## Overview of Lessons: <br> Government House, Darwin

## Early Primary Years

| Year | History | Information | Excursion |
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| F | Stories from the past | 1. The First Government <br> House | Government House tour with focus on <br> what's old compared to now. <br> the present |
| 1 | The history of Government <br> House | 2. The House on the Hill | - Government House tour with focus on <br> where damage was done by termites; what <br> to put in a time capsule. <br> - Additional tours of nearby heritage <br> buildings. |
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Middle Primary

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| 3 | Important days and weeks <br> commemorated in <br> Australia. | 3. The Bombing of <br> Government House | - Tour Government House with focus on <br> damage done to building. <br> - Additional tours of nearby damaged <br> buildings. |
| 4 | The nature and <br> consequence of contact <br> between Aboriginal people <br> and early settlers | 4. The Highest Award of <br> the Commonwealth | - Tour Government House with a focus on <br> awards presented to people, and finding <br> answers to 'Who am I?' questions. |

Upper Primary

| Year | Biological Science | Information | Excursion |
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| 5 | Living things have structural <br> features and adaptations that <br> help them to survive in their <br> environment | 5. A Buzz at Government <br> House | Tour Government House with focus on the <br> hives, bees and honey. |


| Year | Civics and Citizenship | Information | Excursion |
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| 6 | The role and responsibilities <br> of the Administrator | 6. The Bill | Tour of Government House and Parliament <br> House with focus on evidence of the <br> Administrator being the representative of <br> the Queen. |

Middle Years

| Year | Civics and Citizenship | Information | Excursion |
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| 7 | Our Australian values | 7. Riot and Rebellion | - Tour Government House with focus on <br> sites where the riots took place and who <br> was involved. Visit the commemorative <br> plaque near Parliament House. |

