



Australian GEOGRAPHIC **OUR (COUNTRY)** IMMERSIVE EXPERIENCE

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BACKGROUND

Australian Geographic
OUR (OUNTR)
is a large format
multi-screen Immersive
Experience taking the
audience inside the
cultural heart of Australia's
vast wilderness.

In a unique partnership between Emmy award winning film makers and Indigenous creators, **OUR (OUNTR)** is a uniquely compelling, enduringly emotional experience that will have audiences yearning to explore our amazing country first-hand.

The most ambitious immersive film production ever undertaken in Australia, the experience utilises large screen 4K technology to capture natural Australia like never before.

Experience stunning time lapses wheeling overhead of our night sky, flecked with shooting stars. Slip into caves lit by magical glow worms hanging from the ceiling above. Enter a forest glen at night, by the glow of the full moon. Multicoloured mushrooms grow in timelapse, dwarfing us like Alice in Wonderland. Storms, lightning, fire and blizzards sweep through the space, stirring us in their elemental forces, as the experience overcomes each of our senses, we're awe-struck once again by the unimaginable vastness that is Australia.

THE BEST END OF YEAR EXCURSION

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Australian Geographic **OUR (OUNTR) Immersive Experience premieres at ICC Sydney on 19 November 2022.**

Timed to coincide with the end of the academic year, the experience offers an unrivalled end-of-year excursion opportunity for Primary and Secondary classes.

A special \$15 per student price makes this an affordable educational offering whilst also being an exciting and fun way to celebrate the end of the school year.

LEARNING INTERSECTIONS AND OUTCOMES INCLUDE:

- Embark on an epic adventure that takes us across Australia's highest mountains, wildest rivers, precious rainforests, pristine seas and ancient deserts.
- Encounter dazzling natural wonders across every state and territory that are home to over a million species of flora and fauna.
- Experience Indigenous perspectives of Country and connect with culture.
- Evoke your own personal relationship to the natural world, through the multi-sensory, immersive experience.

As a curriculum resource in Humanities and Social Science, **OUR (OUNTR)** is primarily relevant to the Geography strand of 'Knowledge and Understanding' and in Science, it is primarily relevant to the Biological Sciences strand of 'Science Understanding'.



KEY INFORMATION

All student tickets \$15

1 FREE teacher ticket per 10 student tickets purchased.

School sessions available (Monday–Friday 10AM, 11AM, 12PM).

Dedicated teaching activities available.

Free educational resources available which can be modified by teachers to suit most learning levels.

Direct group booking link and contact number.

Venue risk assessment [AVAILABLE HERE](#)

Ample transport options to/from ICC Sydney.

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I am the chairman of the Australian Geographic Society. I am excited to tell you about a media event produced by Australian Geographic, together with multi-Emmy Award winning television production company Northern Pictures.

Our Country is a fully immersive, ultra-high definition, video experience - an epic and stunning exposition of Australia's natural history. This event provides an opportunity for the audience to experience our amazing country by being surrounded by breathtaking video of Australia's nature and landscapes on over 40 screens up to 6m tall. It is an especially unique learning opportunity for young people in Australia.

The immersive experience explores the natural landscapes of Australia, from rainforests, oceans and deserts, celebrating the grandeur and diversity of Australia's wild places. Storms, lightning, fire and ice stir us in their elemental forces. Made up of the works of 25 specialist cinematographers, Australian Geographic and Northern Pictures have endeavoured to create an experience of Australia that is evocative and embracing for all Australians.

Our Country will run from **19th November 2022 to 5th February 2023** in **Hall 7, ICC Sydney**. I encourage you to consider bringing students from your school to see it. We would be delighted to offer the school tickets at the significantly discounted rate of \$15pp. We are thrilled to be presenting the show and hope your students and teachers will attend.

If you are interested in purchasing tickets you can do so [here](#), or by calling Ticketek on 1300 364 001. For further information on *Our Country*, please visit the website: <https://ausgeo-ourcountry.com/>

David Haslingden
Chair

Australian Geographic was founded 35 years ago as a not-for-profit organisation dedicated to supporting scientific research, protecting, and fostering a love for our environmental and natural heritage, encouraging the spirit of discovery, and spreading the knowledge of Australia to Australians and the world.

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