



A MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF OF THE DEFENCE FORCE

Bears to Schools provides young Australians with an engaging way to learn about the Australian experience during the First World War.

Delivered with instructional materials, each Anzac Bear can be used by teachers to educate young students about our military history, and assist them to better understand the First World War through age-appropriate stories.

I am pleased to lend my support to this important community based initiative, to honour Australia's history, and support former serving personnel by raising money for veterans' charities.

I encourage Australians to purchase a bear as part of a personal commitment to supporting our ANZACs, 100 years since the end of the First World War.

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Chief of the Defence Force

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