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Class Schedule and Social Calendar

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2021 – Term 3

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<i>January 2022</i>	<i>February 2022</i>	<i>March 2022</i>	<i>April 2022</i>
24 Term 1 start			01 Term 1 end 19 Term 2 start

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President's Message, Term 3 2021



Welcome to Term 3 2021

We look forward to another exciting term of learning, meeting new people either face-to-face or on Zoom and participating in new experiences.

Unfortunately, we still must follow Government Restrictions in order to stay safe and avoid COVID. Don't be complacent. Carry a mask and wear it if you are in a crowd. Avoid congestion if possible. Wash your hands frequently and remember to leave the building immediately after class to breathe a little fresh air. Bring your drink with you to class. Get vaccinated. If the whole Australian population was vaccinated we would have much more freedom.

However, there is light at the end of the tunnel. We have extended our class times to 75 minutes which is what they were in the "good old days" before COVID. The Social Committee are advertising events again and although we cannot have Winter School, our Winter School convenor, Marilyn Wagland, is busy organising online presentations instead. These are free and run on Zoom. They are advertised in our eNews and on our website and you can enrol in them online.

We have some exciting new classes in Term 3. You can "*Think about the Future*" with William Grey, "*Explore Colour through Art & Meditation*" with Kim Mackenzie, learn "*Spanish for Beginners*" with Sally Steffans or try one of the many other new classes on offer.

I once again would like to thank all the Tutors, Coordinators, Office Volunteers and everyone else who donates their time, energy, creativity and expertise to make U3A Brisbane possible.

Enjoy Term 3. I'm looking forward to it.

Des Taylor

President

UPCOMING SOCIAL EVENTS

For bookings, please contact the U3A office on 3236 3055, or visit the 97 Creek St office.

If you have any suggestions for trips that may be of interest, you can contact the Social Committee via email: social@u3abrisbane.org.au. You can also keep up to date with the latest 'SOCIAL EVENTS' on the U3A Website: www.u3abrisbane.org.au

Booked-out events are advertised as a reminder of dates and times. Also, members can be added to a wait list, so that if a vacancy arises, that place can then be offered to another member. (However, this does not apply to QPAC events).

Please note the following for events held at QPAC:

- These events are **NOT** being supervised by the U3A Social Committee.
- In line with Queensland Health advice QPAC theatres are operating at 100% capacity. This means there may be patrons occupying the seats directly beside, behind or in front of you during a performance. Masks are not required but patrons may choose to wear masks when they feel social distancing cannot be achieved.
- **For contact tracing purposes, QPAC uses the 'Check In Qld' app and encourages all patrons to download the app and fill out their details prior to attending performances at QPAC.**
- Limit of two people per lift (unless you are part of the same group) .
- Foyer seating arranged to ensure 1.5m distancing, decreased capacities in foyers allowing 1.5m distancing.
- One-way traffic routing, with separate entry and exit points in foyers and venues.
- Physical distancing markers at queuing areas such as Food and Beverage outlets and Box Office.

If you are not comfortable with the above, these events are not for you.

BOY SWALLOWS UNIVERSE



Boy Swallows Universe is adapted from the smash hit novel inspired by Brisbane author Trent Dalton's own childhood. It is set in the housing estates at the fringes of Brisbane during the 1980s and is the coming-of-age story of Eli Bell and his mute brother August, as they navigate a complicated environment of drugs, crime and domestic violence — while doing the normal teenage stuff like having reckless adventures. It's an exhilarating story of magic and madness, of beauty and brutality, of joy and heartbreak, and of the power of love to triumph over the darkest of circumstances.

WARNING: The play contains adult themes including violence and drug use. High level, frequent coarse language.

Date: 2:00pm Saturday 11th September 2021, QPAC - PLAYHOUSE THEATRE

Duration: 3 hours. (includes interval)

Cost: \$75.00 (Maximum of 2 seats per member)

Closing Date: Tuesday 22nd June 2021



SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS CONCERT 2021

QPAC's longest running event *Spirit of Christmas* returns for its 37th year in the QPAC Concert Hall. Two of Australia's leading musical theatre stars will join a host of special guests in uplifting seasonal song, beautifully supported by a 54-piece symphony orchestra, and the glorious voices of the QPAC Chamber Choir. A First Nations blessing and

song will be delivered, with two of the Queensland Conservatorium of Music's musical theatre graduates also taking to the stage.

QPAC's *Spirit of Christmas* is a celebration of the true meaning of the festive season; an occasion to celebrate and reflect on the year that has passed and embrace the season's enduring message of Peace, Love and Joy.

Date: Saturday 18th Dec 2021, 2:00pm, QPAC – Concert Hall

Duration: 2 hours (includes interval, subject to change without notice)

Cost: Concession: \$52.00 Full: \$62.00 Maximum of 4 seats per member.

Bookings Close: 13th Oct 2021

PLEASE ENROL NOW

Our two City Campus venues are open again in Term 3 under the same COVID Safe rules as previously, except that 75 minute classes are now permitted. More than 100 face-to-face classes are available there.

Many district face-to-face classes are also open. Face-to-face classes are highlighted in the enclosed schedule. Classes that resume face-to-face are required to strictly adhere to our COVID Safe plans as published on our website home page.

It is important that members enrol for Term 3 classes as early as possible as many classes are subject to a room capacity limit. Tutors can also roll over class members from Term 2 into Term 3, subject to room capacity limits.

Class Enrolment Procedure

Members can enrol in a Term 3 class in one of three ways:

Use *Class Search* on the website to find your class, then click the *Enrol* button to submit your enrolment application to the tutor.

OR

If you wish to continue in a class in which you were enrolled in Term 2, use *Member Dashboard* on the website to re-enrol.

OR

Contact the tutor directly by email or phone. Please advise the tutor of your membership number.

Feedback

If you have any questions or comments about U3A in the current situation, please email to:

feedback@u3abrisbane.org.au

City Campus operations

We are opening both Creek and Adelaide St again in Term 3 2021. COVID-19 is still with us. We have a COVID Safe plan and a list of precautions which will be implemented to reduce risk to our members who are in the most vulnerable age group.

Class fees

Class Fees must be paid in advance. These should be paid online if possible to avoid congestion and delays at the office. They can also be paid at the Creek St office, but remember to stay 1.5m apart if waiting your turn at the office. If bringing cash, please have the correct amount to facilitate the process. Credit cards are preferred. Zoom class fees have a voluntary recommended fee of \$25 and should be paid online, also before term starts.

Remember: Do not attend if you are unwell.

General Rules for both Creek and Adelaide Street

To avoid congestion and keep us all safe :-

- Class times will be staggered. **Check your class time carefully.**
- Class duration is 1 hour 15 minutes.
- On arrival, go straight to your classroom. No delays or congregating in foyers etc. There will be no chairs in the foyer at either Adelaide St or Creek St.
- You may arrive up to 15mins. early.
- Remember to stay 1.5m apart at all times.
- Kitchens will be closed, so bring your own water.
- We are using our QR Code system to register attendances. You will find a printed QR Code in your classroom or near the entrance. Please read the instructions in the link below for how to use this code, and practise to make sure your phone will read the QR Code. Install a QR Code Scan app if necessary.
<https://www.u3abrisbane.org.au/index.php/qrcode-attendance-system>
- If you do not have a phone that you can use, then another class member can enter your number on their phone to register your attendance. You must know your U3A number.
- At the end of your class please leave the premises immediately. Do not stop to chat in the foyer. You can organise coffee with friends outside.

- Carry a face mask and wear when appropriate.
- **No sharing and no physical contact if possible**

Toilets

Use the supplied sanitiser frequently, especially if you go to the toilet. Remember to wash your hands thoroughly, but also use the sanitiser as well when you return. Stay 1.5 m away from other people and if necessary wait outside if it is too crowded.

Adelaide St

- There are a **maximum of 6 people permitted in the lift**. There are 2 lifts – one at each end of the corridor.
- Remember to stay 1.5 m apart while waiting for a lift. Class times have been staggered, so this should help congestion.
- After class, if you are able, you may use the stairs to descend, otherwise maintain the 1.5m distances while you wait for the lift.

Office Hours during holidays

The Creek St. office will be **closed** during the term break. However, phone enquiries can be made to 07 3236 3055.

Please bear in mind that the phone is staffed entirely by volunteer U3A members, and they need a break after a very busy term. So please avoid calling during the holiday break if possible. The phone may go to message-bank at times but your call will be actioned.

It helps us very much if you communicate all enquiries by email. Our volunteer staff will call you back if necessary. Email the office at: mail@u3abrisbane.org.au

Class Schedule for Term 3 - 2021

Term Dates:

Term 2 ends on Friday 25th June. Term 3 starts on Monday 12th July and finishes on Friday 17th September. **Irrespective of whether you are enrolling in a face-to-face class or an online or other class type, please enrol as normal for Term 3 as tutors will continue to provide learning resources and run online classes.**

Inactive Classes

Inactive classes are **not shown** in this schedule. These are classes where the tutor intends to restart when more U3A venues reopen. Although these classes are not listed here, they are shown on the website under *Class Search* but are highlighted with an orange bar.

Zoom Classes

These classes are being conducted online as videoconference sessions using Zoom software. If you have not enrolled in a Zoom class before, you are encouraged to do so. It is not difficult as a participant since you only have to click on a link sent by the tutor prior to the session.

Face-to-face classes

There are now both City Campus and district face-to-face classes. These are identified in the schedule in **bold green type**.

Class Fees

To attend any classes, you must be a current financial member of U3A Brisbane (\$40 per year). For City Campus face-to-face classes, class fees must be paid in advance for the term (typically \$40 - \$50). For other classes, voluntary contributions or donations in lieu of class fees are most welcome and appreciated.

Class Enrolments

You can enrol in a class using *Class Search* on the U3A website, or by contacting the tutor directly. To re-enrol in an existing class, you may use the *Member Dashboard*. If you enrol online you may assume that your enrolment is accepted unless the tutor advises otherwise.

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Arts and Crafts									
A21	Art - Exploring Colour	Thu	Creek	32	K28	Creative Writing Club	Fri	zoom	36
A10	Art - Pencil Portraits	Fri	zoom	37	K03	Memoir Writing	Thu	Adel	32
A54	Art Group - Westside	Tue	West	46	K24	Read and Write a Biography	Mon	Adel	15
A78	Art History	Mon	zoom	14	K04	Writing Group	Mon	Adel	18
A79	Art History	Mon	zoom	15	K16	Wynnum Creative Writers	Tue	zoom	46
A82	Budding Artist Group	Thu	Creek	29	Current Affairs				
A20	Budding Artist Group	Thu	Creek	30	E08	Arab-Israeli Dispute	Wed	Adel	26
A03	Card Making	Mon	Logan	39	E18	Aust in Post COVID Economy	Thu	Adel	29
A49	Card Making	Thu	South	44	E01	Current Affairs	Tue	zoom	22
A88	Painting	Tue	Logan	39	E02	Current Events	Mon	Adel	15
A01	Painting Practice Group	Fri	Creek	35	E31	Dangerous Ideas to Challenge	Tue	Adel	21
A18	Pencil Drawing	Wed	Creek	24	E19	Economic Issues Facing Aust	Fri	Adel	37
A42	Pencil Drawing	Wed	Creek	24	E13	Economics and Finance	Wed	zoom	41
A57	Pencil Drawing	Wed	Creek	25	E04	Emerging Contemporary Issues	Thu	West	46
A83	Pencil/Charcoal Portraiture	Fri	North	45	E05	Macro (World) Economics	Tue	zoom	23
A17	Penmanship	Fri	Wynm	47	E06	Mind Stirrers	Thu	Adel	31
A71	Recycling Drama	Tue	Adel	23	E10	Nature and Theory of Crime	Wed	North	45
Computers					E17	Politics and the Economy	Fri	zoom	35
C120	Adobe Photoshop	Mon	zoom	12	E16	Politics and the Economy	Wed	Adel	24
C169	Advanced PowerPoint 2020	Wed	zoom	13	Finance				
C171	Android and IT Workshop	Wed	zoom	13	D11	Share Trading	Mon	zoom	17
C168	Comprehensive Computer	Mon	zoom	12	Games and Puzzles				
C14	Exploring Windows 10	Mon	zoom	12	F12	Chess	Mon	City	37
C136	MS Excel	Fri	Creek	14	F30	Cryptic Crosswords	Mon	Creek	15
C137	MS Word	Fri	Creek	14	F10	Cryptic Crosswords	Tue	Creek	20
C17	Photobooks for Beginners	Thu	Creek	13	F73	Cryptic Crosswords	Tue	Creek	21
C126	Photoshop Advanced	Mon	zoom	12	F28	Cryptic Crosswords Advanced	Mon	zoom	16
C20	Photoshop CC	Tue	zoom	13	F11	Cryptic Crosswords Beginners	Mon	Creek	17
C02	PowerPoint Basics intro.	Tue	zoom	13	F51	Cryptic Crosswords Beginners	Mon	zoom	18
Creative Writing					F04	Cryptic Crosswords-Intermed	Fri	Adel	33
K22	Creative Writing	Wed	Adel	25	F05	Cryptic Crosswords-Intermed	Fri	Adel	35
					F72	Sudoku Intermediate	Tue	Adel	21

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F06	Trivia-General Knowledge	Mon	Adel	18	J98	French Adv Conversation	Thu	Adel	30
	Family History				J67	French Basic Conversation	Wed		27
G13	Writing Family History	Fri	Adel	36	J109	French Beginners	Wed	Adel	26
	Health and Wellbeing				J70	French Class	Fri	Logan	42
B14	Aquarobics	Mon	South	42	J69	French Conversation	Wed		28
B07	Aquarobics	Thu	South	44	J20	French Elementary	Tue	South	42
B04	Aquarobics	Tue	South	42	J53	French Elementary	Tue	South	43
B19	Aquarobics	Wed	South	43	J186	French Elementary Adv	Wed	South	43
B108	Chi Kung - Advanced	Thu	Logan	41	J46	French Elementary Adv	Wed	South	44
B20	Food We Eat	Mon	Adel	16	J23	French Intermediate	Fri	zoom	36
B111	Learn Croquet	Wed	North	45	J06	French Intermediate	Mon	Adel	15
B101	Mindfulness & Metta Practice	Tue	Adel	19	J103	French Intermediate Course	Mon	zoom	19
B09	Northside Walking Group	Thu	North	45	J176	French Internet	Tue	zoom	21
B78	Sunday Walking Group	Sun	North	45	J162	French Skills	Tue	Logan	40
B91	Tai Chi - Advancing	Tue	Logan	40	J43	Speaking Beginner French	Tue	zoom	19
B112	Tai Chi - Intermediate	Mon	Logan	39		Languages - German			
B13	Yoga	Thu	Logan	41	J75	German - Advanced Class 1	Wed	Adel	24
B21	Yoga	Tue	Logan	40	J80	German - Advanced Class 2	Wed	Adel	25
	History				J18	German - Continuing	Wed	Logan	40
H01	A Social History	Thu	Adel	31	J187	German - Intermediate	Wed	Adel	27
H25	African History 5	Fri	zoom	35	J62	German Beginners	Fri	zoom	33
H53	Arabian Gulf - Rags to Riches	Wed	Creek	27		Languages - Italian			
H16	Australian History	Thu	Adel	33	J163	Italian - Continuing	Mon	North	44
H39	Battle for Australia 1942-43	Thu	zoom	31	J25	Italian - Intermediate	Wed	Creek	25
H07	British History	Tue	zoom	20	J01	Italian - Second Year	Mon	South	42
H51	England in the 15th Century	Fri	Adel	36	J64	Italian Adv Conversation	Mon	Creek	17
H36	History	Mon	Logan	39	J36	Italian Communication	Wed	South	43
H09	History	Wed	Adel	25	J74	Italian Communication	Wed	South	43
H14	History	Wed	Adel	25	J76	Italian Continuing Class	Wed	Creek	25
H19	History Enquiry and Analysis	Fri	Adel	36	J205	Italian Conversation	Thu	North	45
H13	History Through the Ages	Tue	Adel	20	J85	Italian Intermediate	Tue	Adel	23
H03	History of Religion-Australi	Fri	Creek	34	J72	Italian for Beginners	Mon	Adel	18
H20	History of Western Roman Emp	Mon	zoom	16	J39	Italian for Beginners Part 2	Tue	Adel	21
H24	History through the Ages	Tue	Adel	20		Languages - Latin			
H22	Major events in Aust history	Thu	Adel	31	J68	Latin - Advanced	Fri	zoom	33
H27	Modern History	Fri	zoom	33	J55	Latin - Advanced Grammar	Wed	Adel	26
H32	People, Places, Events	Thu	City	38	J51	Latin - Level 2	Mon	zoom	18
H18	Russian History/Literature	Tue	Adel	22	J12	Latin - Level 4	Fri	zoom	36
H02	Southern African History	Mon	zoom	16	J207	Latin - Level 5	Fri	zoom	35
H41	The Burma Railway	Thu	zoom	32	J158	Latin - Level 6	Fri	Creek	36
	Languages - French				J128	Latin - Level 7	Fri	Creek	34
J49	French	Mon	Logan	39	J189	Latin - Medieval	Fri	zoom	34
J08	French - Continuing 1	Thu	Adel	30	J11	Latin - level 3	Thu	Adel	28
J47	French - Continuing 2	Thu	Adel	29		Languages - Spanish			
J179	French - Conversation	Wed	Adel	27	J37	Spanish - Advanced Conversa.	Wed	Adel	24
J07	French - Fundamental Intro	Wed	Adel	28	J214	Spanish - Beginners	Fri	Logan	42
J26	French - Low Intermediate	Thu	Creek	30	J38	Spanish - Beginners Convers.	Thu	Adel	32
J106	French - Read a Novel	Mon	Adel	16	J59	Spanish - Continuing	Wed	zoom	28
J224	French - Read a Novel	Thu	zoom	30	J226	Spanish - More Introduction	Mon	zoom	18

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J79	Spanish Absolute Beginners	Mon	zoom	17	L09	Writing Short Fiction & Poem	Tue	Adel	21
J167	Spanish Beginners Continuing	Fri	Logan	42	Media/Entertainment				
J19	Spanish Book Reading	Tue	zoom	23	N02	Film Alfred Hitchcock	Thu	Adel	32
J58	Spanish Book Reading	Wed	zoom	27	N14	The Silver Screen at Home	Mon		14
J218	Spanish Continuing	Wed	Adel	25	Miscellaneous				
J41	Spanish Intermediate Convers	Wed	Adel	26	X03	Cinema Group	Sun	West	46
J83	Spanish for Absolute Beginners	Thu	Adel	31	X11	Criminology	Mon	Adel	17
J14	Spanish for Beginners	Mon	zoom	18	X15	Experiencing China	Fri	South	44
J34	Spanish for Beginners	Tue	zoom	22	X08	Experiencing China	Wed	Adel	26
Languages - Other					X128	Floral Art	Thu	Logan	41
J56	Auslan Sign Language	Mon	Adel	14	X128	Floral Art	Wed	Logan	41
J57	English as a 2nd Language	Thu	Adel	31	X108	Lunch Group	Wed	City	38
J16	Etymology	Wed	Logan	40	X16	Organic Hobby Beekeeping	Thu	zoom	29
J84	French - walk/talk	Wed	zoom	38	X76	Theatre Through the Ages	Tue	Creek	22
J42	Indonesian for Beginners	Tue	Adel	23	X83	Travelers Group	Wed	Logan	41
J101	Japanese - Upper Intermed.	Thu	zoom	29	X17	Women and the Law	Thu	Adel	29
J97	Japanese Elementary (High)	Wed	Creek	26	Music				
J17	Japanese Intermediate	Fri	Adel	34	M29	Guitar Group	Fri	Logan	42
J159	Japanese Introduction	Fri	Adel	34	M38	Guitar-Beginners to Advanced	Tue	zoom	39
J29	Japanese Language	Tue	zoom	37	M42	Music of the Great Composers	Tue	zoom	24
J215	Mandarin	Mon	Logan	39	M25	Opera Appreciation	Fri	Adel	35
J166	Mandarin Advanced	Mon	zoom	15	M08	Ukulele Singalong	Thu	Logan	41
J60	Mandarin Communications	Thu	zoom	31	Philosophy				
J13	Mandarin Intermediate	Mon	zoom	19	Y21	Carl Jung - Dreams, Symbols	Tue	Adel	22
J73	Mandarin for Beginners	Fri	zoom	34	Y03	Early Buddha Dhamma	Mon	Adel	17
J202	Portuguese - Intermediate	Mon	Adel	17	Y20	History of Ideas	Tue	Adel	20
J190	Portuguese for Beginners	Mon	Adel	15	Y05	Philosophy	Mon	Wynm	46
J35	Russian - Advanced	Mon	Creek	16	Y13	Philosophy Discussion	Tue	Logan	40
J02	Russian - Colloquial	Mon	City	37	Y09	Philosophy for Everyone	Mon	Adel	17
J150	Russian Beginners	Mon	Creek	15	Y19	Thinking About Issues	Tue	Adel	19
J50	Thai for Beginners	Thu	zoom	33	Y06	Thinking About the Future	Tue	Adel	23
Lifestyle					Photography				
T01	Dante's Paradise	Fri	Adel	34	P07	Camera Club	Thu	City	38
T08	Travel Discussion Group	Mon	zoom	19	P01	Camera Club	Tue	Logan	40
T11	Walk on the Wildside	Sun	City	38	P08	Creative Digital Photography	Mon	zoom	44
Literature					P22	Creative Digital Photography	Thu	Adel	29
L05	Book Discussion	Tue	zoom	46	P02	Digital Photography	Fri	Adel	37
L03	Book Discussion	Wed	City	37	Psychology				
L63	Book Discussion	Wed	City	38	U01	Palmistry	Mon	West	46
L07	Book Discussion Group	Fri	City	38	Religious Matters				
L66	Creative Writing	Tue	Logan	40	R09	Appreciation of the Bible	Thu	zoom	30
L10	East to West	Tue	zoom	20	R02	World Views & Belief Systems	Wed	South	43
L55	Literature in Context	Mon	Adel	16	Science and Technology				
L04	Literature in Context	Thu	zoom	28	S19	Geology	Thu	City	38
L75	Poetry	Tue	zoom	19	S12	Science and Big Issues	Tue	Adel	21
L78	Poetry	Wed	Adel	27	S03	Science and the Big Issues	Tue	zoom	21
L33	Poetry Appreciation	Thu	Adel	32					
L43	Shakespeare - Life and Works	Wed	Adel	24					
L11	Shakespeare - Life and Works	Wed	zoom	28					

Important Notice

Class information shown in this schedule was correct at the date of preparation (11th June 2021) but changes may have occurred after that date which are not shown here.

Consult U3A Brisbane website *Class Search* for up-to-date class information.

CITY CAMPUS COMPUTER CLASSES

MONDAY

C126 ADOBE PHOTOSHOP ELEMENTS - ADVANCED

[Zoom class](#)

Advanced

Ben Lindeboom 0435 269 255

Email: ben.lindeboom@aapt.net.au

This course carries on from Adobe Photoshop Elements Beginners to more advanced features in Photoshop Elements. Students must have completed the Beginners course in Photoshop Elements before enrolling in this course.

Monday 9:00am - 10:30am 10 weeks.

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

C14 EXPLORING WINDOWS 10

[Zoom class](#)

Keith Catts

Email: keithcu3a@gmail.com

This term we will look at the Windows apps for Music, Photos and Videos, given time available. These apps allow Windows users to manage their apps for storing music, photo and video files. The apps provide different ways to find and store the music, to create play lists in music and to edit and enhance your photos. With the video app you can create your own movies, importing content, editing and cutting, joining videos and then saving them. Movies with common formats will play on most systems. This is an extension following on from earlier classes.

Monday 10:00am - 11:30am 10 weeks.

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

C168 COMPREHENSIVE COMPUTER COURSE

[Zoom class](#)

Upper Beginner to Advanced

Chris (Nobby) Hobbs

Email: chris1@choose-your-life.net

This is a detailed explanation of many matters relating to computers. Through this course you can become a highly proficient PC user. Understand file management & file storage. Learn greater efficiency in using emails and the internet; the internals of a PC or laptop, including RAM. What programs do you need? - how to safely download and install programs. Learn about PC security and speed, plus Word and Excel. Learn to solve computer problems. All your questions will be answered. Although this class is geared towards Windows users, those with Apple-Mac PC's are welcome and can benefit.

Monday 10:15am - 11:45am 10 weeks.

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

C120 ADOBE PHOTOSHOP ELEMENTS - BEGINNERS

[Zoom class](#)

Intermediate Computer Level

Ben Lindeboom 0435 269 255

Email: ben.lindeboom@aapt.net.au

Photoshop Elements allows you to edit and enhance your favourite photos. It can turn your electronic memories into visually captivating statements. It makes it easy to organize, enhance, copy, merge, enlarge and print your digital snapshots. Create animated slideshows, compile inspiring photo books, merge multiple shots into captivating panoramas and learn much, much more. This "Beginners" course introduces the student to the basic concepts of Photoshop, teaches students how to use the many tools available and how to apply various corrections to digital memories. Empower your creative visions in a friendly hands-on class.

Monday 1:00pm - 2:30pm 10 weeks.

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

TUESDAY

C20 ADOBE PHOTOSHOP CC & LIGHTROOM

NEW

Zoom class

Photoshop CC

Ben Lindeboom 0435 269 255

Email: ben.lindeboom@aapt.net.au

This is a new course aimed at those students who have acquired the full version of the ADOBE PHOTOSHOP CC AND LIGHTROOM subscription program, would like to understand the basic differences between Adobe Photoshop Elements and Photoshop CC and who would like to get familiar with the additional features of this full version of Photoshop. The course will run for 5 weeks during the second half of Term 2.

Tuesday 9:00am - 10:30am 10 weeks.

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

C02 POWERPOINT INTRODUCTION TO THE BASICS

Zoom class

Basic

John Canny 0437 545 151 (Afternoon/Evening)

Email: jaljc@bigpond.com

The Microsoft PowerPoint app gives us all the capacity to deliver powerful presentations. This course will teach you how to use the tools available in PowerPoint to design your own layouts, insert and format text, shapes and pictures, embed and edit audio and video files in a presentation. We'll look at how these tools can be used in other ways, eg: a holiday album, presenting a family history class and even making greeting cards. Also we will look at how individual tools can be combined for more complex outcomes. Students should have a good grasp of basic computer skills including Windows.

Tuesday 9:30am - 10:45am 10 weeks.

Minimum of 2 students needed for class to proceed.

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

WEDNESDAY

C169 MS POWERPOINT 2020. BASIC TO ADVANCED. EXERCISE YOUR BRAIN.

Zoom class

John Canny 0437 545 151 (Afternoon/Evening)

Email: jaljc@bigpond.com

Create exciting presentations or a travel show with

your photos, a family history show or a great presentation to your U3A class. Make stunning slides with pictures and shapes, add audio and video. Use different fonts and special text effects. Add excitement with animations and transitions. Print your slides. Create amazing electronic greeting cards. Send your creations to family and friends. We explore all the finer points of PPT. A working knowledge of Computer and Windows basics is necessary. Our class covers all the PPT basics and well beyond. Each class consists of a number of PPT presentations and digital notes are provided. Wednesday 9:30am - 11:30am 10 weeks. Minimum of 2 students needed for class to proceed. Cost: \$25 (recommended)

C171 ANDROID & IT WORKSHOP

Zoom class

Chris (Nobby) Hobbs

Email: chris1@choose-your-life.net

Learn how to get the most out of your Android device or computer. Beginners with no previous experience can join this class; you don't need to have been to the earlier classes. The class will run weekly for as long as there are interested participants. It is not a teaching class but is a cooperative workshop where members share their knowledge and experience. Based on member input, several topics are dealt with each week. Any member who has an Android device (phone or tablet), or Windows PC, regardless of brand or age, could be interested. Even members with an iPhone/iPad or Apple-Mac can get much useful information. Wednesday 10:15am - 11:45am 10 weeks. Cost: \$25 (recommended)

THURSDAY

C17 PHOTOBOOKS FOR BEGINNERS

Face-to-face class

Cecelia Woodhouse

Do you have SD cards and hard drives full of digital pics? Boxes of cherished old prints? This course will enable you to display your photos in stylish and highly individualised photobooks, and will then extend the skills learnt to create personalised calendars. The Albumworks software that will be used during the course is available from Albumworks website as a free download, and is flexible and user-friendly. This course is designed

for those with good basic computer skills but no previous experience of photobooks. Don't let your photos sit unseen on SD cards and hard drives - display them, and relive the memories!
Creek St. Thursday 1:30pm - 2:45pm 10 weeks.
Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

FRIDAY

C136 MS EXCEL 2016

Face-to-face class

Entry Level

Joan Mackay 3855 8495 or 0422 056

450 (Anytime)

Email: joanmackay@ozemail.com.au

Using MS EXCEL, would you like to know how to create charts, macros and formulas, as well as learn about functions, editing data, embedding and linking hyperlinks - to name a few topics covered in this course? If so, this is the course for you. Although we start at the basic level we have sufficient time to cover these more complex tasks in EXCEL. The variations in each of the 3 latest versions of MS EXCEL are accommodated so that you can practice at home; electronic notes are included.

Creek St. Friday 9:30am - 10:45am 10 weeks.

Cost: \$50 (prepaid) - Includes notes.

C137 MS WORD 2016

Face-to-face class

Basic Computer Level

Joan Mackay 3855 8495 or 0422 056

450 (Anytime)

Email: joanmackay@ozemail.com.au

Using MS WORD, would you like to know how to create and edit documents, generate tables, insert pictures and shapes and create hyperlinks as well as table of contents - to name a few in MS WORD? If so, this is the course for you. Although we start at the basic level, we have sufficient time to cover these more complex tasks in WORD. The variations in each of the 3 latest versions of MS WORD are accommodated so that you can practice at home; electronic notes are included.

Creek St. Friday 11:30am - 12:45pm 10 weeks.

Cost: \$50 (prepaid) - Includes Notes

CITY CAMPUS GENERAL CLASSES

MONDAY

A78 ART HISTORY FROM CAVE TO CARTOON VIA EUROPEAN MASTERPIECES FROM MET

Zoom class

Sheila Mackay

Email: sheila.mackay@icloud.com

Term 3 we will see us pause our Survey Course - "From Cave to Cartoon" - to take a deeper dive into the art and artists included in the QAGOMA Winter Show - "European Masterpieces from the MET".

Over 6/7 weeks we will look at the 65 artworks from the show and consider their content and context in the history of Art. These sessions will be a useful background for an in-person live visit to the show.

To complement these sessions, dedicated tours will be offered to as many class members as possible that are registered with Art History A78 and A79.

Monday 9:00am - 10:15am

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

N14 THE SILVER SCREEN AT HOME

Jim Henry

Phone: 0403 181 243 Email:

jimhenry@bigpond.net.au

The Silver Screen will continue as before from home. There will be eight interesting movies accompanied by tutorials given by Jim Henry from home. This new programme will be sourced from the best of Beamafilm. Please enrol if you want to participate so we can keep you informed. Each tutorial will be available on Sunday, late afternoon and taken down on Wednesday of that week, late afternoon.

J56 AUSLAN 4 SENIORS - BEGINNERS

Face-to-face class

Linda Daniel 0418 459 227 (09:00-17:00)

Email: u3a.auslan@gmail.com

Auslan lessons for beginners who attended Term 1 or have a little knowledge. This class is now weekly and will continue from Term 1. If you have attended the Deaf Services Introduction to Community Sign Language or you have some knowledge, you are most welcome to join our class. If you have a computer, I can send you the class sheets the week before class to print and bring to class. If you don't

have a computer, I will photocopy them on site for you.

Adelaide St. Monday 9:15am - 10:30am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J190 PORTUGUESE FOR BEGINNERS

Face-to-face class

Julieta Ferreira 0467 683 343

Email: ferreira.julieta@gmail.com

This is a beginner's course and previous knowledge of the Portuguese language is not required.

Interactive classes will equip the students with the basics of the language for everyday use in conversation, comprehension, reading and writing.

Students will also start to gain an insight into Portuguese history, culture and society.

Adelaide St. Monday 9:15am - 10:30am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

F30 CRYPTIC CROSSWORDS

Face-to-face class

Gaye McDonald

Email: geemac1@optusnet.com.au

Learn how to solve cryptic crosswords. **This class is full.**

Creek St. Monday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J150 RUSSIAN - BEGINNERS

Face-to-face class

Vera Kochnieff 0488 683 405

Email: neils.2@live.com

This is a beginners course for people who would like to study Russian, learn to speak with correct grammar and pronunciation. Read and translate as the course progresses.

Creek St. Monday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

K24 BIOGRAPHY - HOW TO READ & WRITE A BIOGRAPHY

Face-to-face class

Yvonne Webb

Email: nutritionwize@outlook.com

This class is planned to be fun. It is conducted in an informal way. We explore what makes a good biography and the various suitable formats. What makes a biography amazing? Why you enjoy reading some biographies more than others. We will explore how you can write either a complete biography or just snippets about yourself, your

family or just someone interesting. We all have interesting tales. We use my latest book as an example of the good and the bad. We can help with biographies of non-British backgrounds. You will have the opportunity of starting your own story. First-timers and returning students are welcome.

Adelaide St. Monday 9:30am - 10:30am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

E02 CURRENT EVENTS

Face-to-face class

Lindsay Shepherd 3823 2136

Email: shepherd.lindsay1@gmail.com

A group discussion of current events with a general objective of improving our understanding of them.

U3A students bring a wide range of knowledge and life experiences to the discussions, so come and share your knowledge and opinions with others.

Adelaide St. Monday 9:45am - 11:00am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J06 FRENCH INTERMEDIATE

Face-to-face class

Helen Hall 0412 851 763

Email: hall.helen6@gmail.com

Self-help group for grammar, pronunciation and reading.

Adelaide St. Monday 9:45am - 11:00am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J166 MANDARIN ADVANCED

Zoom class

Fay Lee 3191 5041

Email: philee00@gmail.com

This course is for the students who have some knowledge of reading and writing in Chinese.

Monday 10:00am - 11:15am

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

A79 ART HISTORY - FROM CAVE TO CARTOON VIA EUROPEAN MASTERPIECES FROM MET

Zoom class

Sheila Mackay

Email: sheila.mackay@icloud.com

From Cave to Cartoon via European Masterpieces from the MET

Term 3 we will see us pause our Survey Course - "From Cave to Cartoon" - to take a deeper dive into the art and artists included in the QAGOMA Winter Show - "European Masterpieces from the MET".

Over 6/7 weeks we will look at the 65 artworks from

the show and consider their content and context in the history of Art. These sessions will be a useful background for an in-person live visit to the show. To complement these sessions, dedicated tours will be offered to as many class members as possible that are registered with Art History A78 and A79.
Monday 10:45am - 12:00pm
Cost: \$25 (recommended)

H20 HISTORY OF THE WESTERN ROMAN EMPIRE FROM 753 BCE

Zoom class

Patrick Johnson 0418 972 893

Email: patrick.johnson0439@gmail.com

Events that were crucial in shaping the history of Europe and the Middle East. (Example: Gutenberg and printing). Class discussion encouraged.

Monday 10:45am - 12:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

H02 AFRICAN HISTORY 3 SOUTHERN AFRICA

Zoom class

Roger Scott

Email: scottroger2@icloud.com

Co-tutor Dr Ann Scott

"Southern Africa" follows on from a course on the British in Africa in the Nineteenth Century (African History 1) and a course on the British in Tropical Africa (African History 2). African History 3 will be a Zoom class taught by contributions from previous class members and special guests as well as the two tutors.

Monday 10:45am - 12:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

F28 CRYPTIC CROSSWORDS ADVANCED

Zoom class

Sarah Davies 0422 494 161

For people who enjoy words, lateral thinking and activating those little grey cells. This is a class for those who already have experience in completing cryptic crosswords, including SMH, and Times among others. Any potential students should contact the convenor to discuss level attained. In the class we share, discuss and analyse the answers to clues and complete crosswords. It is essential to have an email address, for clues, crosswords and answers to be sent out, and the class is conducted on Zoom.

Monday 11:00am - 12:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J106 FRENCH - READ A NOVEL (GROUP 1)

Face-to-face class

Robert Ward 3261 4327

Email: bobw1437@gmail.com

Rosemary Lillicot

Members meet to read novels in their original French, to translate/interpret in class individually and in turn, to discuss points of pronunciation, vocabulary, grammar and the story (in English) as we go along. The group is reading Les oubliés du dimanche by Valerie Perrin.

Adelaide St. Monday 11:15am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

L55 LITERATURE IN CONTEXT

Face-to-face class

Margaret Hill 3846 7712 (8.30 am - 6.00 pm Mon-Fri)

In this ongoing class we are continuing to enjoy the study of both the text and the 16th century context of Hilary Mantel's third Cromwell novel "The Mirror and the Light".

Adelaide St. Monday 11:15am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

B20 NUTRITION - WHAT DOES YOUR BODY DO WITH THE FOOD YOU EAT?

Face-to-face class

Yvonne Webb

Email: nutritionwize@outlook.com

Know the Food You Eat. Do you really know how good individual foods you eat are for you? Do you eat too much of some and not enough of others? What about GM foods? What about cooking in iron or aluminium pots? The syllabus is quite open and aims to answer your questions and anxieties.

Adelaide St. Monday 11:30am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J35 RUSSIAN - ADVANCED

Face-to-face class

Vera Kochnieff 0488 683 405

Email: neils.2@live.com

Alternate Tutor: Ann Pavett,
alphbris0912@yahoo.com.au

For those with a grounding in Russian grammar, featuring pronunciation, conversation, reading and translation.

Creek St. Monday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J64 ITALIAN - ADVANCED CONVERSATION

Face-to-face class

Olga Colavitti 3359 4236

This is not an Italian lesson. There are no books, no formal grammar but a class structured to give all participants an opportunity to practise the Italian they've already learnt.

Creek St. Monday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J202 PORTUGUESE INTERMEDIATE

Face-to-face class

Julieta Ferreira 0467 683 343

Email: ferreira.julieta@gmail.com

This course builds on and consolidates previous knowledge of the Portuguese language. Students must have been enrolled in the beginners' course or possess basic speaking, writing and listening skills. It emphasises communication and comprehension skills, but also builds on the grammar base previously acquired. New themes will be introduced which will develop understanding of the society and culture of Portuguese-speaking countries.

Adelaide St. Monday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

X11 CRIMINOLOGY

NEW

Face-to-face class

Greg Cudmore

Email: g.cudmore@gmail.com

Most people find crime strangely beguiling. Consider the number of films, novels and TV programs which focus on crime. In this unit, we will examine basic criminological theory, focusing particularly on the extent and causes of crime. Our sessions will be interactive and participants are expected to respect the opinions of others. Students must be interested in the law and the benefits of legal literacy in their lives. Students will benefit from attempting the weekly homework.

Adelaide St. Monday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

F11 CRYPTIC CROSSWORDS FOR BEGINNERS

NEW

Face-to-face class

Gaye McDonald

Email: geemac1@optusnet.com.au

Learn how to solve cryptic crosswords.

Creek St. Monday 11:30am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

Y03 EARLY BUDDHA DHAMMA

Face-to-face class

Doug Phillips 0404 181 287

Leave message with a contact phone number. What the Buddha taught: the original teachings of Gotama before they were changed into religions.

Adelaide St. Monday 11:45am - 1:00pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

Y09 PHILOSOPHY FOR EVERYONE

Face-to-face class

Lindsay Shepherd 3823 2136

Email: shepherd.lindsay1@gmail.com

The ideas and history of philosophy from ancient Greece to the 21st Century will be discussed. No previous skill or knowledge of the subject required, but an inquiring mind is an advantage.

Adelaide St. Monday 11:45am - 1:00pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J79 SPANISH FOR ABSOLUTE BEGINNERS

NEW

Zoom class

Sally Steffens 3371 1165

Email: jencatsal@gmail.com

This is a 2-term course for beginners commencing July 2021. No previous knowledge of Spanish is required. It is not a conversation course. The aim is to give a basic introduction to Spanish – the structure of the language (including basic grammar), highlighting similarities and difference when compared to English, to help you take it further if you wish to do so. There will be lots of links to web resources, including pronunciation. We'll be using a graded reader called Hola Lola by Juan Fernandez, which starts at absolute basics. This is available from Kindle as an e-book for about \$5. Kindle reference number is B078WY9Z5H

Monday 12:30pm - 1:30pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

D11 SHARE TRADING

Zoom class

John Van Der Werff

THIS CLASS HAS BEEN CHANGED TO MONDAYS AT 1.00PM. The Stock Market - How it Works, IPO's, Dividends, Price, Volume - Supply & Demand. The ASX - The Australian Stock Exchange, Brokers and Providers, Markets = Shares, CFD's, Options, Forex. Indexes - ASX 200 (Aus), SP500 (USA), FTSE (UK) and others, Oil &

Gold Prices, Investing or Trading, Dividends, Capital Gains, Tax, Superannuation Funds. News - Company News, Markets News, Papers, Internet Charts - Price movement, Long and Short Term, Super Funds, Managed Funds, Large and Small Groups - Portfolios. Share Price Analysis - Fundamental and/or Technical.

Monday 1:00pm - 3:30pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

F06 TRIVIA - WEEKLY GENERAL KNOWLEDGE TRIVIA

Face-to-face class

Juanita Peters 0466 418 693

Email: juanitap38@gmail.com

Friendly and fun trivia competition with questions of varying degrees of difficulty. Participants will be welcome to provide questions or an entire quiz session.

Adelaide St. Monday 1:15pm - 2:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J72 ITALIAN FOR BEGINNERS

Face-to-face class

Italian for Absolute Beginners

Greg Cudmore

Email: g.cudmore@gmail.com

There are many advantages to learning a language, none the least that it stimulates the brain to work in ways other learning activities do not provide. Our aim is to engage with the Italian language and enjoy the experience of speaking one of the most romantic languages in the world. New students must purchase the class handbook (\$6).

Adelaide St. Monday 1:30pm - 2:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

K04 THE WRITING GROUP

Face-to-face class

Findlay McKechnie

This is a group where you can share your writing - novels or short stories - or simply discuss your story ideas in a friendly, relaxed environment. No experience necessary. It's a small group convened by a former journalist who now writes for pleasure, designed to encourage and support creative writing. Each week, you will be given a scenario and will be asked to develop a short piece in response, which will then be critiqued in class.

Adelaide St. Monday 1:30pm - 2:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

F51 CRYPTIC CROSSWORDS FOR ABSOLUTE BEGINNERS

Zoom class

Sarah Davies 0422 494 161

Do Cryptic Crosswords make no sense to you - even when you see the answers? Would you like to learn how to crack the code? Then this class is for you. Increase your word power, learn to think laterally and have fun! Over two terms you will cover the basic styles of solving cryptic crosswords. This is Term 1 of that 18 week class and will continue until December. In 2022 a new class will commence. You will need to have an email address for notes, crosswords and Zoom links to be sent to you. Contact the tutor if you wish to enrol, to confirm prior experience.

Monday 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J14 SPANISH FOR BEGINNERS

Zoom class

Sally Steffens 3371 1165

Email: jencatsal@gmail.com

This is a continuing beginners course, started Term 1 2020, following the European A1 framework. The textbook is Teach Yourself Complete Spanish by Juan Kattan-Ibarra ISBN 13 9781444177244 - about \$50 from Book Depository (includes CDs) or similar suppliers, or an ebook version. Please email the tutor if you would like to ask about the class.

Monday 2:00pm - 3:15pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J51 LATIN - LEVEL 2

Zoom class

Yvonne McGann

Email: office@u3abrisbane.org.au

This class is a continuation of the Latin Beginners class of 2020. It is not suitable for those who have never studied Latin before. We will be following Cambridge Latin Course, book 2.

Monday 2:00pm - 3:15pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J226 SPANISH - MORE INTRODUCTION

Zoom class

Chris (Nobby) Hobbs

Email: chris1@choose-your-life.net

This is no longer a Beginners class. It started in Term 4 2018 as a basic course for total beginners, so we have completed 2 years. New members will

need to have some knowledge. We try to develop your speaking and pronunciation skills rather than concentrate on correct grammar. Emphasis will be Latin-American. I have a range of printed and audio material which I will make available. You need to bring strong motivation if you wish to succeed. I encourage the students to speak to themselves out loud every day, practising the phrases.

Monday 2:00pm - 3:30pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

T08 TRAVEL DISCUSSION GROUP

Zoom class

Annette Lee

Email: annettelee423@gmail.com

The class is facilitated to draw upon the wealth of collective travel experience among the members to exchange information and advice on holiday destinations, as well as the practicalities of international and domestic travel. Topics range, for example, from getting the best out of online booking sites, to useful travel apps and destination-specific tips. Volunteer class members will present for either 5 or 15 minutes on a travel experience of their choice.

Monday 2:00pm - 3:15pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J103 FRENCH INTERMEDIATE

Zoom class

Bert Choolun

This class has been designed for students who already have a good knowledge of the French language but now wish to progress to a more rigorous level of grammar, reading, writing, conversation and comprehension. Activities will include revision of grammar, reading short stories from French books and discussing them during class, conversing in French with fellow class members, with a strong emphasis on correct pronunciation.

Monday 2:00pm - 3:15pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J13 MANDARIN INTERMEDIATE (1)

Zoom class

Fay Lee 3191 5041

Email: philee00@gmail.com

This course is for the students who have finished the beginners class or those who have studied Chinese for a year or more.

Monday 3:30pm - 4:45pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

TUESDAY

J43 BLA BLA FRENCH FOR BEGINNERS

Zoom class

Debra McPhee

Email: stitchtoile@gmail.com

Enjoy speaking French through storytelling, singing, videos, role play, etc.

Tuesday 9:00am - 10:30am

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

L75 POETRY

Zoom class

Kev Warburton

The course will continue to study poetry from all eras, focussing on one selected poet each week. Also, part of each session will be used to share other poems, including those written by members of the class. Although the course is inactive in terms of face-to-face contact, like other U3A courses group members continue to meet online via Zoom.

Tuesday 9:00am - 10:15am

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

Y19 THINKING ABOUT ISSUES

Face-to-face class

Garth Sherman

Email: garth.sherman48@gmail.com

The group members will raise and discuss issues or events that occur in our society, economy, history, evolution, environment etc. Members may present a paper or other media to discuss the issues raised by the class. Members contribute to the discussion from their own experience, values and knowledge.

CLASS FULL

Adelaide St. Tuesday 9:15am - 10:30am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

B101 MINDFULNESS & METTA PRACTICE FOR ELDERS

Face-to-face class

Georgia Cummings

This class is for those who are new or already familiar with meditation practice and metta or self compassion in the mindfulness tradition. Class includes discussion, guided mindfulness (30 minutes) and metta practice in closing. Topics we discuss include contemplative studies, spirituality

and ageing, gerontology narratives, Buddhist psychology and the growing body of evidence-based neuroscience supporting the benefits of mindfulness meditation for our wellbeing. We are an informal and friendly group, and we share finding ways to incorporate these practices into our daily lives.

Adelaide St. Tuesday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

F10 CRYPTIC CROSSWORDS NOT FOR BEGINNERS

Face-to-face class

Gaye McDonald

Email: geemac1@optusnet.com.au

Learn how to solve cryptic crosswords.

Creek St. Tuesday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

H13 HISTORY THROUGH THE AGES

Face-to-face class

Heather Griffin 0438 795 304

Email: hgriffin@internode.on.net

This class is not restricted to any particular period of history. It covers the broad spectrum of history throughout the ages. The class has a "learning by doing" approach and members are encouraged to contribute on as wide a range of history topics as possible by preparing and giving presentations to the class. Presentations can be up to an hour in length, on an historical subject of their own choosing, and at an agreed-upon time. Lively discussion of subjects is also encouraged.

Adelaide St. Tuesday 9:45am - 11:00am

2nd and 4th Tue of the Month

Cost: \$25 (prepaid)

Y20 HISTORY OF IDEAS

Face-to-face class

Krystyna Soler 3372 2379

Email: ksoler@bigpond.net.au

Stars are the reason planets exist. Without our star, the sun, life on earth could not exist or thrive.

Scientists have discovered that we humans are literally star dust. Every molecule in our body was once fused inside the core of a star. Sirius the brightest star in the night sky which is historically significant in many cultures, is a reference point for this illustrated journey of discovery, through historical ideas, myths and beliefs about our cosmic connections, encompassing ancient and modern civilizations and cultures, their history, religions, arts,

sciences and politics. Power Point Presentation.

Adelaide St. Tuesday 9:45am - 11:00am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

H24 HISTORY THROUGH THE AGES

Face-to-face class

Ralph Carlisle

This class is not restricted to any particular period of history. It covers the broad spectrum of history throughout the ages. The class has a "learning by doing" approach and members are encouraged to contribute on as wide a range of history topics as possible by preparing and giving presentations to the class. Presentations can be up to an hour in length, on an historical subject of their own choosing, and at an agreed-upon time. Lively discussion of subjects is also encouraged.

Adelaide St. Tuesday 9:45am - 11:00am

1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month

Cost: \$20 (prepaid)

H07 BRITISH HISTORY- CONTINUING CLASS

Zoom class

Judy Catts

Email: judycu3a@outlook.com

Class Full

We are now entering the period of the Plantagenet rulers and the Crusades.

Tuesday 10:30am - 11:45am

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

L10 LITERATURE OUT OF AFRICA

Zoom class

Catherine O'Donoghue

We are a group, who are interested in reading and discussing literature with the historical, social and cultural context of Africa. This term we will remain in West Africa: Nigeria, Ghana and Senegal, specifically. We will read five texts: a memoir, a play and three novels, from a reading list. The texts explore male and female perspectives on contemporary post-colonial themes, as well those from the past in colonial times. Our aim is to gain empathy and understanding for those from different times and places. There is a presentation and discussion each week. You are encouraged to read and enjoy, according to your available time.

Tuesday 10:45am - 12:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J176 **INTERMEDIATE INTERNET FRENCH**

Zoom class

Debra McPhee

Email: stitchtoile@gmail.com

Intermediate enthusiasts enjoy learning French with online resources. We are a fun and supportive team. We speak, read, listen, and write. And we sing!

Tuesday 11:00am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

E31 **DANGEROUS IDEAS TO CHALLENGE US**

Face-to-face class

Garth Sherman

Email: garth.sherman48@gmail.com

This group will discuss dangerous and creative ideas put forward by leading thinkers and culture creators of the 21st century. Will these ideas help or hinder science, economics, military, society, arts, philosophy, psychology and sociological development? The group will watch or read about new/old ideas and pause to discuss and debate the points raised (dangerous? - maybe).

Adelaide St. Tuesday 11:15am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

L09 **TIPS ON WRITING SHORT FICTION STORIES & POEMS**

Face-to-face class

Yvonne Pick 3398 2060

Email: ygpick@gmail.com

I believe that such 'Tips' would lead to confident writers. Members would be given short stories from published authors to read around the group and learn what makes the story a success. Class participation would include students writing for the first ten minutes in class and reading aloud around the group - if they feel comfortable doing so. We would have a general discussion time on favourite authors and poets, and I would offer a writing topic for the following week.

Adelaide St. Tuesday 11:15am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

F72 **SUDOKU INTERMEDIATE**

Face-to-face class

John Ginty 0416 254 483

Email: jaginty@bigpond.com

"Sudoku the thinking person's logical puzzle". This class is for those who have progressed past the beginners level and are keen to tackle and solve more challenging puzzles.

Adelaide St. Tuesday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

F73 **CRYPTIC CROSSWORDS - NOT FOR BEGINNERS**

Face-to-face class

Gaye McDonald

Email: geemac1@optusnet.com.au

Learn how to solve cryptic crosswords. Contact convenor to enrol.

Creek St. Tuesday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J39 **CONTINUATION OF ITALIAN FOR BEGINNERS**

Face-to-face class

John Mowbray

Essentially this term we will continue the work done previously. The use of online situational language will continue and the familiarisation with the website Coffee Break will accelerate progress. The class is moving into more complex structures so any newcomer will feel more at ease with a grasp of the basics.

Adelaide St. Tuesday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

S03 **SCIENCE & THE BIG ISSUES OF OUR TIME**

Zoom class

Martin Gellender 3857 4448

Email: mgellend@bigpond.net.au

Each week, the class will discuss the science behind the big issues facing Australians in the 21st century.

- Could Australia derive all its energy needs from renewable energy, and what would be the implications?
- Could humans colonise other planets?
- What are the implications if Australia adopted nuclear energy?
- Can food production be increased to meet rising demands of a growing world population?
- What are the key environmental challenges that will confront our grandchildren?

Tuesday 11:30am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

S12 **SCIENCE & THE BIG ISSUES OF OUR TIME**

Face-to-face class

Martin Gellender 3857 4448

Email: mgellend@bigpond.net.au

Each week, the class will discuss the science behind the big issues facing Australians in the 21st century.

- Could Australia derive all its energy needs from

renewable energy, and what would be the implications? • Could humans colonise other planets? • What are the implications if Australia adopted nuclear energy? • Can food production be increased to meet rising demands of a growing world population? • What are the key environmental challenges that will confront our grandchildren?
Adelaide St. Tuesday 11:30am - 12:30pm
Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

X76 **THEATRE THROUGH THE AGES**

Face-to-face class

Jane Lock

Email: jane.lock6@bigpond.com

We are spending 2021 examining theatre developments in Australia from 1788 onwards. From many options we have chosen a dozen plays considered seminal works by various pundits. Students must supply their own copies of each play. We read each play, and students contribute short talks on playwrights, historical background and topics that increase our understanding. We supplement the readings where possible with excerpts from videos. We have great fun learning together. A full play list and program will be forwarded on request. We have one vacancy.
Creek St. Tuesday 11:30am - 12:45pm
Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

H18 **RUSSIAN HISTORY LITERATURE & CULTURE**

Face-to-face class

David Truman 3720 0723 or 0422 076 079

Email: truman7@westnet.com.au

2021 is the second year in a three-year cycle covering the whole sweep of Russian history. We start with the death of Catherine the Great (1796) and cover the reigns of Paul, Alexander I, Nicholas I, Alexander II, Alexander III and the last tsar, Nicholas II. Key events include the Napoleonic invasion, the Crimean War, the end of serfdom, the birth and meteoric rise of Russian literature and its role in Russian life, the culture war between Slavophiles and Westernizers, Russian music and art, and the evolution of the Russian intelligentsia, up to the Revolutions of 1917.
Adelaide St. Tuesday 11:45am - 1:00pm
Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

Y21 **CARL GUSTAV JUNG - DREAMS, SYMBOLS, ARCHETYPES**

Face-to-face class

Krystyna Soler 3372 2379

Email: ksoler@bigpond.net.au

Carl Jung (1875-1961) was the Swiss psychiatrist and psycho-therapist who developed Analytical Psychology and advanced Sigmund Freud's Psychoanalysis. We focus on practical insights and wisdoms to be gained from examining and discussing Jung's life and his oeuvre- Dreams and Symbols, Personal and Collective Unconscious, Archetypes, Individuation, Personality types- Introversion and Extroversion, Synchronicity. Jung's concepts influenced great minds such as Dr. Jordan Peterson, Wolfgang Pauli, Georges Lucas as well as Surrealism, Alcoholics Anonymous, and Myer-Briggs typology to name a few. Illustrated Power Point presentation
Adelaide St. Tuesday 11:45am - 1:00pm
Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

E01 **CURRENT AFFAIRS**

Zoom class

Ray Bricknell 3287 2668 (before 5:30pm please)

Email: raybrick@bigpond.net.au

Each week the class facilitator introduces one or more current topics for discussion. The topics are wide ranging, sometimes off the beaten track, but always of current importance. The group has demonstrated a talent for intelligent, unemotional, in-depth discussion. There is no limit placed on where the discussion leads us. New class members are always welcome. Now in its twelfth year, this is one of the most popular classes at U3A Brisbane, and offers an opportunity for intelligent, balanced discussion and debate such as is quite difficult to find elsewhere, providing real mental stimulation.
Tuesday 12:15pm - 1:45pm
Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J34 **SPANISH FOR BEGINNERS**

Zoom class

Sally Steffens 3371 1165

Email: jencatsal@gmail.com

This is a continuing beginners course, started Term 1 2020, following the European A1 framework. The textbook is Teach Yourself Complete Spanish by Juan Kattan-Ibarra ISBN 13 9781444177244 - about \$50 from Book Depository (includes CDs) or similar

suppliers, or an ebook version. Please email the tutor if you would like to ask about the class.

Tuesday 12:30pm - 1:45pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

A71 **DRAMA - RECYCLING DRAMA**

Face-to-face class

Penny Murphy

Joining the Drama Group at U3A is a fun way to learn something new, keep your brain active, gain confidence, exercise communication skills and explore your creativity. In Term Three 2021 we will be using the text of *The Cagebirds* to explore the process of staging a play, focusing on characterization, stagecraft, and drama techniques. No previous experience is needed as there are many ways in which to contribute.

Adelaide St. Tuesday 1:15pm - 2:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J42 **INDONESIAN - BAHASA INDONESIA FOR BEGINNERS**

Face-to-face class

David Truman 3720 0723 or 0422 076 079

Email: truman7@westnet.com.au

A composite class for new starters in Indonesian and also for those a bit more advanced. David will provide notes electronically and by short handouts.

Adelaide St. Tuesday 1:15pm - 2:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J85 **ITALIAN - INTERMEDIATE**

Face-to-face class

Jocelyn Giordano 3323 7439

Email: mmjocelyn14@gmail.com

The focus of this class is oral work and conversation. People who are familiar with Italian and have completed most of the verb tenses are expected to prepare short talks to present to class for discussion. Speaking in Italian occupies half of the weekly class time. Grammar, reading and viewing complement the oral work. Confirmation of enrolment will depend on frequency of attendance, completion of tasks and standard of Italian.

Adelaide St. Tuesday 1:30pm - 2:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

Y06 **PHILOSOPHY - THINKING ABOUT THE FUTURE**

NEW

Face-to-face class

William Grey

The future is an abiding source of human concern; it is the focus of our aspirations and anxieties. The future raises issues from a wide range of disciplines and perspectives. There are metaphysical puzzles about the future: is the future determinate or open? Is time travel possible? There are epistemological puzzles: what can we know about the future? There are ethical and political questions: what should (or can) we do to shape the future? How far should our concerns extend: years? decades? millennia? When is it permissible, or impermissible, to extend or to shorten lives?

Adelaide St. Tuesday 1:30pm - 2:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

E05 **MACRO (WORLD) ECONOMICS**

Zoom class

Ray Bricknell 3287 2668 (before 5:30pm please)

Email: raybrick@bigpond.net.au

As a result of the massive debt binge of the 1990's through to 2007, the world is still going through its most significant period of economic readjustment since the Great Depression - more than 10 years on since the GFC was triggered. We review the current international economic situation, the changes which are occurring, and those which will probably be required to get us through the next 10 or 20 years. No prior knowledge of economics is required, you can join the class at any time. Email access is needed for full participation, with printer or Tablet/Smart phone, as papers are sent out each week in advance of the class.

Tuesday 2:00pm - 3:30pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J19 **SPANISH BOOK READING**

Zoom class

Sally Steffens 3371 1165

Email: jencatsal@gmail.com

In this class we read contemporary novels. Term 2, 2021: We've just started reading 'Caballero' by Pablo Poveda, noir detective story set in Alicante, available from Book Depository, or Kindle or Kobo ebook.. In class we take turns to read aloud and translate. Where useful we take note of

pronunciation, vocabulary and grammar points.
Tuesday 2:00pm - 3:15pm
Cost: \$25 (recommended)

M42 MUSIC OF THE GREAT COMPOSERS

Zoom class

Ian Lipke

Email: ian.lipke@gmail.com

This course is for those lovers of classical music who want to enjoy a program of great music. A brief introduction to each piece or simply the piece of music itself. How relaxing!

Tuesday 2:00pm - 3:30pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

WEDNESDAY

J75 GERMAN - ADVANCED CLASS 1

Face-to-face class

Linda Mains

For those who can already speak German at an intermediate level. The aim is to practise and develop speaking, listening and reading skills in everyday German at an intermediate level. The class will be using "Top-Thema" from Deutsche Welle, and class participants must be prepared for the challenge of "Top-Thema" level German. "Top-Thema" can be accessed at: <https://www.dw.com/de/deutsch-lernen/top-thema/s-8031> The class continues on from the previous term, but there could be places for new students.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 9:15am - 10:30am

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

L43 SHAKESPEARE - LIFE & WORKS

Face-to-face class

Paul York

Email: yorkpf@gmail.com

CLASS FULL This class is open only to continuing class members*. Arguably, one can appreciate Shakespeare only in later life. Whether you studied Shakespeare in school or not, come along and discover (or rediscover) why he is considered a literary giant, the nature of his enduring legacy for the English language, and why his works still speak to us in the 21st century. We shall closely read his major plays and maybe watch a movie version (or two) of the same. *CLASS FULL*

Adelaide St. Wednesday 9:15am - 10:30am

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

A18 PENCIL DRAWING

Face-to-face class

Javad Kazemi Khezri

Email: drawing@u3abrisbane.org.au

In this friendly group we practise pencil drawing skills. It is not a structured class but Javad will move around the class giving advice. Please bring your own sketch pads and pencils.

Creek St. Wednesday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

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Creek St. Wednesday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

E16 POLITICS & THE ECONOMY - HOPES & FEARS

Face-to-face class

Bruce Holdsworth

Email: bruce.holdsworth43@gmail.com

Former Economics Lecturer & Politics Tutor ANU

Our friendly, interactive group seeks hope and solutions despite fears from: (1) the worsening climate & environment; (2) our living standards being threatened by: financial crisis; COVID problems; high under-employment, inequality & poverty; excessive privatisation & austerity; govt waste & corruption; & technology & education strains; (3) trade, military & other conflict (US, Aus, UK etc vs China, Russia; UK vs EU; etc) as nationalism breaks up the postwar global political & economic order (globalisation etc); & (4) economy-based social division: misogyny; authoritarianism vs dissent; media bias; populism; & racism & bigotry.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J37 SPANISH - ADVANCED CONVERSATION

Face-to-face class

Gloria Massi 3878 2966

Email: massigloria@gmail.com

Students require a reasonable knowledge of Spanish. Adelaide St. Wednesday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J76 ITALIAN CONTINUING CLASS

Face-to-face class

Marina Whiteman 3300 6585 (Mornings after 9 are best)

Email: marinawhiteman78@gmail.com

This is a continuing group from Term 2 and is also open to those who have a little Italian conversation and who wish to further their fluency and knowledge of the language structure.

Creek St. Wednesday 9:30am - 10:30am

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

H14 HISTORY

Face-to-face class

Sheila Leary

The class explores world history throughout the ages. Each member of the group periodically gives a presentation, which can vary in length, on any historical topic of their choice. There is the opportunity for lively discussion each week.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 9:45am - 11:00am

2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month

Cost: \$20 (prepaid)

K22 CREATIVE WRITING - THE NEXT LEVEL

Face-to-face class

Thomas Nelson 0438 118 768

Email: tomnlns8@gmail.com

You have completed K22 Creative Writing Basic Level and are looking to expand on the lessons learnt. During this term we will extend your writing through building on the basic building blocks. We will write and discuss writing techniques. If you are ready for the challenge this course is for you. Notes are sent the week prior and discussed in class and yes, there is writing involved. The classroom is a safe environment and there are no wrong ways to write (some are just better than others).

Adelaide St. Wednesday 9:45am - 11:00am

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

H09 HISTORY

Face-to-face class

Sheila Leary

The class explores world history throughout the ages. Each member of the group periodically gives a presentation, which can vary in length, on any historical topic of their choice. There is the opportunity for lively discussion each week.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 9:45am - 11:00am

1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month

Cost: \$25 (prepaid)

A57 PENCIL DRAWING

Face-to-face class

Javad Kazemi Khezri

Email: drawing@u3abrisbane.org.au

In this friendly group we practise pencil drawing skills. It is not a structured class but Javad will move around the class giving advice. Please bring your own sketch pads and pencils.

Creek St. Wednesday 11:15am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J80 GERMAN - ADVANCED CLASS 2

Face-to-face class

Ivar Stephensen

Email: irstephensen@gmail.com

For those who can already speak German at least at an intermediate level. The aim is to practise and develop speaking, listening and reading skills in everyday German at an advanced level. The class will be using "Alltagsdeutsch" from Deutsche Welle, and class participants must be prepared for the challenge of "Alltagsdeutsch" level German.

"Alltagsdeutsch" can be accessed at: <https://www.dw.com/de/deutsch-lernen/alltagsdeutsch/s-9214> The class continues on from the previous term, but there could be places for new students.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 11:15am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J218 SPANISH (CONTINUING)

Face-to-face class

Maria Rosa Gallego

This is no longer a beginners class as it started in 2018 Term 3 and is not suitable for raw beginners. Pronunciation, vocabulary and grammar will be taught through a range of simple speaking and listening activities. This is an opportunity to learn a beautiful language and have fun doing it.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 11:15am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J25 ITALIAN - INTERMEDIATE

Face-to-face class

Barbara Steiner

This is an intermediate level class, with some quite advanced level as well. We will be going through all aspects of the Italian language: pronunciation, grammar, listening, speaking, writing and reading in accordance with the class requirements and

expectations. This course is designed for students who can already communicate effectively in Italian and have studied the basics of Italian grammar. It is necessary to have access to a computer, as homework is sent via email. THIS CLASS IS FULL.
Creek St. Wednesday 11:30am - 12:45pm
Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J41 SPANISH - INTERMEDIATE CONVERSATION

Face-to-face class

Gloria Massi 3878 2966

Email: massigloria@gmail.com

Students require at least an intermediate level of Spanish. This class is now FULL.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J55 LATIN - ADVANCED GRAMMAR

Face-to-face class

Paul York

Email: yorkpf@gmail.com

CLASS FULL - Enrolments are open only to existing class members. This class focusses on: a) More advanced (and more interesting) aspects of Latin grammar and syntax - including indirect discourse, subordinate (adverbial) clauses, "advanced" subjunctive usage and other topics; and b) Gaining greater fluency in Latin, through reading and discussing Orberg's Familia Romana. To feel comfortable in the course, students need a good knowledge of basic Latin grammar, syntax and vocabulary - for example, to the standard of Paterson & MacNaughton, Parts 1 and 2.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J97 JAPANESE ELEMENTARY (HIGH)

Face-to-face class

Jacqueline Fernandes

Email: jackie@gavsta.com

Members in this class have completed basic Japanese language study. This class will continue to develop listening and conversational skills. Reading and writing components will be included to enable structure of simple sentences. Students should be familiar with the Hiragana script.

Creek St. Wednesday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J109 FRENCH - BASIC TRAVELLERS' CONVERSATION - BEGINNERS - CONTINUING

Face-to-face class

Dominic Vu

Email: dvvvu@inet.net.au

This course is for people who plan to visit French-speaking places or who are just interested in exploring the French language and culture.

Interested members must have had some exposure to beginner's French, (preferably you would have completed the textbook "Talk French 1" or an equivalent book) . The class practises conversations in an enjoyable and non-threatening atmosphere.

The course is at level A1 of the European Languages Framework. The class will continue and complete the second half of the book "Talk French 2". Relevant multi-media and supplementary materials are used to enhance the learning.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

E08 ARAB-ISRAELI DISPUTE - BACKGROUND

Face-to-face class

Coral Johnson 0400 594 741

Email: coralrj@hotmail.com

Israel/Palestine is in the news – again. What is the problem? Why is it so difficult to resolve? Where there is a mixture of religion, politics and strategic location, there's bound to be conflict and controversy. With the media limited to brief sound bites, emotive images and lack of context, this two-term course presents factors often overlooked. A Power Point presentation includes maps, documents and basic facts. Participants are encouraged to raise questions and join in discussions.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 11:45am - 1:00pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

X08 EXPERIENCING CHINA

Face-to-face class

Bryan Iles 3343 3141

Email: bryaniles@bigpond.com

This program provides the opportunity to study various aspects of China including special topics such as Chinese New Year, its legend, its importance and its impact on China. Other topics include study of the social and political structure of China, including the four forms of local government. Within each local government region time is spent looking at the geography, location, economy and

any other important features. Topics such as infrastructure development: roads, railways, fast speed train network, airports and water resources. Living standards and lifestyle changes are discussed, with a particular emphasis on the rapid change.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 11:45am - 1:00pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J58 SPANISH BOOK READING FOR BEGINNERS

Zoom class

Sally Steffens 3371 1165

Email: jencatsal@gmail.com

This course started in August 2020. We're currently reading 'Me voy o me quedo' by Juan Fernandez. Kindle version only, ASIN : B072JZ2HMB . The language level is A2/B1 in the European language competency system. We will be re-reading the whole book once we finish it. If you have any questions about the course, please contact the tutor.

Wednesday 12:00pm - 1:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J67 FRENCH - BASIC TRAVELLERS CONVERSATION - BEGINNERS CONTINUING

Dominic Vu

Email: dvvvu@iinet.net.au

This class is conducted via emails.

This course is for people who plan to visit French-speaking places or who are just interested in exploring the French language and culture. Interested members must have had some exposure to beginner's French, (preferably you would have completed the textbook "Talk French 1" or an equivalent book) . The course is at level A1 of the European Languages Framework. Textbook is the BBC's "Talk French 2". Relevant multi-media and supplementary materials are used to enhance the learning.

J187 GERMAN - INTERMEDIATE

Face-to-face class

Ivar Stephensen

Email:irstephensen@gmail.com

For those who can already speak German at an intermediate level. The aim is to practise and develop speaking, listening and reading skills in everyday German at an intermediate level. The class will be using "Top-Thema" from Deutsche Welle, and class participants must be prepared for the challenge of "Top-Thema" level German. "Top-

Thema" can be accessed at: <https://www.dw.com/de/deutsch-lernen/top-thema/s-8031> The class continues on from the previous term, but there could be places for new students.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 1:15pm - 2:30pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

L78 THE POWER OF POETRY

Face-to-face class

Joe Tierney 3343 4521

Email: joecart9@gmail.com

Please contact the tutor before enrolling

This class has been running now for nearly three years. It is intended as a flexible, adaptive course focusing on a close textual analysis of a particular poem (or poems) written in English each week. The aim is to experience the poems in different ways that will lead to interesting discussions. Those entering the course for the first time will be sent a short questionnaire to gauge attitudes and interests. I am very open to class members bringing poems they enjoy to the class and leading the discussion.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 1:15pm - 2:30pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

H53 THE ARABIAN GULF FROM RAGS TO RICHES

Face-to-face class

Laurence Salmon

This course will take the student back in time into the Persian Gulf, known today as the Arabian Gulf, and describe how the Arab Bedouins created the oil - rich countries with leadership and knowledge from Europe, Asia and America. This course will also explore how the British in the 1700's allowed migrants in to structure the hitherto empty Pirates Gulf, known as the Trucial Coast. THIS CLASS IS FULL.

Creek St. Wednesday 1:30pm - 2:45pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J179 FRENCH - CONVERSATION FOR ADVANCED BEGINNERS - CONTINUING

Face-to-face class

Dominic Vu

Email: dvvvu@iinet.net.au

This course is for people who are interested in exploring the French language and culture. Members will have been exposed to advanced beginner's French and now wish to enhance their listening, reading and conversational skills. The

class will continue and complete the last ten lessons of the textbook 'Communication Progressive du Français, niveau intermédiaire, 2è édition'. Relevant multi-media and supplementary materials are used to enhance the learning.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 1:30pm - 2:45pm
Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J07 FRENCH - FUNDAMENTAL, INTRODUCTORY

Face-to-face class

Coral Johnson 0400 594 741

Email: coralrj@hotmail.com

This is a four-term (one year) course based on the BBC Talk French Complete Course with supplementary resources. Emphasis is on pronunciation, comprehension, fluency, and having fun. Enjoy learning to speak and read the beautiful French language while learning some history in the process.

Adelaide St. Wednesday 1:45pm - 2:45pm
Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J59 SPANISH - CONTINUING

Zoom class

Chris (Nobby) Hobbs

Email: chris1@choose-your-life.net

Spanish is one of the easiest foreign languages. As this is a continuing course, some extended knowledge is needed. Progressive study of grammar using listening and speaking, with Latin-American emphasis. Confirm with me before attending. New students need to be conversant with the material already completed. We use a number of videos & audios as well as stories. If you email me and do not receive a reply within 24 hours, something is wrong. Contact me again.

Wednesday 2:00pm - 3:30pm
Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J69 FRENCH - CONVERSATION FOR ADVANCED BEGINNERS - CONTINUING

Dominic Vu

Email: dvvvu@inet.net.au

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Français, niveau intermédiaire, 2è édition'. Relevant multi-media and supplementary materials are used to enhance the learning.

L11 SHAKESPEARE - LIFE & WORKS

Zoom class

Paul York

Email: yorkpf@gmail.com

CLASS FULL This class is open only to continuing class members* Arguably, one can appreciate Shakespeare only in later life. Whether you studied Shakespeare in school or not, come along and discover (or rediscover) why he is considered a literary giant, the nature of his enduring legacy for the English language, and why his works still speak to us in the 21st century. We shall closely read his major plays and maybe watch a movie version (or two) of the same. *CLASS FULL*

Wednesday 2:30pm - 3:45pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

THURSDAY

J11 LATIN - LEVEL 3

Face-to-face class

Yvonne McGann

Email: office@u3abrisbane.org.au

This year we will be using the text Cambridge Latin Course, book 3.

Adelaide St. Thursday 9:15am - 10:30am
Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

L04 LITERATURE IN CONTEXT (2)

Zoom class

Margaret Hill 3846 7712 (8.30 am - 6.00 pm Mon-Fri)

Thursday 9.am for 9.15am start on Zoom. The main study in 2021 will be the historical novel "The Mirror and the Light" by Hilary Mantel, in its 16th century context of Tudor England. In the first term we review the two earlier novels "Wolf Hall" and "Bring up the Bodies" as preparation for this third book of the Cromwell trilogy. Because of the interactive nature of this class it is kept small and students are encouraged to contribute their knowledge and research. I am grateful to Deslyn who, while participating in the class, takes on the responsibility of operating Zoom and ironing out IT problems of access that can arise.

Thursday 9:15am - 10:30am

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

A82 BUDDING ARTIST GROUP

Face-to-face class

Norma Newsome

Email: ausnorm@hotmail.com

This is a friendly group and open to everyone. We work with water colours. A list of materials required will be provided before our first class. Jean Blake has kindly volunteered to offer tuition in water colour each week.

Creek St. Thursday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

E18 FUTURE POSITIONING OF AUSTRALIA IN A POST COVID GLOBAL ECONOMY

Face-to-face class

David Nelson

Post COVID, Trump and Brexit, what will the global economy look like in 2021 and beyond? Will we see a return to multilateral trade and geopolitical alliances and a rules-based international trade order? How will the major world democracies and our Asian neighbours respond to China's more aggressive 'wolf warrior' diplomacy and trade barriers? Will Australia continue to be the lucky country or is a major reset required to ensure our future prosperity?. Classes will be informed through circulated papers. Class members will be encouraged to contribute, through papers and leading discussion where comfortable.

Adelaide St. Thursday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

P22 CREATIVE PHOTOGRAPHY & ART

Face-to-face class

Chris Deeming 3142 2253

Email: chris_deeming@yahoo.com.au

This is a non-technical non-competitive group. Just bring along whatever camera you have, shoot in whatever mode suits you. Odd weeks will be in room 14; even weeks will be field trips. We will keep to the City Center and the South Bank area as much as possible, however I am looking at expanding the outings. We use Cluster for sharing our photos and using simple editing programs on the computer. And of course there is always coffee somewhere.

Adelaide St. Thursday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

X16 BEEKEEPING - HOBBY ORGANIC BEEKEEPING

Zoom class

Joe Smith

Email: josmith_1_2000@yahoo.com

In this course I introduce the basics of beekeeping at home. It covers: basic equipment, the parts of a hive, types of hives, preventing disease and managing pests, harvesting honey, the jobs and life cycles of the bees, preventing swarming, catching a swarm... Maintenance of a bee hive would take probably less than one hour per month in Spring and Summer and you may get 20kg of honey per month, once the hive is fully established, that is, after the first year. I kept honey and native bees for over 5 years in Brisbane, before I moved to the Sunshine Coast.

Thursday 9:30am - 10:30am

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J47 FRENCH - CONTINUING 2

Face-to-face class

Coral Johnson 0400 594 741

Email: coralrj@hotmail.com

A basic level of French is required for this course. The course is designed to improve grammar, extend vocabulary and develop reading and writing skills. Emphasis is on pronunciation, comprehension, fluency, and having fun.

Adelaide St. Thursday 9:45am - 11:00am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

X17 LAW - WOMEN & THE LAW *NEW*

Face-to-face class

Susan Currie

It is clear from recent public discourse around matters such as domestic violence, rape and sexual harassment that justice for women is yet to be achieved. This course will examine the way women have been failed by politicians, the law itself, police and the courts. Participants will be encouraged to give voice to their own experience of injustice. The focus will be on discussing how the system can be improved and how we can assist in that process.

Adelaide St. Thursday 9:45am - 10:45am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J101 JAPANESE - UPPER INTERMEDIATE

Zoom class

Enju Norris 3378 6031

Email: 2014enju@gmail.com

Jacqui Fernandes 0410 646 691

jackie@gavsta.com

For students who are familiar with the language and wish to advance further.

Thursday 10:45am - 12:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J224 FRENCH - READ A NOVEL (GROUP 2)

Zoom class

Robert Ward 3261 4327

Email: bobw1437@gmail.com

*The assistant tutors are Sandra and Margaret.

Members meet to read novels in their original French then translate/interpret in class, individually and in turn, discussing points of pronunciation, vocabulary and grammar (in English) as we go along. The Group is reading Manon des sources by Marcel Pagnol.

Thursday 10:45am - 12:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

R09 WHAT THE BIBLE IS ABOUT - AN INFORMED APPRECIATION OF THE BIBLE

Zoom class

Raymond Sarlin 0491 124 666

Email: ray.sarlin@ymail.com

The Reformation was 500 years old in 2017, so it's useful to re-examine the Bible with fresh eyes and updated historical and scientific evidence. Greek Bibles flooding Europe from Islam's conquest of the Byzantine empire in 1453 actually prompted the Reformation. This non-religious course applies the integrated nature of the text to enable members to learn to unlock difficult passages for themselves by using the Bible to interpret the Bible. Each week we examine one or more books, chapters or passages in detail. Members may nominate topics; no part of the Bible is off limits. Suitable for new and continuing members.

Thursday 10:45am - 12:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J08 FRENCH - CONTINUING 1

Face-to-face class

Coral Johnson 0400 594 741

Email: coralrj@hotmail.com

A basic level of French is required for this course.

The course is designed to improve grammar, extend vocabulary and develop reading and writing skills.

Emphasis is on pronunciation, comprehension, fluency, and having fun.

Adelaide St. Thursday 11:15am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J26 FRENCH - LOW INTERMEDIATE

Face-to-face class

June Dews 0438 713 102

Email: itamjune@gmail.com

Vite et Bien B1 2nd Edition (Claire Miquel) is required for this course

To enrol in this course members will need to have some experience or understanding of the French language. The emphasis of this course will be on continuing vocabulary, grammar, conversation and French expression with an aim to give members the confidence to speak conversational French.

Students will be encouraged to listen and speak as much as possible through simple conversation scenarios and recorded material. Learn to speak and read French, have fun and gain confidence.

Members of this class have now progressed to Low Intermediate. ** Please telephone the tutor to discuss prior before enrolling for this class.

Creek St. Thursday 11:15am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J98 FRENCH ADVANCED CONVERSATION

Face-to-face class

Michele Soulard

Email: miso21@bigpond.com

Advanced conversation based on a variety of issues and subjects presented in French articles, including songs and poetry. The topics, chosen by the students, are emailed to them in advance so that they can prepare. Students need to be able to express themselves in French without much assistance. This is a very lively and friendly class!

Adelaide St. Thursday 11:15am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

A20 BUDDING ARTIST GROUP *NEW*

Face-to-face class

Norma Newsome

Email: ausnorm@hotmail.com

This is a friendly group and open to everyone. We work with water colours. A list of materials required will be provided before our first class. Jean Blake has kindly volunteered to offer tuition in water colour each week.

Creek St. Thursday 11:15am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

H01 A SOCIAL HISTORY

Face-to-face class

Wendy Gemmell

Email: wendy_gemmell@bigpond.com

Join our friendly group for interesting talks on diverse aspects of European history before 1900. Term 3 covers some English kings and queens, a French king and some interesting art work. Adelaide St. Thursday 11:30am - 12:45pm
Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

H22 MAJOR EVENTS IN AUSTRALIAN HISTORY

Face-to-face class

Paul Reitano 0409 802 727 (between 8am and 5pm)

Email: paulreitano5@gmail.com

Major Events in Australian History: From the establishment of a penal settlement to the Second World War. A focus of this history course is how historians use evidence as a way of constructing powerful and convincing arguments. The class will be interactive in nature. Working in teams, we shall deconstruct a range of primary and secondary sources – both written and non-written – in examining events in Australian history. Bring your mobile phones.

Adelaide St. Thursday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

H39 THE BATTLE FOR AUSTRALIA 1942-43

Zoom class

Derek Cameron 0403 178 210

Email: the.camerons2@bigpond.com

This unit offers an analysis of the causes, course and consequences of the Kokoda Track campaign, including an evaluation of the controversies about personalities, strategy and tactics surrounding it. Its significance for later history and indeed whether or not we should talk of a "Battle for Australia" will also be explored. The course includes numerous exercises based on the sources and links to further information. By comparison with other campaigns in World War Two (such as the awesome armies involved in the titanic struggles in Russia), the opposing forces on the Kokoda Track were miniscule.

Thursday 11:30am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J57 ENGLISH FOR SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES

Face-to-face class

Tove Vine 0416 280 641 (any time)

Email: tovevine@yahoo.com.au

Do you wish to improve your English listening, speaking, reading and writing? Then this class is for you. Learn to construct everyday English sentences which will be useful in your daily life. Enjoy spending time with tutor Tove in a fun, happy and friendly environment and feel a sense of achievement by improving your conversational skills. Tutor is also an author of 5 books written in English, her knowledge of studying a new language is immense. Please contact Tove for more information.

Adelaide St. Thursday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

E06 MIND STIRRERS

Face-to-face class

Bruce Read 0447 205 059

Email: bdread10b@gmail.com

A discussion of contemporary issues as suggested by participants. Vigorous discussion encouraged.

Adelaide St. Thursday 11:45am - 1:00pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J83 SPANISH FOR ABSOLUTE BEGINNERS

NEW

Face-to-face class

Marcia Fernandez

A dynamic and very practical course for the ABSOLUTE beginner, covering an interesting introduction to the language and its relationship with English. You will be surprised at how much Spanish you already know! By the end of this course, you will have a clear idea of the workings of the Spanish language and a solid foundation for further study. No textbook needed.

Adelaide St. Thursday 11:45am - 1:00pm

Cost: \$45 (prepaid)

J60 MANDARIN COMMUNICATIONS

Zoom class

Ling Zhao

Email: lingzhao624@gmail.com

This course attaches great importance to the practicality of Mandarin, and the ideal output is that students can have a flexible use of Mandarin in their daily communication. This course will also facilitate students in Mandarin-speaking fluency, accuracy

and pronunciation. If you are considering taking this course, it would be better if you are able to communicate in basic Mandarin (e.g. greeting, ordering, introducing oneself, etc.). The teaching materials will be tailored by the teacher to the language proficiency of the class.

Thursday 1:00pm - 2:15pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

L33 **POETRY APPRECIATION**

Face-to-face class

Coral Johnson 0400 594 741

Email: coralrj@hotmail.com

This class encourages those attending to share favourite poems, become acquainted with unfamiliar poets and their work, and develop a greater appreciation for the beauty of the English language and its power to express thoughts and feelings.

While attention is given to poetic techniques, the emphasis is on appreciation and enjoyment.

Adelaide St. Thursday 1:15pm - 2:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

N02 **FILM STORYTELLING ALFRED HITCHCOCK PRESENTS**

NEW

Face-to-face class

Albert Moran 3844 9018

Between 1954 and 1962, Hollywood director Alfred Hitchcock ran a successful half-hour TV series of short stories. These varied from comedy to crime, good luck to bad luck, mystery, surprise and suspense. Audiences loved Hitchcock's appearances which were droll, funny and often obscure. Each week we will watch and talk about one of these episodes.

Adelaide St. Thursday 1:15pm - 2:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

H41 **THE BURMA RAILWAY**

Zoom class

Derek Cameron 0403 178 210

Email: the.camerons2@bigpond.com

This course will detail the circumstances in which Australians came to be prisoners of war of the Japanese from 1942-1945; the conditions faced in "official" POW camps such as Changi; the use of POWs as forced labourers for the construction of the Burma - Thailand Railway and the details involved in that activity; the incidence of death and illness brought about as a result; the role of outstanding

personalities such as "Weary" Dunlop in sustaining the captives; and the release and rehabilitation of the prisoners at war's end.

Thursday 1:30pm - 2:30pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J38 **SPANISH - BEGINNERS CONVERSATION**

Face-to-face class

Virginia Torres Guarneros

Class began Term 1 2019. Enquire from tutor about suitability.

Adelaide St. Thursday 1:30pm - 2:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

K03 **MEMOIR WRITING** ***NEW***

Face-to-face class

Tove Vine 0416 280 641 (any time)

Email: tovevine@yahoo.com.au

Do you wish to leave a legacy for your children, grandchildren and/or great grandchildren by writing a memoir to leave behind? Leave footprints for the future generation. You can join Tove and other students in a 'Memoir Writing' class. It will be a fun and at times emotional (happy) class when we write and share our life stories and put 'pen to paper' to make a lasting record of our lives.

Adelaide St. Thursday 1:30pm - 2:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

A21 **ART-EXPLORING COLOUR THROUGH ART & MEDITATION**

NEW

Face-to-face class

Kim MacKenzie

Relax and rejuvenate with this inspirational course that explores the mind-body-soul connection with the colour spectrum. Students are introduced to the esoteric properties of colour as a theoretical foundation. They are then guided through a simple colour meditation process to experience colour 'on the inside'. Coloured crayons are then used to record their personal experiences. Suitable for beginners and for all ages, this course will enhance the student's appreciation (and practical application) of colour as an inherent elixir of life. Pioneered and instructed (for over 25 years) by artist, author, academic Dr. Kim S. MacKenzie

Creek St. Thursday 1:30pm - 2:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

H16 AUSTRALIA - YOU'RE STANDING IN IT PART 2

Face-to-face class

Robert Hogg

Email: rhogg5912@gmail.com

This course continues from where Part 1 concluded, at Federation. It will cover topics such as War and Nationalism, the Great Depression, Indigenous Politics, Australia in Asia, and the rise of suburban Australia. It stands alone from Part 1, and there is no requirement to have attended Part 1 classes. Adelaide St. Thursday 1:45pm - 2:45pm
Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J50 THAI - SPOKEN THAI FOR BEGINNERS

Zoom class

Joe Smith

Email: josmith_1_2000@yahoo.com

John Bateman

email johnbateman@otpusnet.com.au

Thai grammar is very easy: there are no plural nouns and no different tenses of verbs. Numbers or other words show plural and adverbs of time, such as "yesterday", show past. So: "2 child run past yesterday", not "2 children ran past yesterday". Thai language is tonal, like Chinese, but it has an alphabet, unlike Chinese, because of the influence of India. There are levels of language in Thai, more than in English, but in this beginners course, we will focus on common spoken Thai. The textbook: Thai for Beginners, can be bought on Amazon.com for about AUD30 including postage.

Thursday 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

FRIDAY

H27 MODERN HISTORY

Zoom class

Robert Hill 3846 7712 (before 7 pm)

Email: robhill4@bigpond.com

Our class is now in its ninth year. We have become a group of friendly folks who listen to and discuss an eclectic range of subjects chosen, researched and presented by class members about events, people and places from, usually, the 17th century up to today; we are always deepening our knowledge. Every Friday brings fresh interest and insight for all of us. New members are made welcome and it is customary to have coffee together after class to

deepen our friendship even with Zoom. This is what U3A is all about - learning and connecting. While we are a Zoom class, there are vacancies if you care to join us.

Friday 9:00am - 10:30am

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J62 GERMAN BEGINNERS

Zoom class

Roger Jones

Email: roger.jones7@bigpond.com

This is a basic course for beginners. Ideal course for an insight to the German Language and for those that have connections in the German world. Some homework will be given as the course continues.

The course curriculum is based on BBC Talk German1, the ideal course for absolute beginners. Students will need to purchase this through Book Depository or elsewhere. (ISBN 9781406678987).

Other books will be used and referred to and students may purchase if wanted. Contact Tutor via Email: roger.jones7@bigpond.com or 0447538792.

Friday 9:00am - 10:15am

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J68 LATIN - ADVANCED

Zoom class

Laurie Gaffney

In Term 1 2021 the Advanced Latin class commenced an historical survey of the literature of the classical Latin period - from Cato the Elder (as precursor), to Suetonius, Juvenal and Apulius. In Term 3 we continue a close study of Cicero via his formal works and his correspondence. We will also read some of the notable writings of his contemporaries, Julius Caesar and Lucretius. We will continue our reading of the Aeneid, translating and analysing Book 3. To feel comfortable in the course, students will need a good knowledge of, and interest in Latin grammar, syntax and vocabulary.

Friday 9:00am - 10:15am

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

F04 CRYPTIC CROSSWORDS - INTERMEDIATE 1

Face-to-face class

Jennifer Nunn

Email: nunnjm@gmail.com

This class is for those who have completed some beginner and intermediate classes and want to go on learning how to 'crack the code'. Others please contact me to discuss your experience and level.

Learn to unravel more complex clues, extend your thinking skills and have fun. Sorry, this is a continuing class and it is full. Please contact me to go on the waiting list.

Adelaide St. Friday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

H03 HISTORY OF RELIGION IN AUSTRALIA

Face-to-face class

Heather Griffin 0438 795 304

Email: hgriffin@internode.on.net

The story of people of various faith backgrounds in Australia. People of all faiths have contributed in major ways to making Australia the country we have today. We take examples of individuals from a variety of faith backgrounds, and use their stories to help us understand Australia's broader social history. We will use book reviews, member presentations, guest speakers and film to explore what life was and is like for a diverse range of Australians.

Creek St. Friday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J73 MANDARIN FOR BEGINNERS

Zoom class

Joe Smith

Email: josmith_1_2000@yahoo.com

This course in Mandarin introduces students to the spoken language. Mandarin is the national language of China and practically everyone speaks it. It is the second most commonly spoken language behind English. This class will teach participants common spoken Mandarin phrases and vocabulary, plus the importance of using proper "tones" in speaking the language. Basic grammar will be covered and the theory behind the written language, but we will focus on using Pinyin, which is the phonetic system used, e.g. on computers, to type the Chinese characters.

Friday 9:30am - 10:30am

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J128 LATIN - LEVEL 7

Face-to-face class

Yvonne McGann

Email: office@u3abrisbane.org.au

This class is a continuation of the 2020 level 6 class. In addition to Latin grammar, we will be studying excerpts from various Latin authors including Cicero, Livy, Ovid and Vergil. Creek St. Friday 9:30am - 10:45am. Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J159 JAPANESE - INTRODUCTION TO THE JAPANESE LANGUAGE - CONTINUING

Face-to-face class

Lesley Brandis 3398 9802 (After 5.00 pm)

Email: startchief@bigpond.com

This is a continuing class

The emphasis will be on speaking and listening and an introduction to Japanese writing systems. There will be songs, cultural activities, traditional games and fun ways to learn a new language. New members welcome.

Adelaide St. Friday 9:30am - 10:45am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J17 JAPANESE INTERMEDIATE

Face-to-face class

Intermediate

Rose Murray 0405 844 030

Email: rosemary_murray@yahoo.com.au

For students who have some knowledge of Japanese. Students have been studying this subject for around 4 years. Please apply to tutor if you are interested in joining.

Adelaide St. Friday 9:45am - 11:00am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

T01 DANTE'S PARADISE *NEW*

Face-to-face class

Drina Oldroyd

Email: dfoldroyd@gmail.com

This year is the 700th anniversary of the death of Italy's greatest author, Dante Alighieri (1265-1321) and this course is an invitation to return to Paradise from which we were flung like Lucifer due to COVID restrictions! There will be opportunity for discussion and for contributions by participants on literature, music and art inspired by Dante's Poem. Preferred English translation by Mark Musa, Penguin Classics, but bring any you already have.

Adelaide St. Friday 9:45am - 11:00am

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J189 LATIN - MEDIEVAL

Zoom class

John Galligan

Most Latin studies tend to focus on the Classical period (roughly 100 BCE to 100 CE), yet the vast majority of Latin literature was produced much later, during the Middle Ages and beyond. The class will translate some interesting Latin material from the Medieval period (roughly from the 5th to the 12th

century, inclusive), whilst exploring its historical context. This term the material to be covered comes from the 11th and 12th centuries: (i) The 'investiture contest'; (ii) The First Crusade; (iii) A selection of poetry.

Friday 10:45am - 12:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J207 LATIN - LEVEL 5

Zoom class

Susan Treloar

Email: susan.treloar@bigpond.com

This class focuses on reading, understanding and translating classical Latin. It is a year-long course which started in Term 1. A prerequisite is having completed the U3A Level 4 Latin course OR having a sound understanding of Latin grammar from past studies. We learn traditional grammar from Paterson & MacNaughton's 'The Approach to Latin: Second Part' and also follow the Cambridge Latin Course, Books IV and V. We supplement these texts with online exercises and other internet resources.

Friday 10:45am - 12:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

H25 AFRICAN HISTORY 5, COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVES

NEW

Zoom class

Roger Scott

Email: scottroger2@icloud.com

Co-tutor Dr Ann Scott

This course will draw on contributions from students who have already completed some previous courses in African History, as well as contributions from the co-tutors. Africa provides a frame of reference for comments on events outside Africa. The 2021 course addresses decolonisation, with contributions about the evolution of the British empire into the Commonwealth, and the widespread use of federalism as a solution to manage previous policy inconsistencies. Specific area studies will include Ireland, North America, Australia, Papua New Guinea, China.

Friday 10:45am - 12:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

M25 OPERA APPRECIATION

Face-to-face class

Kay Andersen

Email: kjand@ozemail.com.au

A class for those who want to increase their knowledge regarding operas; a chance to watch and enjoy operas with others. We will watch DVDs; you will receive a synopsis of the operas and any other important information about them.

Adelaide St. Friday 11:15am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

A01 PAINTING PRACTICE GROUP

Face-to-face class

Anne Kirkwood

Watercolour/ Acrylics/ Ink (no Oils). In this group we plan to meet weekly in Creek Street where we can enjoy painting together while supporting each other's efforts. There will be no tutor. Contact Anne to enrol. This course is not suitable for beginners.

Creek St. Friday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

E17 POLITICS & THE ECONOMY - HOPES & FEARS

Zoom class

Bruce Holdsworth

Email: bruce.holdsworth43@gmail.com

ANU Macroeconomics Lecturer 2005-2013; English, Politics tutor 2003-5

Our friendly, interactive group seeks hope and solutions despite fears from: (1) the worsening climate & environment; (2) our living standards being threatened by: financial crisis; COVID uncertainty; high under-employment, inequality & poverty; excessive privatisation & austerity; govt waste & corruption; & technology & education strains; (3) trade, military & other conflict (US, UK, Aus. vs China, Russia; UK vs EU; etc) as nationalism breaks up the postwar global political & economic order (globalisation etc); & (4) economy-based social division: authoritarianism vs dissent; media bias; populism; & racism & bigotry.

Friday 11:30am - 1:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

F05 CRYPTIC CROSSWORDS - INTERMEDIATE 2

Face-to-face class

Jennifer Nunn

Email: nunnjm@gmail.com

This class is for those who have completed some beginner and intermediate classes and want to go on learning how to 'crack the code'. Others please contact me to discuss your experience and level.

Learn to unravel more complex clues, extend your

thinking skills and have fun. Sorry, this is a continuing class and it is full. Please contact me to go on the waiting list.

Adelaide St. Friday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

G13 WRITING FAMILY HISTORY

Face-to-face class

Robert Adamson

Email: adamsonre@optusnet.com.au

Learn how to put your family history research into an interesting and readable form for your family. We will write and share short pieces on aspects of our family history. Sorry, class full.

Adelaide St. Friday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Weeks two and four each month

Cost: \$20 (prepaid)

J158 LATIN - LEVEL 6

Face-to-face class

Yvonne McGann

Email: office@u3abrisbane.org.au

This year we will be continuing Cambridge Latin Course, book IVB.

Creek St. Friday 11:30am - 12:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

J12 LATIN - LEVEL 4

Zoom class

Paul York

Email: yorkpf@gmail.com

This class focuses on reading, understanding and translating classical Latin. It is a year-long course which started in Term 1. A prerequisite is having completed the U3A Level 3 Latin course or being familiar with basic Latin grammar from past studies. We will learn traditional grammar from Paterson & MacNaughton's 'The Approach to Latin' Book 2. We will supplement this with online exercises and other internet resources. Friday 12:30pm - 1:45pm

Friday 12:30pm - 1:45pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J23 FRENCH INTERMEDIATE 'POUR ET CONTRE'

Zoom class

Anna Beyer 3324 1263 or 0400 843 805

Email: annajbeyer@gmail.com

Preferred name: ANIA

Bienvenus to 'Pour et contre'. In T3, we will be watching a French movie and exploring its storyline

and dialogues. In small groups, we will transcribe selected scenes (listening, writing). Later, full transcript (reading) will be provided so we can look at essential grammar points; participants will have access to PowerPoints containing language-learning materials. And, since nothing sparks a debate like a good story, our focus will still be on speaking skills.

Friday 12:30pm - 2:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

K28 CREATIVE WRITING CLUB

Zoom class

Christine Cargill

This is a self-directed class for aspiring creative writers who seek some feedback on their work from like-minded people. Join only if you are prepared to write poetry or short pieces of prose and present them to a small sympathetic audience for helpful comment. Your feedback on other people's work is expected as well. It is not a taught creative writing class. The class is currently meeting through Zoom.

Friday 12:30pm - 1:45pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

H51 HISTORY - ENGLAND IN THE 15TH CENTURY

Face-to-face class

Maureen Lillie

This is a very interesting period bracketed by the huge population loss caused by the Black Death in the late 14th century and the discovery of the New World. There were changes to everyday life; the Wars of the Roses changed the ruling dynasty in England and new technology allowed ideas on science and religion to spread. Recent finds are causing a re-examination of the century and our ideas about it, but there are persistent myths. What was it like to live in those times?

Adelaide St. Friday 1:15pm - 2:15pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

H19 HISTORY ENQUIRY & ANALYSIS

Face-to-face class

Jeff Archer

Email: jeffsu1066@gmail.com

A few vacancies may exist in this class, but numbers are very limited. Please send the tutor your telephone number and any additional information you think relevant if you wish to discuss this. Topics offered by class members can cover any aspect and period of history from ancient to modern times. Our

approach is to offer a cooperative enquiry into the past by encouraging class members to research their chosen subjects and to present PowerPoint presentations of material which interests them. This format allows for diverse points of view to be presented in a convivial and respectful way. Many class members share a coffee afterwards.

Adelaide St. Friday 1:30pm - 2:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

P02 DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY

Face-to-face class

Mike Bryan 3273 1163

Email: mike.bryan3@gmail.com

Ideal basic introduction to the world of Digital Photography. Develop a practical understanding of what your camera can do, and learn to take better pictures. Class Full

Adelaide St. Friday 1:30pm - 2:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

E19 CONTEMPORARY ECONOMIC ISSUES FACING AUSTRALIA

NEW

Face-to-face class

John Mangan

Since the Global Financial Crisis of 2008, the world economy, and the way in which Governments have attempted to manage their economies, has changed significantly. Australia has not escaped these changes. In recent years (some Covid driven) the Australian Economy has developed very differently from past decades. Public Finance has become far less debt concerned, wages have stagnated, interest rates are historically low and inequality has increased substantially. We set out to explain why these changes have taken place and what are the likely future developments that will flow from them.

The course is designed to be interactive.

Adelaide St. Friday 1:45pm - 2:45pm

Cost: \$50 (prepaid)

A10 ART - PENCIL PORTRAITURES

Zoom class

Geraint Morgan

Following the popularity of the current Friday afternoon pencil portrait classes, there has been demand for a sister class to be held. It is with pleasure that I am able to oversee this new class, which will focus on portraiture drawing, predominantly through the medium of pencil, with

the scope to experiment with charcoal should there be a desire to do so. The emphasis will be on creating a collegiate and friendly atmosphere where participants can practice their drawing skills and, should they so desire, receive constructive feedback on their work.

Friday 2:00pm - 3:30pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

CITY PRECINCT

J02 RUSSIAN - COLLOQUIAL

Face-to-face class

Anastasia Stoopman 3399 5298

Email: anastasia.stoopman2@bigpond.com

We would really like to welcome new members to this class so please come and join in a friendly informal and social group. All new members very welcome. Phone tutor to enrol.

Brisbane Square Library. Monday 10:00am - 11:15am

F12 CHESS

NEW

Face-to-face class

Paul Lockley 0429 709 001

Email: plockley64@gmail.com

This friendly group enjoys playing chess in a relaxed atmosphere. Players of all abilities are welcome. Tuition will be given to those requesting it, from complete beginners upwards. An annual prize will be given to the person voted the year's most improved player.

Check with Tutor. Monday 11:15am - 12:15pm

J29 JAPANESE LANGUAGE

Zoom class

Shinko Hardy 3398 8898 or 0412 234 249

Email: shinko44@hotmail.com

Students with some knowledge of Japanese. THIS CLASS IS FULL

Tuesday 10:00am - 12:00pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

L03 BOOK DISCUSSION

Face-to-face class

Rosemarie Schukraft

Email: rosemarieschukraft@gmail.com

Meetings are held on the 3rd Wednesday of the month.

State Library. Wednesday 10:00am - 11:30am
3rd Wednesday of the month.

X108 **LUNCH GROUP**

Face-to-face class

Thomas Moloney 0405 222 818

Email: ozprey10@optusnet.com.au

City monthly lunch group usually held on second Wednesday of every month and the group meets from 12.30 pm. Leader will provide details of the restaurant on the 1st of every month. If you want cheerful, lighthearted conversation, you would be welcome. Next lunch to be advised.

Check with Tutor. Wednesday 12:15pm onwards.
2nd Wed of each month

L63 **BOOK DISCUSSION**

Face-to-face class

Rosemarie Schukraft

Email: rosemarieschukraft@gmail.com

Rosemarie facilitates a book discussion group, where members read and discuss different genres of books each month. The aim of the course is to encourage a wide range of reading and to enjoy the discussion.

State Library. Wednesday 12:30pm - 2:00pm
3rd Wednesday of the month

J84 **FRANCAIS A PIED** *NEW*

Zoom class

For beginners

Anna Beyer 3324 1263 or 0400 843 805

Email: annajbeyer@gmail.com

Bienvenus to ' Français à pied'. If you like walking, talking and learning French, all at once, join us to explore our city. For each class, a couple of participants will each prepare a text about a significant place in Brisbane. The class will combine Zoom sessions with face-to-face walks. The details will be discussed in the first class which will be a Zoom class. Some Zoom sessions (including the very first one) will replace face-to-face meetings to allow for planning and grammar.

Wednesday 3:00pm - 4:30pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

S19 **GEOLOGY**

Face-to-face class

Cecil Murray 3398 7745 (After 6pm)

Email: cecmurray@gmail.com

In Term 3 the scheduled topics are: metamorphic

rocks, geological structures, stratigraphy and geological mapping, climate change through time, geological hazards.

Brisbane Square Library. Thursday 12:00pm - 1:30pm

1st, 3rd and 5th Thursdays.

H32 **HISTORY - FAMOUS PEOPLE, PLACES & EVENTS**

Face-to-face class

Dalys Murray 3398 7745 (Please phone after 6pm)

Email: dafam2008@gmail.com

This class will focus on broad segments drawn from the history of Europe, Australia, the Indian Subcontinent, Asia and the Americas. Different segments are selected each term. Discussion is always welcome and individual participation is encouraged. New students are welcome. If class becomes full there will be a waiting list. Will be held in Community Meeting Room on the ground floor of the library. Topic for Term 3 is the history of the Plantagenet kings of England from Edward III onwards to Richard II, Henry IV and Henry V.

Brisbane Square Library. Thursday 12:00pm - 1:30pm

2nd & 4th Thursday of every month

P07 **CAMERA CLUB**

Face-to-face class

Rodney Knaggs 0419 643 231

Email: rknaggs@bigpond.com

Online photography challenges and some outings to parks etc.

Check with Tutor. Thursday 2:00pm - 3:15pm

L07 **BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP**

Face-to-face class

Joanna Dalton 3846 2752

Come with ideas. Class starts at 10am (Room 1.3). Enquiries to the Tutor. Class Full. The class will be continuing as usual as per the current library policy. The book for discussion will be The French Photographer by Natasha Lester.

Brisbane Square Library. Friday 10:00am - 11:00am
First Friday of month

T11 **A WALK ON THE WILDSIDE**

Face-to-face class

Walking Group

John Van Der Werff

Every Sunday morning 7 am – 9 am. Starting point

varies. 10 min. break at halfway. Coffee afterwards
South Brisbane Sailing Club. Sunday 7:00am -
9:00am

LOGAN DISTRICT

MONDAY

B112 TAI CHI FOR SENIORS - INTERMEDIATE

Face-to-face class

Mary Langler 0411 278 561

Email: langlerma@gmail.com

Explore the health benefits of this ancient art in a gentle form of exercise which combines relaxation, strength, and meditation. We will continue our journey with warm-up exercises and QiGong (Chee Koong), building energy and preparing you for Tai Chi form. We will reinforce the principles learned so far to enable you to perform Tai Chi movements with a degree of confidence. You will progress from the beginning set of Shibashi movements to Set 2 and 3, as a preparation for the Tai Chi form. Beginners welcome.

Riverdale Park. Monday 9:00am - 10:30am

H36 HISTORY

Face-to-face class

Michael Willmer 3808 3349

Email: mikemarg17@bigpond.com

Jim Ancliffe 3341 1154

Talks cover the broad spectrum of history.

Elements Living. Monday 9:00am - 11:00am

A03 CARD MAKING

Face-to-face class

Beginners and Experienced

Linda Tan

Email: lpt7@bigpond.com

Join Linda, an experienced and friendly card maker, and paper crafter, to learn new cardmaking, fun folds & stamping techniques. All materials for 2 projects will be provided on the day. Please bring your own sharp scissors, pencil, ruler and double-sided tape runner adhesive (available from craft stores like Spotlight). Meet new friends, have fun and take away a special project handmade by you.

**Cost is \$7 for materials each class.

Logan North Library. Monday 1:00pm - 2:30pm 5 weeks.

2nd and 4th Mondays of the month

Cost: \$7 (per class)

J215 MANDARIN FOR BEGINNERS

Face-to-face class

Beginners

Sue Jiang 0432 110 058

Email: cn_river@hotmail.com

Teaching basic Chinese language.

Logan Hyperdome Library. Monday 2:15pm - 3:45pm

J49 SPRING INTO FRENCH (MIXED BEGINNER LEVEL)

Face-to-face class

Beginners

Peter Mason

French using modern day-to-day French with interaction. Content will provide fundamentals of the language plus methods of self-improvement using free resources readily available. Whether it's resuscitating French from younger days, or starting up fresh, come join in. Our meetings include current French culture and we enjoy listening to Francophile adventures of our class members.

Contact tutor for details. Monday 3:30pm - 5:00pm

TUESDAY

M38 GUITAR CLASS - ACOUSTIC & ELECTRIC

Zoom class

Beginners, Intermediate & Advanced

Peter Petersen 3349 0061

Email: peter.petersen@bigpond.com

Learn to play guitar and sing your favourite songs.

Tuesday 9:15am - 10:45am

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

A88 PAINTING TOGETHER IS FUN

Face-to-face class

Karla Henry

Email: paintingisfun0@gmail.com

This is a face-to-face art class which meets on the second Tuesday of every month at the Karawatha Acacia Road picnic area. There will be 3 face to face classes in term 3 and the class will also use an online group to share our painting and post useful art information. Members of the class are required to bring their own art materials to the face-to-face classes. Contact tutor for more information. With the email address, the character after "Painting is Fun"

is a zero 0, not capital O.
Karawatha Acacia Road picnic area. Tuesday
9:30am - 12:00pm
Once a month on the second Tuesday of the month.

B91 ADVANCING IN TAI CHI GROUP 1

Face-to-face class

Cheryl Smith

We will be practising the principles of authentic Yang Style 85 Tai Chi as taught by Marcel in previous classes. Only previous students with this basic level accepted as this is not teaching class. Riverdale Park. Tuesday 9:30am - 10:30am

Y13 PHILOSOPHICAL DISCUSSION

Face-to-face class

Sheryn East

Contact: David or Jean Searle - Ph: 3841 2772
The group discusses a range of subjects of philosophical interest both historical and contemporary. Please contact David or Jean Searle for all enquiries: email: davidjean@bigpond.com or phone.

Contact tutor for details of venue etc. Tuesday
9:30am - 11:30am

L66 CREATIVE WRITING

Face-to-face class

Valerie Beaumont 0415 867 033

Email: blueheeler22@gmail.com
Learn how to put your stories and ideas down in print, whether they are fictional or part of your family history. Please note this is a fortnightly class..
Beenleigh Neighbourhood Centre. Tuesday
10:00am - 11:30am
Fortnightly class
Cost: \$2 (per class)

P01 CAMERA CLUB

Face-to-face class

Trevor Scott 0432 618 676 (0800 - 1800)

Email: trevorscott56@gmail.com
The class is restarting after the Covid lockdown, and will be held at the Logan North library at 1100 am on the 4th Tuesday of the month, for a trial period till September. The class will consist of a Show and Tell to discuss members' photos taken during a field trip or from an exercise using some of the camera settings, e.g. exposure, focusing, white balance etc. Enquire from tutor for further information.
Logan North Library. Tuesday 11:00am - 12:30pm 2

weeks.
4th Tuesday of the month

B21 YOGA

Face-to-face class

Sharon Uren 0438 407 896

Email: kclehubmarsden1@bigpond.com
Individual attention for people of all ages. Beneficial for those with arthritis and disabilities.
A1 Wellbeing and Learning Hub Marsden. Tuesday
1:00pm - 2:30pm

J162 FRENCH SKILLS

Face-to-face class

Col Davies

Take your French language skills to the next level. Designed for students at the A2 level of CEFR. A mix of speaking, listening, writing and reading. Contact tutor for details. Tuesday 1:00pm - 2:30pm

WEDNESDAY

J16 FUN WITH ETYMOLOGY

Face-to-face class

Carolyn Williams

Email: carolynwilliams3@gmail.com
Group discussion of the Etymology of words and their present-day use. Members research ideas and present them to the group. An interesting and enjoyable discussion follows. No previous knowledge required, only access to the Internet. A cost of \$15 per term is required as payment for hall hire. We meet in a single room, air-conditioned hall at St Edwards School in Daisy Hill. New members are very welcome. Try us out!
St Edwards Church Hall. Wednesday 10:00am - 11:30am
Cost: \$15 (per class)

J18 GERMAN - INTERMEDIATE

Face-to-face class

Erika Meerwald

Email: golden.cane@hotmail.com
Alternative contact Judith 3349 3625, Email: jbbartrop@outlook.com
Continuing course on the German language and culture.
St Peters Catholic Parish Centre. Wednesday
10:00am - 12:00pm

X83 TRAVELERS GROUP

Face-to-face class

Barry Cook 0466 094 981

Email: barrycooktravelgroup@gmail.com

Assistant Debbie Thomson 0412 122 986

A friendly, informal group where we share memories and tips. Occasionally speakers from outside give travel advice or talk about their experiences.

Elements Living. Wednesday 10:00am - 11:30am 5 weeks.

1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month

X128 FLORISTRY & FLORAL ART FOR BEGINNERS

Face-to-face class

Basic

Edwina Tam 0419 388 838 (8:00am-8:00pm)

Email: edwina838@gmail.com

Learning the basic skills of flower arranging to create different types of arrangement for special occasions. Various types of florist bows, wiring and parafilming techniques will be covered. Materials supplied from \$10. Please note, this Wednesday class is located at LOGAN CENTRAL LIBRARY NOT Marsden Library. Please email or call me to enrol.

Marsden Library. Wednesday 12:30pm - 3:00pm 5 weeks.

Every 2nd and 4th Wednesday

Cost: \$10 (per class)

E13 ECONOMICS & FINANCE FOR EVERYONE

Zoom class

Mark Davies

Email: davies78@bigpond.net.au

Understanding economics and finance and how it affects our day-to-day life, looking at current local and international events, the changes which are occurring, and those which may be required in the future. This is currently a weekly class commencing on 14th July 2021 using Zoom.

Wednesday 2:00pm - 3:30pm

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

THURSDAY

B108 CHI KUNG GENTLE EXERCISE GROUPS 1-2. ADVANCED

Face-to-face class

Advanced

Cheryl Smith

This is a class of gentle exercise "The 8 Brocades" or "8 Treasures", are said to have multiple benefits and to have been practised in China for more than 3 millennia. It is easy to learn and is designed to improve health and general wellbeing. Exercises practised are from the Shibashi (18 movements) and created from Yang style Tai Chi.

Riverdale Park. Thursday 9:30am - 11:00am

M08 UKULELE SINGALONG

Face-to-face class

Carolyn Roney 0488 367 695

Email: caroneyu3a@gmail.com

For those who have some experience playing the Ukulele or just sing along with the players. Everyone has an enjoyable time, friendly people, great music!!

Elements Living. Thursday 9:30am - 11:30am

B13 YOGA

Face-to-face class

Sharon Uren 0438 407 896

Email: kclehubmarsden1@bigpond.com

Individual attention for people of all ages. Beneficial for those with arthritis and disabilities. Class are held every Thursday for one hour.

A1 Wellbeing and Learning Hub Marsden. Thursday 1:00pm - 2:00pm

X128 FLORISTRY & FLORAL ART FOR BEGINNERS

Face-to-face class

Basic

Edwina Tam 0419 388 838 (8:00am-8:00pm)

Email: edwina838@gmail.com

Learning the basic skills of flower arranging to create different types of arrangement for special occasions. Various types of florist bows, wiring and parafilming techniques will be covered. Materials supplied from \$10. Please note class will resume in term 3 at Marsden. Class is full, however there is another class running at Logan Central Library on Wednesdays. Please email or call me to enrol. Marsden Library. Thursday 1:00pm - 3:00pm 6 weeks.

1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month

Cost: \$10 (per class)

FRIDAY

J214 SPANISH BEGINNERS

Face-to-face class

Beginners

Ae Sook Mankiewicz 0448 963 257

Email: aesookm@gmail.com

This class is for the beginners continuing, therefore new students need to be able to conjugate verbs confidently. Join us and let's have fun in learning. Beenleigh Neighbourhood Centre. Friday 9:00am - 10:15am

Cost: \$2 (per class)

J167 SPANISH BEGINNERS CONTINUING

Face-to-face class

Ae Sook Mankiewicz 0448 963 257

Email: aesookm@gmail.com

This is an intermediate class with lots of conversation. Come along and discover the world speaking Spanish. Beenleigh Neighbourhood Centre. Friday 10:30am - 11:45am

Cost: \$2 (per class)

M29 GUITAR GROUP

Face-to-face class

Grant Croft

Grant Croft 0422 331 643

croft.grant@gmail.com

Enjoy playing and learning guitar in a relaxed group. Class cost - \$2.00 per lesson. Please note there will be no singing, in line with U3A COVID Safe guidelines. Please contact Grant Croft for all enquiries.

Beenleigh Neighbourhood Centre. Friday 12:00pm - 1:30pm

Cost: \$2 (per class)

J70 FRENCH CLASS

Face-to-face class

Margaret Ortiz

A class for those who have some knowledge of French or who have completed beginners French. Contact Margaret Ortiz ph 0422 615 427

Beenleigh Neighbourhood Centre. Friday 1:30pm - 3:30pm

SOUTHSIDE CLASSES

B14 AQUAROBICS FOR SENIORS C

Face-to-face class

Suzanne Marshall 0414 531 684

Email: uhura74@hotmail.com

Class involves gentle stretching and balancing exercises in a swimming pool. Cost is cost of pool entry.

Dunlop Park Memorial Swimming Pool. Monday 1:00pm - 2:15pm

Cost: \$4.80 (per class) - entry to pool

J01 ITALIAN - SECOND YEAR

Face-to-face class

Kevin Mahoney 3847 5778

Email: kevmahoney2@bigpond.com

A language class for people who have already completed one year with Kevin or elsewhere. Venue is The Village at Coorparoo, 398 Cavendish Road, Coorparoo Qld 4151.

The Village Coorparoo. Monday 1:00pm - 2:30pm

B04 AQUAROBICS FOR SENIORS A

Face-to-face class

Suzanne Marshall 0414 531 684

Email: uhura74@hotmail.com

Class involves gentle stretching and balancing exercises in a swimming pool. Cost is cost of pool entry.

Dunlop Park Memorial Swimming Pool. Tuesday 1:00pm - 2:15pm

Cost: \$4.80 (per class) - entry to pool

J20 FRENCH ELEMENTARY

Face-to-face class

Elementary

Wendy Collins

Email: wacollins54@gmail.com

This structured course is aimed at students who have already completed a basic beginner course and wish to progress to a higher level of competency. That is, progressing from A1 (Beginner) to A2 (Elementary) on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. The course covers oral, aural and written work with an emphasis on grammar, correct pronunciation and comprehension. We will have fun learning to communicate in everyday situations and the course

will introduce French culture and history. All students will need to purchase a text book, which will be advised on enrolment.
Garden City Library. Tuesday 2:00pm - 3:15pm 8 weeks.

J53 FRENCH ELEMENTARY

Face-to-face class

Elementary

Wendy Collins

Email: wacollins54@gmail.com

This structured course is aimed at students who have already completed a basic beginner course and wish to progress to a higher level of competency. That is, progressing from A1 (Beginner) to A2 (Elementary) on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. The course covers oral, aural and written work with an emphasis on grammar, correct pronunciation and comprehension. We will have fun learning to communicate in everyday situations and the course will introduce French culture and history. All students will need to purchase a text book, which will be advised on enrolment.

Garden City Library. Tuesday 4:15pm - 5:30pm 8 weeks.

J74 ITALIAN COMMUNICATION

Face-to-face class

Italian Intermediate

Kevin Mahoney 3847 5778

Email: kevmahoney2@bigpond.com

This is NOT a conversation class. We read short stories, newspaper articles, tourist brochures etc. We deliver, in Italian, class talks (both prepared and impromptu). Interested members must have completed at least 5 years with Kevin or elsewhere and must consult with Kevin before enrolling. Venue: The Village at Coorparoo, 398 Cavendish Rd, Coorparoo.

The Village Coorparoo. Wednesday 10:00am - 11:15am

J36 ITALIAN COMMUNICATION

Face-to-face class

Kevin Mahoney 3847 5778

Email: kevmahoney2@bigpond.com

This is NOT a conversation class. We read short stories, newspaper articles, tourist brochures etc. We deliver talks, in Italian (both prepared and impromptu). Interested members must have

completed at least 3 years with Kevin or elsewhere and must consult with Kevin before enrolling. Venue: The Village at Coorparoo, 398 Cavendish Rd., Coorparoo.

The Village Coorparoo. Wednesday 12:00pm - 1:30pm

R02 A PANORAMA OF MAJOR WORLD VIEWS

Face-to-face class

Wayne Weiler 3349 9968

Email: wineeducation@hotmail.com

The concept for this class is to give participants both a broad overview as well as a more detailed examination of the major political, religious and philosophical beliefs that have framed our modern world. We examine the concept of God, humanity and the foundations of civilization. In Term 2 we will continue our study of the religion of Islam - its history, beliefs and its place in the world today. The major requirement for the class is to have an open mind and to be prepared to have your traditionally held beliefs challenged and examined. Q&A are encouraged.

Carindale Library. Wednesday 12:30pm - 1:45pm

B19 AQUAROBICS FOR SENIORS - D

Face-to-face class

Suzanne Marshall 0414 531 684

Email: uhura74@hotmail.com

Class involves gentle stretching and balancing exercises in a swimming pool. Cost is cost of pool entry.

Dunlop Park Memorial Swimming Pool. Wednesday 1:00pm - 2:15pm

Cost: \$4.80 (per class) - entry to pool

J186 FRENCH ELEMENTARY ADVANCED

Face-to-face class

Elementary A2/B1

Wendy Collins

Email: wacollins54@gmail.com

This course is for students who already have an elementary knowledge of the French language. The course covers oral, aural and written work with an emphasis on grammar, correct pronunciation and comprehension. We will have fun learning to communicate in everyday situations and the course will introduce French culture and history. All students will need to purchase a text book, which will be advised on enrolment. This is a structured course that equates to level A2/B1 in the Common

European Framework of Reference for Languages.
Garden City Library. Wednesday 2:00pm - 3:15pm

J46 FRENCH ELEMENTARY ADVANCED

Face-to-face class

Elementary A2/B1

Wendy Collins

Email: wacollins54@gmail.com

This course is for students who already have an elementary knowledge of the French language. The course covers oral, aural and written work, with an emphasis on grammar, correct pronunciation and comprehension. We will have fun learning to communicate in everyday situations and the course will introduce French culture and history. All students will need to purchase a text book, which will be advised on enrolment. This is a structured course that equates to level A2/B1 in the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. Garden City Library. Wednesday 4:15pm - 5:30pm

A49 CARD MAKING FOR BOTH BEGINNERS & EXPERIENCED

Face-to-face class

Beginners and experienced

Jackie Cook

Join Jackie, an experienced and passionate card maker, as you learn fabulous paper crafting techniques each session. All materials for two lovely projects will be provided on the day – you need to bring a tape runner adhesive (available from Spotlight, Lincraft), pencil, ruler and small sharp scissors. Great opportunity to learn new skills, meet new friends and take away something special. Projects will be seasonally based. 2nd Thursday of the month (subject to library) 11:15am - 1:15pm. Coopers Plains Library. Thursday 11:15am - 1:15pm
2nd Thursday of the month
Cost: \$6 (per class) - \$8-cost of materials.

B07 AQUAROBICS FOR SENIORS B

Face-to-face class

Suzanne Marshall 0414 531 684

Email: uhura74@hotmail.com

Class involves gentle stretching and balancing exercises in a swimming pool. Cost is cost of pool entry.

Dunlop Park Memorial Swimming Pool. Thursday 1:00pm - 2:15pm

Cost: \$4.80 (per class) - entry to pool

X15 EXPERIENCING CHINA

Face-to-face class

Bryan Iles 3343 3141

Email: bryaniles@bigpond.com

This program provides the opportunity to study various aspects of China including special topics such as Chinese New Year, its legend, its importance and its impact on China. Other topics include study of the social and political structure of China, including the four forms of local government. Within each local government region time is spent looking at the geography, location, economy and any other important features. Topics such as infrastructure development: roads, railways, fast speed train network, airports and water resources. Living standards and lifestyle changes are discussed, with a particular emphasis on the rapid change.

Sunnybank Hills Library. Friday 1:00pm - 2:30pm 7 weeks.

NORTHSIDE CLASSES

P08 DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY - BEYOND POINT-AND-SHOOT

Zoom class

Peter Hardie 0407 670 941

Email: pshardie@gmail.com

Want to move beyond full auto point-and-shoot? Become a better photographer by learning your camera's creative settings and how best to use them to improve your images. Cameras must be either DSLR or mirrorless with interchangeable lenses. Please provide camera details (make and model) when enrolling. Cost: FREE
Monday 10:00am - 12:00pm
Cost: \$25 (recommended)

J163 ITALIAN - CONTINUING STUDENTS

Face-to-face class

Remo Boccabella

Email: remo.boccabella@bigpond.com

A class for those who wish to learn Italian in an enjoyable environment. The class is intended to take students from beginners to confident speakers of Italian. The tutor is an Italian speaker and has taught Italian to primary and secondary students and to adults. The class will include both oral and written language skills. IMPORTANT- please contact tutor

by email first before enrolling to ensure suitability for class.

Ashgrove Library. Monday 1:00pm - 2:30pm

There may be minor costs for photocopying at the beginning of each term.

B111 CROQUET FOR BEGINNERS

Face-to-face class

Beginners

Hedi Trask

Email: info@toombulcroquet.com

Come and try for three weeks [\$10.00 per session for use of venue]. You will need a sunhat and flat shoes. If you like the game and wish to continue, we can arrange lessons with an accredited coach at \$10.00 each lesson.

Toombul Croquet Centre. Wednesday 9:00am - 10:30am

Three weeks only

Cost: \$10 (per class)

E10 THE NATURE & THEORY OF CRIME

Face-to-face class

Lawrence di Bartolo

Email: ldibartolo3@gmail.com

The aim of this course will predominately be to look at the major explanations of crime since the 18th century to the present. Issues explored include: what is crime, is what is deemed criminal activity today necessarily going to be criminal in the future, measuring crime, fear of crime, the death penalty, and how can we reduce crime. There will be a particular focus on violence against women and how issues of social justice impact on crime. The above aim will be achieved through group discussion, stimulus reading and practical exercises.

Grange Library. Wednesday 10:00am - 12:00pm

B09 NORTHSIDE WALKING GROUP

Face-to-face class

Marlene Fennell 3862 9666 (Any time)

Email: marlene.fennell@gmail.com

Co-Leaders: Marlene and Roy Fennell

Phone Marlene or Roy for Roster details - we use various walking tracks around North Brisbane including coastal locations. Must be able to drive to rostered walking locations. There is a coffee stop at the end of the two hour walk, with a 10-15 minute break halfway. Wear comfortable walking shoes, bring hat, water, umbrella, etc. Walk locations as per current Walk Roster issued each Term.

Leader will advise location. Thursday 7:00am - 9:00am

J205 ITALIAN CONVERSATION

Face-to-face class

Basic conversation

Maria Brunetto 3264 3373

A fun class with Italian conversation. A happy group of people meet every week to take a verbal trip to Italy. The group comprises those who have already travelled to Italy and those who intend to go. Those who have been to Italy enjoy telling of their experiences in this magical country where you can wine, dine and dance under the Tuscan sun. I take my students on a tour of Italy from the mighty Dolomites down to the toe with stops in the Northern Lakes, Como, Maggiore and Garda. Visit cities of Milan, Firenze, Pisa, Siena, Perugia, Roma. New members should have some basic Italian, especially grammar.

Albany Creek Library. Thursday 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Please telephone tutor before enrolling.

One-off payment per term for room hire.

A83 ART - PENCIL & CHARCOAL PORTRAITURE

Face-to-face class

Carol Owens

Email: carolowmi@gmail.com

I am a keen amateur artist and will provide sessions focusing on drawing of portraits. Due to the COVID-19 response, this class is conducted via an email discussion group and twice a month catch-ups in New Farm Park. We use the mediums of pencil and charcoal predominantly. Students should hope to develop their ability to capture and produce proportionately accurate and realistic portraits.

New Farm Park. Friday 12:00pm - 2:30pm

Weekly email discussion group and class 1st and 3rd Friday of month.

B78 NORTHSIDE SUNDAY WALKING GROUP - EASY

Face-to-face class

Easy

Dorme Leung 0449 958 892 (day time)

Email: dormei33@hotmail.com

Contact Rhonwen on 3268 1851

On each Sunday, walk is for one hour in Kalinga Park, mostly flat walk. The Park is a section of Brisbane City Council "Mountain to Mangrove walking trail". Sunday walking group is a social

group, twice a month visiting various Gardens, or an evening walk along the foreshore and a meal of fish & chips etc. There is coffee time in local cafe after each walk. Wear comfortable shoes and sun hat. Walk begins at 7.00am (1st April to 30 September). Meet at Toombul Shopping Centre Sandgate Road main entry at Toombul Good Car parking . New members are welcome.
Toombul Shopping Centre. Sunday 7:00am - 8:00am

WESTSIDE CLASSES

U01 PALMISTRY

Face-to-face class

Lloyd Hamilton

Email: l.h.hamilton@bigpond.com

This course introduces you to the person who owns your hand. You will have the opportunity to learn more about yourself, and you will be more able to help other people.

Indooroopilly Library Mtg Rm. Monday 12:00pm - 2:30pm

1st 2nd and 3rd Monday of Month only

A54 ART GROUP - WESTSIDE

Face-to-face class

Suzanne Bones

Email: sandlbones82@bigpond.com

If you enjoy painting or sketching you are welcome to join this group of friendly Westside artists. We meet every Tuesday morning to paint, sketch etc share ideas and support each other. Each artist brings his/her own subject to work on. Mediums used are watercolour and acrylic paints, pencil, coloured pencils, pastel pencils, pen or charcoal (any medium except oils). This is an UNTUTORED GROUP, however if you have always hoped to encourage your creative side to grow, please come along. Please bring personal water bottle. No coffee or tea is to be prepared in premises due to COVID 19.

James Ommaney Retirement Village. Tuesday 9:30am - 12:00pm

Cost: \$2 (per class) - Donated to the James Ommaney Social Club

L05 BOOK DISCUSSION

Zoom class

Marie Scott

Email: marie.rosalie.scott@bigpond.com

Assistant Tutor: Coral McKillop

Designed to stimulate interest and enhance reading pleasure. Contact Convenor for the venue.

Tuesday 10:00am - 12:00pm

First Tuesday of the month.

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

E04 EMERGING CONTEMPORARY ISSUES

Face-to-face class

Lloyd Hamilton

Email: l.h.hamilton@bigpond.com

A variety of topical issues. Presentation then discussion.

Indooroopilly Library Mtg Rm. Thursday 10:00am - 12:00pm

Every 2nd and 4th Thursday

X03 CINEMA GROUP

Face-to-face class

Carmel Holmes

Email: go.carmel@bigpond.com

Group viewing. 3rd Sunday in month. The theatre is situated at 381 Honour Ave., Graceville. Please email, text convenor or ring after 4.00pm to advise if attending. Please check with convenor.

Regal Theatre. Sunday 9:45am - 2:15pm

3rd Sunday in the month

WYNNUM AND DISTRICT

Y05 PHILOSOPHY ANCIENT & MODERN

Face-to-face class

David Anderson 3396 9036

Email: david_anderson8@bigpond.com

Discussion of ideas from Ancient Greece to the 21st Century. How philosophy is relevant and ideas through the ages still apply to issues of today. Enquiries welcome.

Wynnum Library. Monday 1:30pm - 3:00pm

K16 WYNNUM CREATIVE WRITERS

Zoom class

Beginners to experienced

Val Gadd 0409 346 463

Email: imthegad1@hotmail.com

Develop your creative abilities by writing with us. Join our lively, enthusiastic group; our emphasis is on fiction, but you can write biographical, genealogical or historical pieces. We write and critique a short story each week, another each month and a longer story at Christmas. No previous experience needed, beginners or experienced writers welcome. **This class is now full.

Tuesday 9:30am - 11:30am

Weekly; generally continue during school holidays, but have a break at Christmas.

Cost: \$25 (recommended)

A17 PENMANSHIP & MORE

Face-to-face class

Beginners to Advanced

Donna Blacklock

Email: robonna1@optusnet.com.au

Learn and practise at your own pace the art of beautiful handwriting in a friendly, supportive & encouraging atmosphere. Classes are conducted in a "Workshop" format rather than a structured classroom environment. Students will be exposed to a variety of scripts e.g. Italic, Gothic, & Copperplate. Whilst the main focus of the class is to develop the student's penmanship skills, from time to time other students will share their special talents such as card making and drawing, with the rest of the class. Beginners are most welcome. More advanced students wishing to fine-tune a particular skill, will be encouraged to achieve this

Wynnum Library. Friday 12:30pm onwards.

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