# Sample Scope and Sequence: HSIE Life Skills – Years 9–12

*This scope and sequence illustrates the delivery of the History and Geography Life Skills Years 7–10 courses and the HSIE Life Skills Stage 6\* course in a multi-stage class.*

| **Term 1** | **Week 1** | **Week 2** | **Week 3** | **Week 4** | **Week 5** | **Week 6** | **Week 7** | **Week 8** | **Week 9** | **Week 10** |
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| The city and the country  (25 hours) | In this unit, students recognise the difference between urban and rural areas in Australia. They develop an understanding of why people live in urban and rural settings and explore the physical features, economic activity, culture and services in both settings. Students investigate why people move to cities and how their own local community or city has responded to increasing population. | | | | | | | | | |
| Geography Life Skills Years 7–10 outcomes | GELS-2, GELS-3, GELS-5, GELS-7, GELS-8 | | | | | | | | | |
| HSIE Life Skills Stage 6 outcomes | GLS5, GLS7, GLS8, GLS11, GLS12 | | | | | | | | | |

| **Term 2** | **Week 1** | **Week 2** | **Week 3** | **Week 4** | **Week 5** | **Week 6** | **Week 7** | **Week 8** | **Week 9** | **Week 10** |
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| Faster, Connected, Smarter  (25 hours) | In this unit, students explore developments in twentieth and twenty-first century technology which have helped us to become more connected and access information and services more easily. In particular, students investigate the development of the internet, mobile technologies and social media. Students consider how these developments have improved our lives and recognise some of the dangers of online environments. | | | | | | | | | |
| History Life Skills Years 7–10 outcomes | HTLS-1, HTLS-6, HTLS-8, HTLS-10, HTLS-13 | | | | | | | | | |
| HSIE Life Skills Stage 6 outcomes | MHLS6-1, MHLS6-3, MHLS6-4, MHLS6-8, MHLS6-10, MHLS6-11 | | | | | | | | | |

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| **Term 3** | **Week 1** | **Week 2** | **Week 3** | **Week 4** | **Week 5** | **Week 6** | **Week 7** | **Week 8** | **Week 9** | **Week 10** |
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| Our global environment  (25 hours) | In this unit, students explore a range of biomes around the world. Students investigate a biome in Australia to identify physical features and explore how we use this biome for the production of food, materials or fibre. Students identify how human activity has impacted on the biome and explore ways to manage this. | | | | | | | | | |
| Geography Life Skills Years 7–10 outcomes | GELS-1, GELS-2, GELS-3, GELS-5, GELS-7, GELS-8 | | | | | | | | | |
| Geography Life Skills Stage 6 outcomes | GLS1, GLS2, GLS4, GLS11, GLS12 | | | | | | | | | |

| **Term 4** | **Week 1** | **Week 2** | **Week 3** | **Week 4** | **Week 5** | **Week 6** | **Week 7** | **Week 8** | **Week 9** | **Week 10** |
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| Gallipoli Campaign  (25 hours) | In this unit, students develop an understanding of the Gallipoli Campaign of 1915 and explore the involvement of servicemen and women in World War I. Students explore the story of Simpson and his donkey and how the legacy of the Gallipoli Campaign influences our lives today. | | | | | | | | | |
| History Life Skills Years 7–10 outcomes | HTLS-2, HTLS-3, HTLS-4, HTLS-6, HTLS-7, HTLS-8, HTLS-9 | | | | | | | | | |
| HSIE Life Skills Stage 6 outcomes | MHLS6-2, MHLS6-4, MHLS6-5, MHLS6-6, MHLS6-7, MHLS6-8, MHLS6-9, MHLS6-10 | | | | | | | | | |

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