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This document provides the teacher with the details of the lesson.

At a glance

This lesson aims to provide students with an opportunity to review their understandings, knowledge and skills that have been learned during the unit and to identify any gaps that exist.

This lesson provides students with an opportunity to reflect on the success of their own learning strategies and tools, and to identify any of these with which they require additional support.

For an assessment guide and key lesson objectives, refer to the Unit outline.

INQuIRY focus: Review

The *Review* phase is designed to provide students with hands-on experiences of culture phenomena. Students explore ideas, collect evidence, discuss their observations and keep records. The *Review* phase ensures all students have a shared experience that can be discussed and explained.

Teacher background information

In 1977, the two Voyager spacecraft were launched. They were sent into space in the hope that somewhere, someday, another life form would find them. Included in both of these spacecraft are the Voyager golden records. These records are the 'sounds of Earth,' and aim to share information about Earth. There are also some images on the cover of the records.

Equipment

> *Review of culture – Student worksheet.*

Lesson steps

1. Discuss the Voyager spacecraft and the Voyager golden records with the students.
2. Students are to think about what they would send out into space as a representation of our world and culture.
3. Students answer the question in Activity 2 about what they have learned in this unit.
4. Students fill in the Self-review - Student worksheet.