

in Australia

Academic Study Programs

with a Purpose



Students conducting invertebrate study. Daintree Rainforest

Since 1996, Banora International Group has been creating programs to meet the needs of an ever-evolving youth market. **Academic Study Programs, with a Purpose** combines unique quintessential Australian experiences incorporating the United Nations SDG goals into each program. We aim to continue to be leaders in the study tourism market and to have a positive impact on our FUTURE leaders.

ASP Programs

ASP provides a large variety of academic topics that include but are not limited to:

- Biology & Ecology
- Environmental Sustainability
- Health & Welfare
- Marine Biology
- Endangered Wildlife
- Sports Science
- Agriculture
- Business
- Tourism & Hospitality
- And more...

Program lengths range from a half day through to several weeks. These programs are tailored to meet individual client needs

Interactive Learning

ACADEMIC STUDY PROGRAMS, with a PURPOSE are ambitious, innovative and result focused. Students will study in and OUT OF THE CLASSROOM with an outcome focused program discussed with the school and put in place before arrival.

Programs can be focused around study of ESL or vocational lectures within structured classes or students may experience a combination of many unique interactive activities.

Examples of HANDS ON interactive activities:

- Water quality testing in different ecosystems
- Eye on the Reef assessment program
- Participate in an SDG volunteer experience (i.e. tree planting)

We continue to "create life changing experiences; building life-long friendships; achieving lifetime memories" through combining culture, nature, wildlife, volunteering, history, language and learning into our programs.



Ambassadors

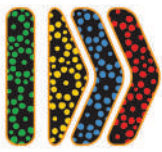
Upon completion of an ASP program, students will become ambassadors of the Great Barrier Reef and the Rainforest which enables them to connect to our region and be part of the ongoing commitment of our city and to the management of our environment.



AusID Global App

All of our students will participate in the new and exciting AusID App. AusID GLOBAL is a uniquely Australian approach to personality profiling that is fun, effective and easy to apply. Students complete an online app, consisting of a series of questions which have no right or wrong answers, to profile the individual. Once completed, the student will be matched with one of four Australian animals which becomes their totem.

Learning about the characteristics of their totem assists the student to have a greater awareness and understanding of themselves in relation to work, life and learning. It assists students and their teachers to understand the individual's values and deeper needs when considering future study options or choice of career. Most importantly, it teaches students it's ok to BELIEVE in themselves and have a positive SELF AWARENESS. Students are provided with an introduction to their personality type.



**AusID
GLOBAL**

In a world where you can be anything, be yourself.

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

All Academic Study Programs relate to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). SDGs are a shared strategy for peace and prosperity worldwide for both the present and the future. There are 17 goals that are an urgent call to action for citizens of the world to come together to achieve by 2030 to preserve our oceans, forests and people of our amazing planet. Banora International Group (BIG) is committed to promoting and contributing to responsible sustainable tourism whilst raising awareness of environmental and cultural issues. BIG is committed to raising awareness of and promoting the United Nations SDG goals and both incorporating these and how every person that participates in a BIG program can help make a difference to our future environment. All students will follow the SDG goals throughout their program. Existing products have been adapted to incorporate or mirror the goals and new products have been developed specifically to meet the call to action. To continue in the SDG goal ethos, students will be presented with a drinking bottle on arrival as well as a lunchbox, so they do not have the need for any single use plastic during their stay. Participants will be provided with a SDG Passport to complete during their program. The purpose of this passport is to encourage students to start making changes in their everyday lives and to be a part of the global change.

<https://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/>

