Government schools throughout New South Wales participate in the Study Tours program and provide safe and friendly environments for overseas visitors who are made to feel welcome and part of the school and its community.

Study tours offer groups of overseas students and adults with a unique educational experience that includes visiting schools, participating in classes, excursions and special events conducted in the host school or local community.

To meet the different requirements of student or adult groups, our study tours are tailored to the interests and needs of each group.

**STUDENT STUDY TOURS**

Study tours are a great opportunity for overseas students to experience Australian culture and lifestyle in a safe and friendly environment. Study tours provide visiting students with a well-balanced program including educational activities, cultural experiences and social interaction and sightseeing experiences.

Student study tours are arranged for groups of 10 or more students for periods ranging from half-day to ten weeks.

NSW government schools form the largest education system in Australia. Sydney and regional New South Wales have some of the most exciting natural and cultural attractions in Australia. Our climate is mild and the people of New South Wales welcome visitors from all over the world.
Student study tours may include:

- visiting government schools in Sydney or regional New South Wales
- learning with Australian students in regular classes
- attending English language lessons
- making friends with an Australian student ‘buddy’
- living with an Australian family
- excursions to significant historic and cultural sites, spectacular national parks and coastal locations

**ADULT STUDY TOURS**

Adult study tours are arranged for international educators, principals, teachers, government officers and other people interested in the New South Wales system of public education.

Adult Study Tours are arranged for groups of 10 or more people for periods ranging from two hours to ten weeks and can include:

- visits to government schools in Sydney or regional New South Wales
- presentations by staff with policy, management and teacher support responsibilities
- observations of quality teaching practice in NSW government schools
- teacher professional development programs.

**ACCOMMODATION**

**HOMESTAY**

- Homestay accommodation allows an overseas student to live with an Australian family and experience the lifestyle of an Australian household. Many host schools offer homestay accommodation upon request.

**OTHER ACCOMMODATION**

- A range of other accommodation options is available through a study tours agent registered with DE International.

**BOOKING A STUDY TOUR**

Bookings should come to DE International through an agent registered with DE International Study Tours. A list of agents is available on the study tours website — [www.studytours.nsw.edu.au](http://www.studytours.nsw.edu.au)

The cost for each study tour is based on the options that are included to meet each group’s specific needs and interests.

As study tours are very popular, it is strongly recommended that you make your arrangements early — at least 12 weeks before you plan to depart from your country, excluding school holidays.

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