



Gold Mine Tours (All tours run for 45 minutes)

THE SECRET CHAMBER

Level 3 - 4

Focus Community and First Contacts

The inspiring story of two Chinese brothers who sought their fortune in Victoria's New Gold Mountain.

LABYRINTH OF GOLD

Level 5 - 6

Focus From Colony to Nation

An underground journey to discover the working life of Ballarat's early miners.

TRAPPED

Level 9 - 10

Focus The Making of the Modern World and Australia

The dramatic story of the 1882 disaster that struck in the New Australasian No. 2 Mine at Creswick.

AURA - EVENING SOUND-AND-LIGHT SHOW (60 mins)

AURA is a multi-sensory sound-and-light show presenting the story of gold in all its wondrous forms. The atmospheric storytelling covers 64 acres, with hundreds of stunning projections to create an immersive storytelling experience that transports you back in time. The Wadawurrung creation story is told with projections on a magnificent lake, gunfights and protests erupt under the night sky, and the gold rush is brought to life as never before. You will feel the vibrations as stars explode in front of your eyes, watch as the land is transformed by the gold rush, and dive into the chaos of the Eureka Rebellion as you witness the creation and discovery of the world's most precious metal.

Victorian Curriculum Links

- History
- Media Arts
- English: Reading & Viewing

EVENING THEATRE PERFORMANCE (60 mins)

Students will enjoy participating as an audience member in a Pantomime an interactive theatre piece performed for entertainment. Interpretive theatre is a key element for our living museum. Students will experience the theatre and key drama skills as performers shape characters, use voice and movement in improvisation and play-build performances of devised and scripted drama for them

Victorian Curriculum Links

- History
- Drama

* Available to school groups who have booked the sound-and-light show and are staying more than 1 night at camp, minimum numbers required

Discover It Yourself Learning designed for schools wishing to undertake self-guided experiences when at the museum. Visit <https://sovereignhill.com.au/education-sessions> to learn more

Social Stories designed to support students in attending our Living Museum. Visit <https://sovereignhill.com.au/social-stories> for further details.