

A scenic landscape featuring a calm river in the foreground, reflecting the sky and the surrounding trees. The riverbank is lined with a dense forest of tall, slender trees, likely eucalyptus, with their dark trunks and green foliage. The sky is a clear, bright blue. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and natural.

From Forgotten Collections to Tools for Educational Outreach

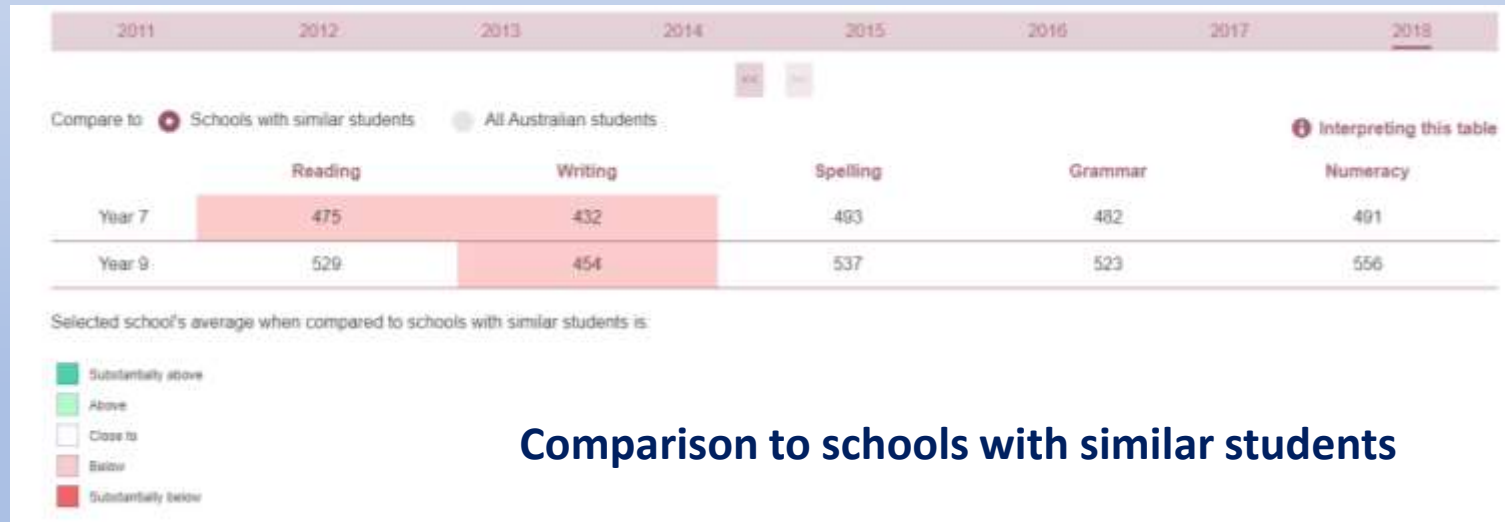
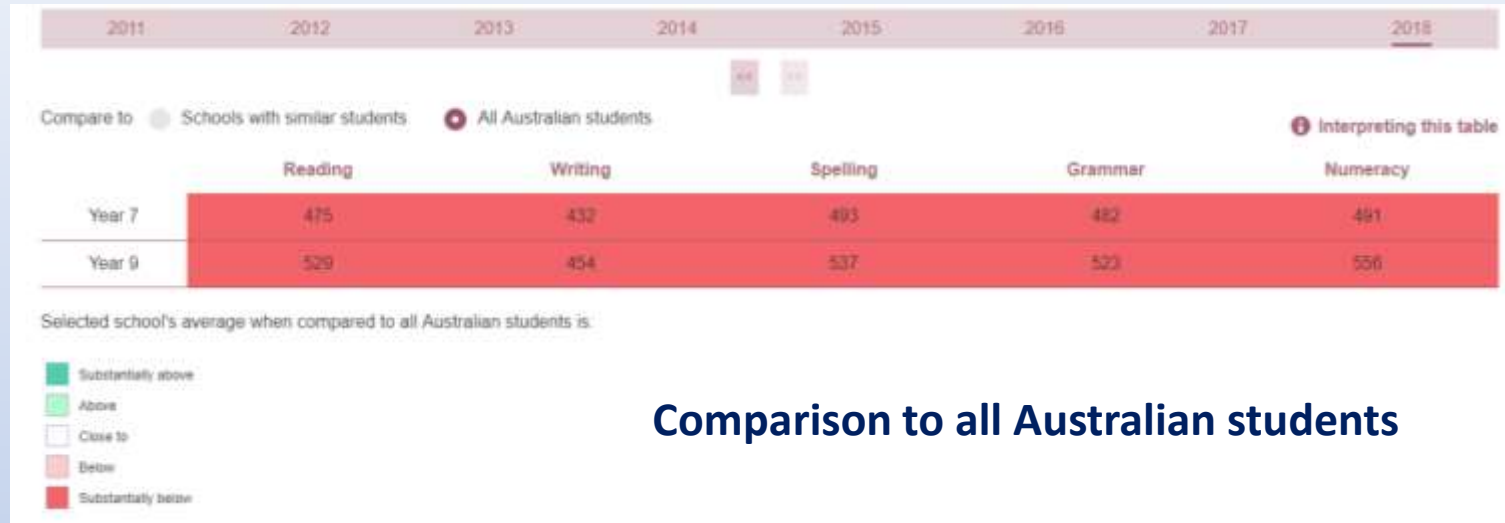
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2018 NAPLAN RESULTS: A MEASURE OF STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT





THE GOULBURN VALLEY PROJECT STUDENT PARTICIPATION 2016 - 2019 SCHOOL INCURSIONS

	A	B	C	D	E	F
	All Year Levels	2016	2017	2018	2019	TOTAL
1	Kyabram SC	97	59	67	69	292
2	McGuire College	93	76	118	57	344
3	Mooroopna SC	72	62	63	51	248
4	Numurkah SC	85	71	69	49	274
5	Shepparton HS	46	37	38	53	174
	TOTALS	393	305	355	279	1332

WHAT DO ARCHAEOLOGISTS FIND – WHAT HAPPENS TO THESE OBJECTS?



THE IMPORTANCE OF CONTEXT

If Bastet is found in a house what does that tell us?

What if she is found in a temple?



OBJECT CLASSIFICATION

Every day objects

Buttons, Shells & Lids

Organise your objects according to:

- Shape
- Colour
- Date
- Fabric
- ?

What stories do these objects tell us?



SHELLS



AUTHENTIC POT SHERDS

Record or Draw



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What does it look like?

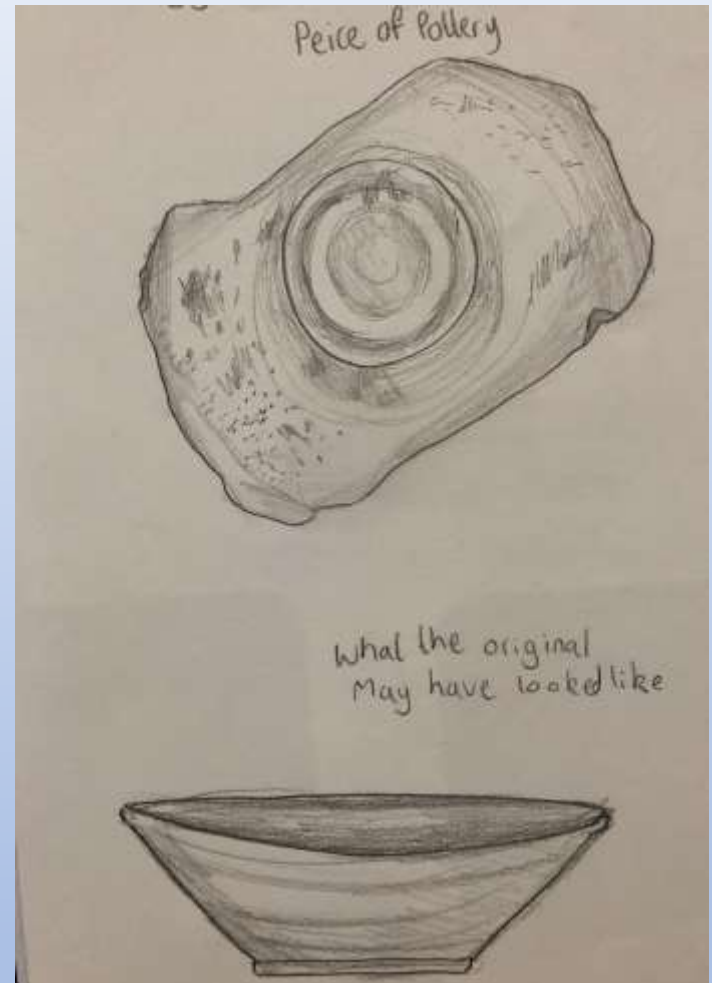
- Measurements
- Shape
- Colour
- Material

→ Use this information to consider how old it is, where it's from and who used it





DRAWING Before and after breakage



COMPARATIVE LITERACY LEVELS

Same school/Same class

Merry CES

OBJECT TYPE:		NAME OF RECORDER:	
FABRIC			
Colour(s): Brown			
Inclusions: green fine and clean no inclusions (describe the type, colour, size, concentration and distribution)			
MEASUREMENTS			
Height: 82 cm	Width: 10.8 cm	Thickness: 0.5 cm	
METHOD			
Wheel- or handmade: wheel made			
Decoration: the slit - creating wheel (describe any painted or incised decoration as well as finishing like smoothing)			
CONDITION			
State of the object: Broken			
Cuts or breaks: on the sides			
PROVENANCE			
Country of Origin: Sierra		Site:	
COLLECTION			
Date of Acquisition: 1980		Location: Y. 10 28	

OBJECT TYPE:		NAME OF RECORDER:	
FABRIC			
Colour(s): L.S.			
Inclusions: dts, hrs, dots, rock (describe the type, colour, size, concentration and distribution)			
MEASUREMENTS			
Height: 12 cm	Width: 8.9 cm	Thickness: 1 cm	
METHOD			
Wheel- or handmade: wheel			
Decoration: triangles, lines (describe any painted or incised decoration as well as finishing like smoothing)			
CONDITION			
State of the object:			
Cuts or breaks:			
PROVENANCE			
Country of Origin:		Site:	
COLLECTION			
Date of Acquisition:		Location:	

A TOMB IN A BOX

Self-directed learning



GOULBURN VALLEY IN A BOX





2018 YEAR 7 KEY SURVEY RESPONSES

Has learning with objects increased your interest in studying history?

Yes 68%

No 32%

Did looking at ancient **objects** increase the amount of information you could remember?

Yes 80%

No 20%



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