

Online Research Websites

Australian Newspapers: <https://trove.nla.gov.au>

Births, Deaths and Marriages: (choose researching family history)

VIC – <https://www.bdm.vic.gov.au>

NSW – <https://www.nsw.gov.au/departments-and-agencies/births-deaths-marriages>

SA – <https://www.sa.gov.au/topics/family-and-community/births-deaths-and-marriages>

QLD – <https://www.familyhistory.bdm.qld.gov.au>

TAS – <https://www.justice.tas.gov.au/bdm/home>

WA – <https://www.wa.gov.au/organisation/departments-of-justice/the-registry-of-births-deaths-and-marriages>

Cemetery Records: (Based on death certificate - search local cemetery websites first)

National Library - <https://www.nla.gov.au/research-guides/cemetery-records#>

Find a grave – <https://www.findagrave.com>

Billion Graves – <https://billiongraves.com>

Ryersons Index - <https://www.ryersonindex.org> (death notices)

Convict Records: <https://convictrecords.com.au/convicts>

National Australian Archives (Military Records):

<https://www.naa.gov.au/explore-collection/defence-and-war-service-records>

Public Records Office of Victoria (PROV):

<https://prov.vic.gov.au/explore-collection/explore-topic/family-history>

Includes Aboriginal mission stations and reserves, Cemeteries, Census records, Divorce, State Education, Health Records, Inquests, Passenger records and immigration, Register of Prisoners, Researching land and property, Wills and Probates.

State Library: (apply for free membership card to access resources and webinars)

<https://www.slv.vic.gov.au/search-discover/family-history>

UK Resources:

Genuki: <https://www.genuki.org.uk>

Scotlands People: <https://www.scotlandspeople.gov.uk>

Benalla Family Research Resources: (resources available)

<https://www.benallafamilyresearchgroup.org/libraryrecords>

OPENING HOURS: Our Research Room at the Old St. Andrews Hall in Church Street, Benalla (at the end of Mair Street) is open every Tuesday and Wednesday (including Public Holidays) from 10.00 am - 4.00 pm.