



# Refugee Week

## Activity planning guide



**Refugee Week** is an annual event that celebrates the rich diversity and valuable contribution refugees and people seeking asylum make to Australian society. It helps to create a culture of welcome throughout the country.

Here are two simple steps to take when planning your Refugee Week activity.

### Step 1 - Define the goal of the activity

For example:

- Connect with, welcome and support people who are new to Australia
- Discover and celebrate the contributions refugees bring to Australia
- Educate ourselves about the issues that affect refugees and listen to the stories of those seeking asylum
- Elevate the voice of refugees in Australia
- Do something positive for people seeking asylum and refugee status in Australia and/or around the world

### Step 2 - Choose an activity

For example:

- Pray for refugees and people seeking asylum
- Organise small discussion groups using the Conversation Cards included in the pack
- Organise a worship service around the Refugee Week theme
- Host a community lunch to celebrate the diversity and contribution of people seeking asylum and refugees



*Please ensure that your activity  
complies with the latest COVID-19  
rules and guidelines.*

