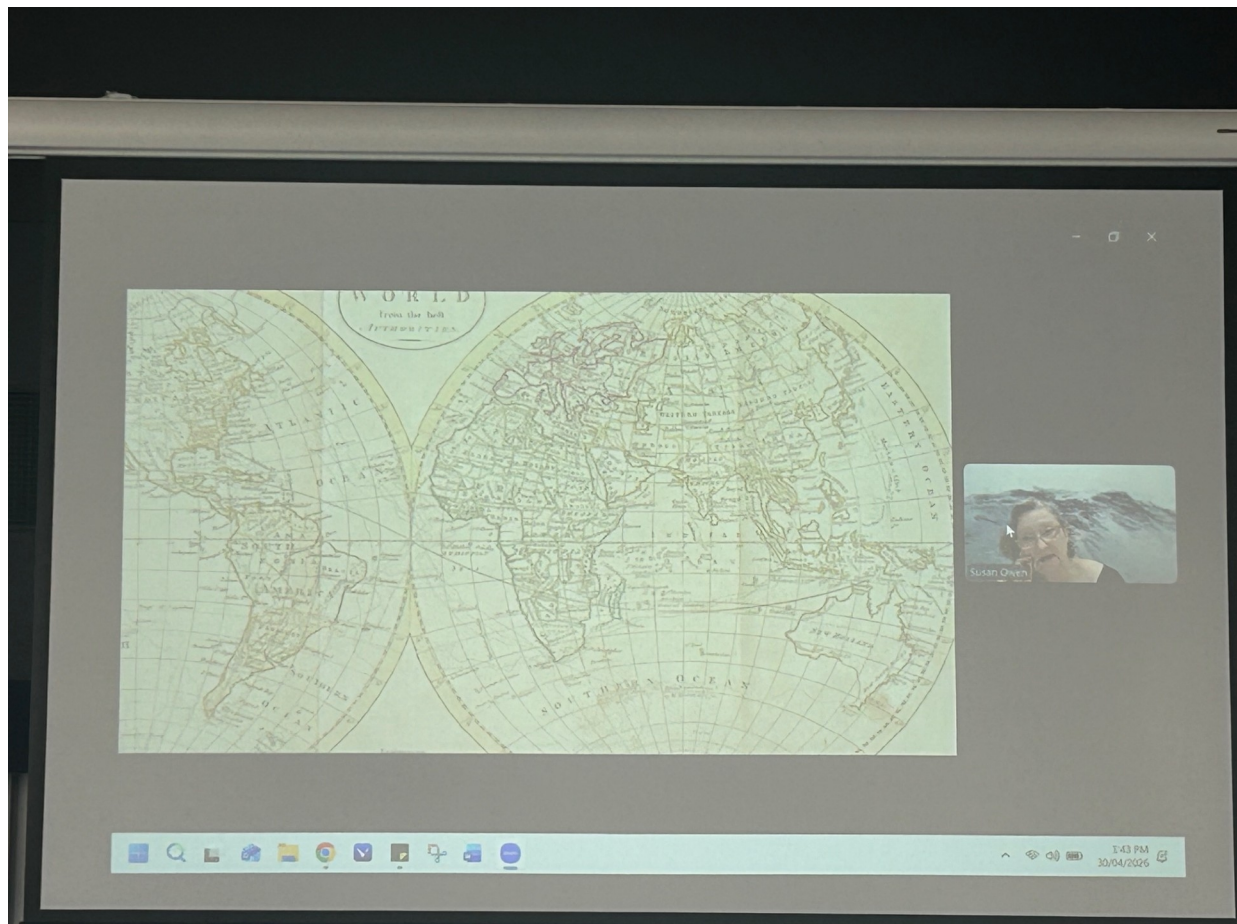




## YEAR 4 DISCOVER AUSTRALIA'S HISTORY

**Year 4 have been immersed in their History unit on Australia's past.**

This week, students participated in their first virtual excursion with the State Library of NSW, where an expert librarian taught them about the experiences of convicts on the First Fleet. Students also explored the experiences of Aboriginal peoples at the time of colonisation, building a deeper understanding of this significant period in Australia's history.



Using primary sources such as paintings, journals and maps, students examined the journey of the eleven ships and gained insight into daily life for convicts during this time.

Year 4 are looking forward to continuing their exploration of this topic throughout Term 2.

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