



Tuesday June 2, 2020

Read the feature topic on Reconciliation Week in today's ED! Magazine and complete some of the activities below.



- What do the following Noongar words mean?
 - Wadjemup
 - Nyitting
 - Kooranup
 - Whadjuk
 - Bindi-Bindi
 - Wanjoo
- How did Noongar people originally get to Wadjemup?
- What is the documentary *In My Blood It Runs* about?



- Dajuan Hoosan is the youngest person to give a speech at the United Nations in Geneva. Search online to find out what the United Nations does, and the significance of making a speech to the United Nations.



- What do you think would have been some of the challenges faced by the documentary team who made *In My Blood It Runs*? Think about location, language, culture and the topics explored in the documentary.



- Search YouTube for Gina Williams' song, *Wanjoo*. Why do you think the song has become popular with schools?
- What do you think Gina Williams means when she says, 'We want people to sing it not just because it's NAIDOC Week or Reconciliation Week but because we live on Noongar country.'



- Create a poster promoting reconciliation at your school.



- Search today's paper for another article about Wadjemup. Can you identify three facts, and three opinions in the article?

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Read the stories in ED! Magazine's *NEWS FLASH* column and complete some of the activities below.

WA rock shelters ruined



- Why did Rio Tinto destroy the rock shelters?



- Find the location of the destroyed rock shelters on a map of WA.



- Search online to find out the significance of the rock shelters.

Oldest bug found



- How old is the millipede fossil discovered in Scotland?
- How was the discovery made?



- Why do you think it is important for scientists to continue rethinking what they know about evolution?



- Use the article as inspiration for a short story about the discovery of a fossil.



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