

# Three Day Snapshot

*A short, focused journey bringing the Outback to life*



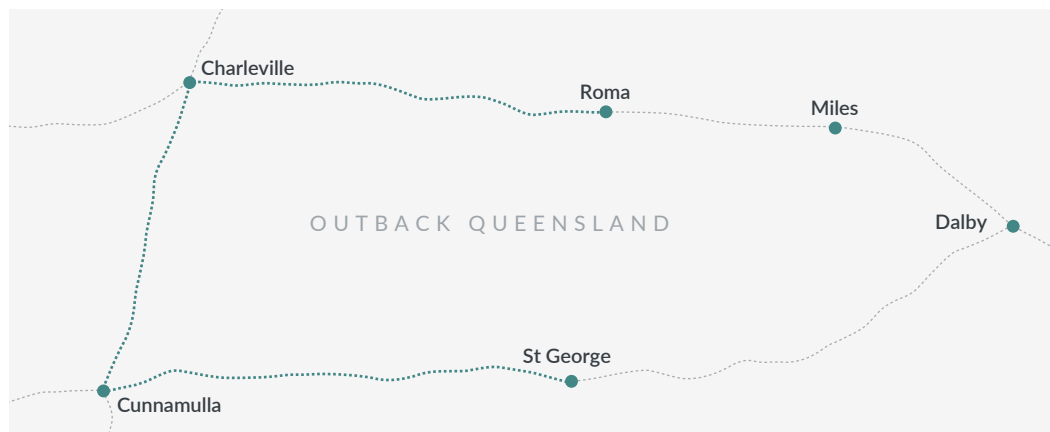
Roma Saleyards



Charleville Cosmos Centre



WWII Secret Base



**3 Days  
2 Nights**



## Journey

**Roma to Charleville**  
approx. 267km / 2h 53m

**Charleville to Cunnamulla**  
approx. 199km / 2h 8m

**Cunnamulla to St George**  
approx. 293km / 3h 7m

### 1 Day one - Roma to Charleville

#### Morning:

Arrive in Roma and begin at the Roma Saleyards, where students learn about livestock systems, the beef supply chain, animal welfare and the economic importance of agriculture in regional Queensland.

#### Afternoon:

Travel to Charleville and visit the WWII Secret Base. Students explore interactive exhibits on wartime aviation, meteorology and the role of the United States Army Air Forces in Outback Australia during the 1940s.

#### Evening:

Check into Charleville accommodation. Optional early evening visit to the Cosmos Centre for astronomy presentations (subject to timing).

### 2 Day two - Charleville to Cunnamulla to St George

#### Morning:

Depart Charleville and travel to Cunnamulla. Visit the Cunnamulla Fella Centre and the Artesian Time Tunnel, where students learn about the Great Artesian Basin, groundwater systems, regional geology and early settlement.

#### Afternoon:

Continue to St George, stopping in Bollon to visit the Nullawokka First Nations Gallery & Keeping Place. Students explore Kooma culture through local artwork, storytelling and cultural interpretation.

Arrive in St George and complete a short Balonne River interpretive walk, focusing on the river's role in the Murray-Darling Basin, water management and river ecology.

#### Evening:

Overnight in St George with dinner and group activities at leisure.

### 3 Day three - St George (Return/Departure)

#### Morning:

Choose from a short selection of St George learning activities:

- Sandytown River Cruise – guided commentary on wildlife, river health and water use.
- Cotton or horticulture farm visit (subject to availability) – irrigation, crop cycles, machinery.
- The Unique Egg – illuminated emu eggs and migrant stories of regional Australia.

#### Afternoon:

Depart St George for the return journey or onward travel.

**NOTE:** This itinerary is provided by way of example only and is not an exhaustive list of available activities in the region. Each school should consider whether it is suitable for their group and amend as required.