



# One World Centre Education & Resources

building a just and sustainable world

The One World Centre is a non-government not for profit organisation working to provide transformative education toward an active and aware global citizenship.

See: [www.oneworldcentre.org](http://www.oneworldcentre.org)

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the Australian Government through AusAID's Global Education Program:

See: [www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au](http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au)

and by Caritas Australia [www.caritas.org.au](http://www.caritas.org.au)

The WA Education Department and the WA Catholic Education Office allow us to use their courier systems to send library resources to most regional and rural schools, including some remote Aboriginal communities.

Lotterywest has funded OWC website development & equipment

## NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK

**VOLUNTEERS**  
What would we do without them?

In preparing a few funding submissions recently, we recently tallied up the hours our volunteers give us, and discovered -

**HALF OF ALL OWC WORK IS VOLUNTARY!**

Everything from shelving books, creating kits, cataloguing, reminder letters, data entry, book keeping, fundraising, management committee & subcommittee, program evaluation, etc etc We are deeply grateful to our volunteers who not only keep the OWC afloat, but also make it a lively place to work!

**THANKYOU & HAPPY VOLUNTEER WEEK TO YOU ALL!**

**WELCOME TO ROSIE VINICOMBE**, our Administration Assistant: making life sunnier and so much more efficient. Thanks Rosie

## HOT TOPICS See the Real World

travel>aid>change  
Free copies from AusAID

**Australian Aid - the Next Ten Years -**  
Promoting Growth and Stability - White Paper on the Australian Government's overseas aid program  
Check this and other hot topics through:  
<http://www.ausaid.gov.au/hottopics>



## Resource Centre

**Global education resources for school & community awareness**

Subject areas include human rights, peace, cultural diversity, refugees, conflict resolution, Aboriginal peoples, environment, reconciliation, values education and active citizenship, among others!  
We have a range of formats: videos, display kits, teaching kits, discovery boxes, and teacher resource texts.



**Our catalogue of resources is online at**

[www.oneworldcentre.org](http://www.oneworldcentre.org)  
or  
Contact Jenni for information

## JOIN US! MEMBERSHIPS

Inc GST

\$20 Individuals-unwaged  
\$40 Individuals -waged  
\$40 Community Orgs  
\$ 88 Schools under 200  
\$110 Schools over 200  
\$110 University Depts

Membership benefits:

- Library borrowing
- Educational events
- OWC member entitlements

You can download a form from our website or ring and we will fax it to you.

**DONATIONS**  
**TO OUR LIBRARY FUND ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE**  
Make cheques payable to the One World Centre Library Fund

## WORKSHOPS FOR TEACHERS



**Around 400 educators and tertiary students have attended Global Education workshops this year, keeping our Education Officer running!**

These have included the following topics:

**INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL EDUCATION**  
**SPARS: Stereotypes, perceptions, assumptions and racism,**  
**BELIEVE IT OR NOT! Looking at multifaith Australia**  
**INTERCULTURAL UNDERSTANDINGS**  
**APPROPRIATE TECHNOLOGY**  
**EARTH'S DIVERSITY**

**Time to discuss your workshop needs now!**  
Contact Lindy Stirling at [education@oneworldcentre.org](mailto:education@oneworldcentre.org) or phone 9371 9133

### OTHER TEACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS

**Did you know the first week of term 4 is Anti Poverty Week?**

### **MAKE POVERTY HISTORY**

*A Professional Development Workshop for teachers of Years 6 to 10*

**September 20**  
**4.30 pm to 6.00 pm**

This workshop is a great opportunity to introduce a unit of work that addresses values and active citizenship.

It will offer a broad range of activities and ideas to use with and engage students.

**We promise it will be interactive and you'll go away with a fistful of materials and lesson ideas.**

**Ring 9371 9133 for details**

### **NEW OWC**

### **WORLD BELIEFS DISCOVERY BOX**

is now finished and available for borrowing. It displays **5 major religions of the world, and Indigenous Australian spirituality** with lots of ideas, religious artefacts, information cards for displays, and teaching activities for your classroom.

*For years 8 to 12*

### **The Girl in the Café**

DVD 93 mins

**Lawrence** who works for the Chancellor of the Exchequer invites **Gina** to accompany him on a romantic mini-break to the G8 meeting in Reykjavik, Iceland. As the politicians bicker, sidelining crucial decisions to combat extreme poverty, **Lawrence and Gina's gentle love story develops**, until they find their own role at the summit taking a dramatic turn....

This DVD provides great material to introduce the **Millennium Development Goals, the work of politics, Making Poverty History and active citizenship.**

**We provide 4 versions of how to view the film (other than in its entirety) from 5 – 25 minutes, and what students can do with it once they have viewed it.** This is a great medium to introduce the topic without a heavy handed documentary.

Suitable for years 8-12.

# COMMUNITY EDUCATION

**MAY 27th - JUNE 3rd**  
**NATIONAL RECONCILIATION WEEK**

**SORRY DAY MAY 26**  
**FREE COMMUNITY EVENT**  
**JOURNEY of HEALING**  
 11.30am to 1.30pm  
 Wellington Square, Wellington Street,  
 East Perth

Join us in celebrating the survival of  
 Indigenous families and culture!

Further information Julie Kornaat  
 0410 064 374

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Coordinated by the  
 Bringing them Home Committee (WA) Inc

**ABORIGINAL HISTORY  
 and ROTTNEST**

When you are next on Rottnest join  
 a guided tour of the  
**Aboriginal History of Rottnest**  
 and visit the museum.

You'll learn more than the history of Rottnest,  
 beginning to understand the history of early  
 settlers and Indigenous people across  
 Western Australia.

See [www.rottnestisland.com](http://www.rottnestisland.com)  
 (Search: "Aboriginal")

**COMMUNITY EDUCATION**

The One World Centre  
 has run several  
 volunteer-resourced  
 workshops & events.

**JOURNEY OF AN AFGHAN FAMILY**  
 Mohammed Asif Hamkar and wife Hafiza  
 inspired nearly 150 people at an  
 Afghan Dinner.

**CONTRADICTIONS OF BURMA**  
 20 enjoyed a Burmese/Australian  
 dialogue at **Glyde In Learning Centre**.

**RESPONSIBLE TOURISM**  
 20 Year 12 students at **Shenton College**  
 learned about volunteering and travelling in  
 developing countries with Eversley

**DO YOU NEED A SPEAKER FOR YOUR  
 ORGANISATION OR CLASSROOM?**

**SPEAKERS' BUREAUS**

The One World Centre promotes speakers  
 from a number of agencies in the

**Development Network of WA**

For more information contact direct:

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## An Activity for the Classroom

### THE MAIN GAME

Millennium Development Goals  
Kit prepared by World Vision, Australia

This newly arrived kit contains:

- DVD in 5 clearly defined sections with accompanying notes
- Resource book with both student and teacher information and work sheets
- Resource book on CD-ROM
- A4 photographs to be used
- A2 poster set (8 posters) of the Millennium Development Goals

This resource introduces the global context looking at statistics in an accessible form for students. The Millennium Goals are introduced with some engaging activities showing the inter-relatedness of each of them, including a humorous **footy panel script**. Resource material is provided to assist in the research of the first 7 goals along with **case studies and country profiles**.

There is a section on a **global partnership for development (MDG 8) in relation to aid** and challenges facing countries and aid agencies in deciding who gets how much and for what. Finally there is a range of other resources and activities for students.

Another  
**MAKING POVERTY HISTORY**  
Resource  
See lots more in the  
OWC Library

Ring the  
Library for  
ideas for  
celebrating  
these special  
dates

### Some Dates For Your Calendar

#### 2006 - 2014

2006	International Year of Deserts & Desertification
2001-2010	UN Decade to Roll Back Malaria
2003-2012	United Nations Literacy Decade
2005-2014	United Nations Decade of Education for Sustainable Development

#### MAY - OCTOBER

##### May 27- June 3 National Reconciliation Week

June 5	Education for Sustainable Development Week
June 5	World Environment Day
June 12	Desertification & Arid Zones Week
June 17	World Day to Combat Desertification & Drought
June 20	World Refugee Day
<b>July 2</b>	<b>National Aboriginal &amp; Islander Day</b>
July 28	School Tree Day
Sept 21	International Day of Peace
Oct 12	International Day for Disaster Reduction
<b>Oct 15</b>	<b>Anti Poverty Week</b>

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