

OPEN HORIZONS

ANCIENT GREEK JOURNEYS AND CONNECTIONS

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About the exhibition

Open Horizons - Ancient Greek Journeys and Connections tells the story of ideas, influences and connections that form and build communities. Featuring extraordinary collection items from the National Archaeology Museums in Athens, this exhibition will take students on a journey through Ancient Greece exploring how the trade of ideas and goods influenced Greek culture, and in turn influenced the ancient world.

Since antiquity Greeks have a widely shared common geological heritage: The Mediterranean Sea. This exhibition features 44 ancient works that date from the Early Bronze Age to the Roman period representing periods of economic and cultural trade between Greece and its neighbours.

About the student booklet

The Open Horizons PDF student booklet has been designed to support teachers and students in Year 7-10 when visiting the exhibition at Melbourne Museum. The exhibition has strong curriculum links to:

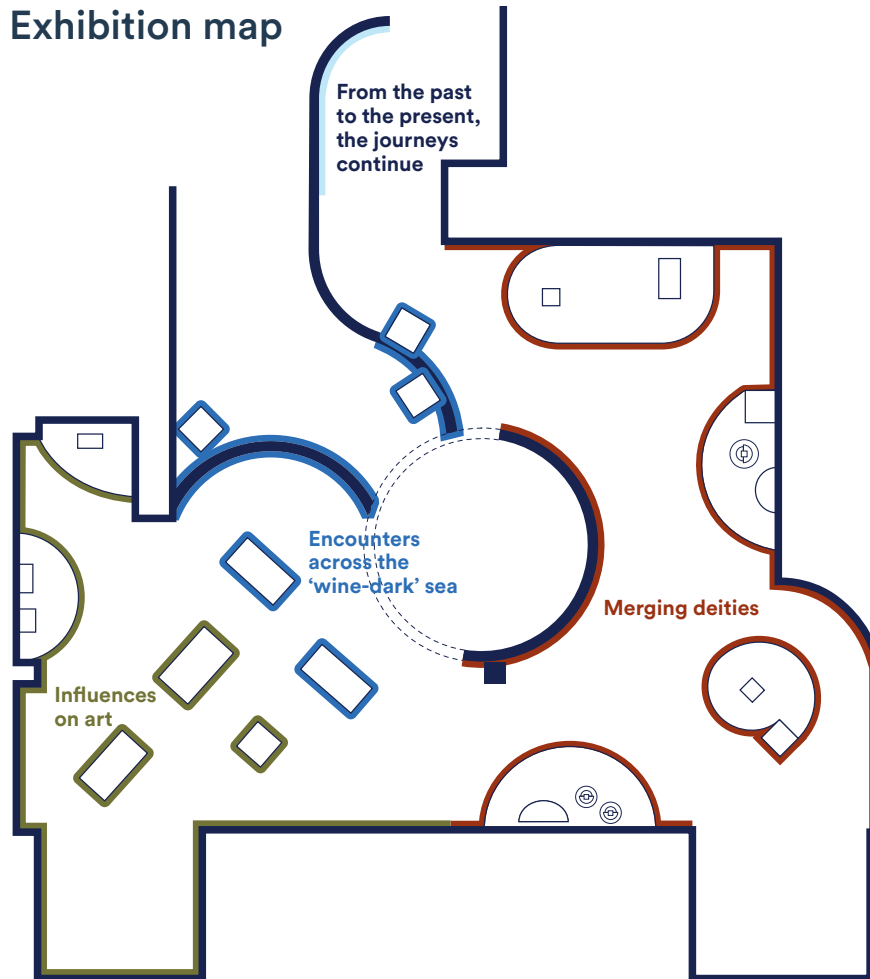
Yr. 7-8: The Ancient to the Modern World

- Ancient world and early civilisations
- Chronology
- Historical sources as evidence
- Cause and effect

Yr. 9-10: The Making of the Modern World and Australia

- Historical sources as evidence
- Cause and effect
- Historical significance

Exhibition map



Resources to support further learning & teaching

The following resources are designed to support students learning before or after your visit to *Open Horizons* exhibition.

Museums Victoria - Open Horizons web hub

museums.vic.gov.au/melbournemuseum/resources/open-horizons/

Aegean history timeline

museums.vic.gov.au/melbournemuseum/resources/open-horizons/timeline/

Ancient Greece – National Geographic (teaching resources)

www.nationalgeographic.org/education/ancient-greece/

National Archaeological Museums, Athens

www.namuseum.gr/en/collections/