

MISSING VOICES

Untold Stories

There's 7.6 billion people in the world. That's 7.6 billion stories!



We all have unique personal experiences. When we tell our life story to other people, it's called an *oral history*.

Oral history shows how individuals and communities experience events in their own words, with their own voices, and through their own understanding of what happened and why.

The Islamic Museum of Australia interviewed 70 Australian Muslims from all over Victoria. Their oral histories were shared in an exhibition which can be viewed at islamicmuseum.org.au/missing-voices.

What's your life story? How is it different to someone else's? Let's find out!

You will need:

- A print out of this worksheet
- A pencil or pen
- A friend or family member to interview

My life story

Date:

My name is

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But, everyone calls me

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I was born on

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I started school in the year

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My best friend's name is

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The last thing I ate was

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My favourite thing to do is

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When I do my favourite thing, I feel

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..... 's life story

Date:

What is your name?

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What does everyone call you?

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When is your birthday?

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What year did you start school?

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What is your best friend's name?

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What was the last food you ate?

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What is your favourite thing to do?

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How do you feel when you do your favourite thing?

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