



Teacher Resource

Acting Jobs

Focus Questions

Discuss the BTN High story as a class and record the main points of discussion. Students will then respond to the following:

1. What are the advantages of film/TV productions being filmed in Australia?
2. Why are acting jobs so hard to get in Australia? Explain.
3. What impact could AI have on the industry?
4. What could be done to encourage big acting roles to go to Australian actors, instead of international artists?

Activities

- Design and create a video/social media advertisement for [Tourism Australia](#), encouraging international film/TV production companies to film in Australia.
- In small groups, discuss how Australia could encourage more local film production in our country. Share your discussion points with the class.
- Write an essay about the impact AI is having on the film industry and on actors. Use an example of an actor who has been directly affected.
- Interview an actor about working in the profession. Include questions about the training they did to become an actor, what the audition process is and what skills and personal traits you need to be an actor.

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KEY LEARNING

Students will discuss the film industry, and the impacts such as AI that could have an affect on young Aussie actors.

CURRICULUM

[Economics and Business – Year 8 \(v8.4\)](#)

[Economics and Business – Year 8 \(v9.0\)](#)

[Digital Technologies – Years 7 and 8 \(v8.4\) - 1](#)

[Digital Technologies – Years 7 and 8 \(v8.4\) - 2](#)

[Digital Technologies – Years 9 and 10 \(v9.0\)](#)

[Health and PE – Years 7 and 8 \(V8.4\)](#)

[Health and PE – Years 9 and 10 \(v9.0\)](#)