

VIRTUAL STUDY TOURS

STUDENT GROUPS



Virtual excursion



Specialised lessons, e.g. sustainability



Live virtual classes with local students

WHY CHOOSE NSW GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS VIRTUAL STUDY TOURS?

- Interaction with local students
- Tailor-made programs
- Minimal time difference
- DE International staff assist and monitor the session
- Flexible schedule - no set booking dates/times
- Competitive pricing including discounts for multiple sessions
- Largest network of schools in Australia

TAILOR-MADE OPTIONS

Our virtual study tours are flexible and can be tailor-made from the options below.

- Integration with local students in live classes (e.g. language and cultural sharing, discussions and interactive activities)
- Virtual live school tour
- Environmental Education Centre programs
- Closed-class English or specialised lessons conducted by a qualified teacher (e.g. debating skills, discussion skills, leadership, sustainability) to support other sessions
- Participation certificates upon request
- Optional virtual excursion add-ons

COVID-19 has changed the way we connect, travel and learn. Virtual study tours allow overseas groups of students to connect with NSW students through technology, allowing them to experience NSW Government Schools in real-time.



Virtual live school tour



Environmental Education Centre virtual lessons

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DURATION

- Mini session (45 minutes) - perfect length to maximise student engagement
- Extended half day session (2 x 45 minutes with a break) - for in-depth discussions or multiple inclusions
- Multiple sessions upon request

TECHNOLOGY REQUIREMENTS

- Zoom or Microsoft Teams - session set up by DE International

GROUP SIZE

- 5 to 30 students
- Large groups may be hosted in multiple sessions
- 1 English speaking adult is required per 15 students (1 per 10 students is free of charge)

AGE

- 10 to 18 years of age
- Session content adapted to suit the age of each group

PRICE

- Registered tour operators should contact DE International for a price list and quote
- Discounts offered for multiple sessions or booking with a future in-person study tour

Sample Student Virtual Study Tour - Half Day

TIME (NSW)	ACTIVITY
12pm - 12.10pm	Welcome and introductions by group representatives
12.10pm - 12.45pm	Part 1: Break out into smaller groups for self-introductions and presentations to local students (e.g. school, town or country)
12.45pm - 1pm	Break including stretches where necessary
1pm- 1.30pm	Part 2: Break out into smaller groups for interactive activities with local students *Content may include school tour, games, language and culture sharing or group discussions on more complex topics such as leadership or sustainability (SDGs)
1.30pm - 1.45pm	Return to main group for summary by group representatives. Farewell.

* Content can be tailor-made to suit the needs of the group and is decided in advance, based on the group's English level and agreement between the host school and tour operator.

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