LOST! How to survive in the Aussie bush

Oh no, you’re lost! Learn how a few simple items can help you to survive in the bush. Children learn to collect water to drink, build a shelter and make their own compass.

**Session times:** 10:00am – 12:00pm (Year 1 – 3)  1:00 – 3:00pm (Years 4 - 6)

- **Coolart Homestead and Wetlands:** Monday 11<sup>th</sup> January
- **Point Nepean:** Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> January
- **Braeside Park:** Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> January
- **Dandenong Ranges National Park:** Friday 15<sup>th</sup> January

Digging Deeper

Digging Deeper is an unforgettable encounter with our Earth. Handle obsidian, find fossils that are older than dinosaurs and look at rocks that have gone through the belly of volcanoes! Students will examine specially selected rocks and conduct a myriad of activities to learn about the rock cycle, weathering and erosion, and soil.

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All Dinosaurs Great and Small

Be a palaeontologist for the day! What can fossils show us about the diet of dinosaurs? Why did they have claws? Learn how modern animals teach us about the behaviour of prehistoric creatures and make your own fossil replica to take home. Visit the Wildlife of Gondwana Exhibition at NWM too!

**Session times:** 10:30am – 12:00pm (Prep – Year 3)  1.00 – 2: 30pm (Year 4 - 6)

- **National Wool Museum, Geelong:** Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> & Friday 15<sup>th</sup> January

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**Coolart Wetlands & Homestead:** Lord Somers Road, Somers VIC 3927
**Dandenong Ranges National Park:** Cnr Burwood Hwy & Mt Dandenong Tourist Road, Upper Ferntree Gully VIC 3156
**Point Nepean National Park:** End of Point Nepean Road, Portsea VIC 3944
**Braeside Park Visitors Centre:** Lower Dandenong Road, Braeside VIC 3195
**National Wool Museum:** 26 Moorabool Street, Geelong VIC 3220

**COST:** $25 per child per activity  
**BOOKING:** [www.trybooking.com/JXNW](http://www.trybooking.com/JXNW)

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