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# ANCIENT CULTURES & CIVILISATIONS

## EDUCATION KIT 2017

Indigenous Australians are among the oldest of continuous cultures in the world, Ancient Persia was once the world's biggest empire and we can credit Ancient Mesopotamia with inventing the wheel.

Much of how human civilisation functions today can be derived from the advancements made by ancient cultures and civilisations.

The *Mercury's* Newspapers in Education program will explore the history and great achievements of the ancient world in its next education resource for 2017: **Ancient Cultures & Civilisations**.

This education kit is a fascinating look into human history and will provide an excellent project-based or inquiry learning resource for your students as well as covering core curriculum requirements.

In late March the *Mercury* will publish a 10-part poster series that will cover topics including: Aboriginal Australians, Ancient Rome, Greece, Egypt, Americas, Mesopotamia, Persia, China and India as well as an overview about what ancient civilisations teach us.

Participating teachers will receive workbooks for Primary and Secondary levels that include 40 activities each to help you meet some of your curriculum needs in **English, Intercultural Capabilities and The Humanities - History & Geography**.

Class sets of the *Mercury*, included in the kit, will ensure your students can cut out and keep the poster material.

### WHAT'S IN THE KIT

- **40 PRIMARY** activity worksheets - suited to Year 3-6 students and includes curriculum links. Great for English needs in particular.
- **40 SECONDARY** activity worksheets - suited to Year 7-10 students and includes curriculum links. Great for English and History needs in particular.
- **25 copies of the *Mercury*** delivered to your school from Monday-Friday, March 20-31. Each workbook contains activities that include using information found in the *Mercury*.

Kit subscribers will be reminded via email of impending newspaper delivery the week prior to allow time to notify your school administration office.

### Activities suited to: Year 3 to Year 10

Curriculum relevancy: English, Intercultural Capabilities and The Humanities - History & Geography

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Number of kits \_\_\_\_\_ at \$40 per kit. (Price includes GST)

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