masters of this endangered, ancient art form.

Programs: Wayang Kulit (Shadow Puppetry),
Wayang Golek (Wooden Puppetry)

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The Wayang Golek Wooden Puppetry

Give students a wonderful insight into the myths and legends of Indonesian history and culture. The stories are presented through wooden puppet dolls in colourful costumes who serve as symbols of Indonesian art. Features the Hindu folklore 'The Legend of Ramayana and Mahabharata'.



The Wayang Kulit Shadow Puppetry

A theatrical shadow play based on the Hindu folklore 'The Legend of Ramayana and Mahabharata'. Students are given an opportunity to watch the shadow puppetry from both sides of the screen to experience the magic behind this ancient art form.



The Wayang Kulit Half Day

Sumardi will guide students to make their own shadow puppets. The students will learn about the usage of specific characters and colours, as well as their symbolic meanings.





Chinese Martial Arts

Martial arts, also traditionally known as wǔshù in Mandarin, are art forms dating back more than 4000 years ago. In Chinese Martial Arts, a high energy educational workshop, participants get to delve into the history and philosophy of martial arts in China as well as trying out different styles such as Tai-Chi for themselves.



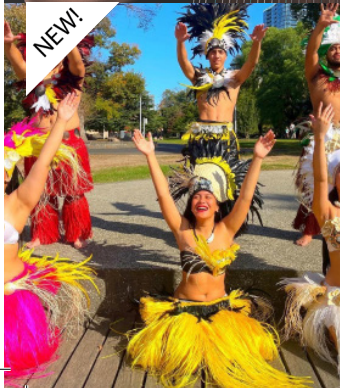
Chinese Classical Dance

Chinese Classical Dance engages students with an incredible performance of classical folk dances from across China such as the Lantern Dance, Ribbon Dance and Fan Dance. Students will practice a short routine using props, performed to both traditional and contemporary Chinese music.



Chinese Classical Music

This Chinese Classical Music workshop presents the ancient origins of Chinese classical instruments and introduces traditional Chinese music. This is followed by a beautiful performance and an interactive workshop where participants learn a traditional song themselves!



Polynesian Infusion

Take participants on a journey to the Islands with its energetic and enthusiastic performance and interactive workshops. Through a fast-paced combination of music, dance, storytelling and craft, participants will come to know and appreciate the ancient and fascinating cultures of the Pacific.



Classical Indian Dance

Immerse your students in Indian culture and its traditions dating back to ancient times. After an amazing performance of classical instruments and Sanskrit chants, students will learn some of the symbolic gestures, movements and stories.



Bollywood Infusion

Bollywood is an important part of modern Indian culture, referring to the Hindi film industry, and categorised by colourful displays of music, dance, and costume. Bollywood Infusion presents a vibrant workshop where participants will learn about the folk and classical origins of the Bollywood dances.



Indonesian Infusion

Indonesian Infusion will take participants on an immersive and interactive journey, showcasing the amazing diversity of the Indonesian community. Through customs, language, dance, traditional dress and music, the presenters explore the islands of Sumatra, Java, Bali and more. This colourful Indonesian Infusion program will give audiences an appreciation and insight into Indonesian culture!



Middle Eastern Belly Dance

Introduce your students to Arab cultures through stories and movement! From classical music to modern pop and dance styles from Egypt to the Arabian Gulf, participants will explore clapping, footwork, arm movements and improvisation in this high-energy program and some of the meanings behind the moves.





Hip Hop Lyrics Writing

Hip Hop Lyric Writing, led by Rapper Wayde, blends creativity and expression. Students explore hip-hop culture, transforming ideas into verses through interactive exercises. The workshop culminates with Wayde performing the students' collective creation and encouraging them to showcase their own lyrical talent, igniting curiosity and confidence in hip-hop artistry.



Hip-Hop Infusion

In this high-energy interactive program, students will learn about hip-hop and urban dance culture around the world. Using a variety of super-danceable beats that will have all students up and dancing, this is the perfect introduction to the expressive world of hip-hop!



Rhythms and Instruments of West Africa

In Rhythms and Instruments of West Africa, the musical cultures of West Africa are explored through rhythms and songs from Ghana, Guinea and Senegal. Students will be introduced to a range of instruments such as the djembe, dun dun drums, shekere, talking drum, balafon and more!



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 in Latino Grooves! Using traditional as well as contemporary instruments, the duo provide an energetic and insightful music and dance program and can incorporate Spanish language



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Latin American Dance

Explore the vibrant world of Latin American dance through an engaging demonstration of salsa, cha-cha-cha, merengue, bachata, and tango. Discover the rich cultural significance of these dances as participants gain a deeper connection to the rhythms and traditions of Latin America.



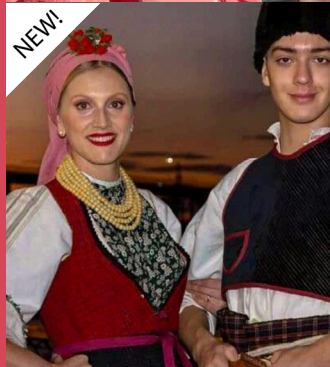
Fire of Flamenco

Fire of Flamenco incorporates dance, music and singing and has a rich, multicultural history influenced by Roma, Arab, West African and Spanish cultures. In this program, students will get to try the accompanying 'palmas' (clapping) and learn some flamenco dance moves.



Macedonian Dance and Culture

This interactive program immerses students in Macedonian traditions, customs, and stories passed down through generations. Participants will engage in traditional dances and songs, exploring their origins and cultural significance.



Bella Italia

Napoli native Mira takes students through her childhood to learn about this ancient city. In Bella Italia, 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.



multicultural all-day or half-day program

This program allows a choice of three or five programs.

Choose to explore one culture, language, or topic in depth, or travel the world with a program from every continent! Students rotate through 25-minute sessions in groups, then come together for a 50-minute final celebration.

"Absolutely amazing incursions today, our students were so engaged... I would recommend it strongly to other educators!"

Lynbrook Primary School

Example All-Day Timetable (5 programs)

TIME	GROUP 1	GROUP 2
10:00 – 10:25 am	Chinese Classical Music	Classical Indian Dance
10:35 – 11:00 am	Classical Indian Dance	Chinese Classical Music
11:00 – 11:30 am	Recess	
11:35 – 12:00 pm	Taiko Drumming	Hip Hop Infusion
12:10 – 12:35 pm	Hip Hop Infusion	Taiko Drumming
12:35 – 1:35 pm	Lunch	
1:40 – 2:30 pm	Fire of Flamenco	



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professional **development**

Cultural Infusion offers live programs with experienced, passionate facilitators, available both in-person and by virtual delivery on the following topics:

- Embedding Aboriginal Perspectives in the Classroom
- Introducing Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) in Education
- Facilitating Intercultural Competency in the Classroom

free resources with any booking!

With any Cultural Infusion booking, your school will enjoy 3 months of complimentary access to our educational platform, Learning Lands.

Packed with a diverse range of resources, including our award-winning music tool, Sound Infusion, Learning Lands equips teachers with the materials they need to effectively support students in developing Intercultural Understanding.



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special performances



In addition to interactive programs, we can tailor special performances for school assemblies and fairs. With almost thirty years in the entertainment industry and hundreds of presenters Australia wide, we provide creative and highly engaging entertainment to elevate your school events.

“ The performers were incredible! From the first moment, the audience was transfixed by their energy and expertise. Thank you for making our event so special!



Diversity Atlas

foster meaningful inclusion
at your school

Diversity Atlas is an innovative data-analytics tool designed to help schools measure and understand the cultural and demographic diversity within their staff and student bodies. By comparing these insights with the broader community, schools can track changes over time and ensure they are fostering a representative and inclusive environment.

Additionally, **Diversity Atlas** offers actionable insights to support schools in creating a welcoming atmosphere for all.

To help you make the most of this data, we provide teacher resources, including tailored lesson plans, to effectively integrate these insights into your school's curriculum.

Book a free demo today!



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cultural infusion's new annual school packages!

We're excited to introduce our new **Cultural Infusion school packages** designed to enrich your educational experience throughout the year. Our packages include:

Assembly Performances or Workshops: Engaging sessions that bring diverse cultures to life for your students.

Professional Development Sessions: Tailored training for educators on intercultural competency and embedding Aboriginal perspectives in the classroom.

Diversity Atlas Membership: Gain insights with our comprehensive mapping tool that provides meaningful data on the cultural diversity of your staff and students.

Year-long Learning Lands Subscription: Access our award-winning resources to support cultural education all year round.

Exclusive Benefits: Enjoy discounts, special promotions, and personalised consultation sessions to support your school's unique needs.

Contact us to find the right package for your school and request a quote!



LIVING CULTURE PROGRAMS

Involve your students in year-round fundraising initiatives to empower communities in Africa and Asia.

Our programs include:

- Tanzanian ritualistic singing, drumming, and dance for youths aged 15 to 25
- Qawwali music and chanting for children in Pakistan aged 6-15

These cultural practices provide a sense of identity and belonging, fostering sustainable and peaceful societies. With just \$500 a month, your school can support life-changing programs. Students will enjoy exploring diverse arts while fundraising for a meaningful cause. Enquire today, and we'll help organise fundraising events to unite your school community.



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