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Key Aboriginal family history resources to start your research at the State Library of Western Australia

Guides to information and records

- **Katitjin : a guide to Indigenous records in the Battye library / Heather Campbell**
available in hardcopy, 3rd floor reference Q 016.30589915 CAM
or download your copy at: <http://www.slwa.wa.gov.au/pdf/katitjinsep03.pdf>
- **Looking West : a guide to Aboriginal records in Western Australia / Records Taskforce of Western Australia**
available in the Battye Library or download your copy at:
<http://www.lookingwest.communitydevelopment.wa.gov.au/>
- **Lookin' For Your Mob / Diane Smith and Boronia Halstead**
3rd floor reference 929.1 SMI
- **Finding Your Family Photographs : major photographic collections of Aboriginal people in Western Australia / Centre for Indigenous History and the Arts, University of Western Australia**
3rd floor cabinet Q 026.7792 FIN

Names indexes

- **AIATSIS Aboriginal Biographical Index [online resource]**
<http://www.aiatsis.gov.au/afu/abi.html>
- **SRO Index to the Chief Protector of Aborigines Files, 1898-1908 [online resource]**
<http://www.sro.wa.gov.au/community/aboriginalhistory-index.asp>
Also available in hard-copy, 3rd floor stack Q 016.9941004 STA
- **Nyungar Tradition: glimpses of Aborigines of South-Western Australia, 1829-1914 / Lois Tilbrook [online resource]**
3rd floor microfilm B/994 TIL, also available online through the State Library's catalogue
- **Personal names index / Aboriginal Affairs Planning Authority; compiled by Jennie Carter**
3rd floor reference Q 353.5349 WES
- **Aboriginal names of the Pilbara c1870-1890, the Gascoyne c1880-1890, and the Kimberley c1880-1890 / Neville Green**
3rd floor reference B/994 GRE
- **Aboriginal names of the south West c1841-1890 / Neville Green**
3rd floor reference B/994 GRE
- **Aboriginal names of the Murchison District, c1848-1890 / Neville Green**
3rd floor reference B/994 GRE



- **Aborigines of the Albany region, 1821-1898 / by Neville Green**
in The Bicentennial dictionary of Western Australians (Vol. 6)
3rd floor reference B/994 BIC
- **Aborigines of New Norcia, 1845-1914 / by Neville Green**
in The Bicentennial dictionary of Western Australians (Vol. 7)
3rd floor reference B/994 BIC
- **Aborigines of the South-West region, 1829-1840 / by Sylvia J Hallam and Lois Tilbrook**
in The Bicentennial dictionary of Western Australians (Vol. 8)
3rd floor reference B/994 BIC
- **Far from home : Aboriginal prisoners of Rottnest Island, 1835-1931 / by Neville Green and Susan Moon**
3rd floor reference B/994 GRE

Genealogies and family trees

- **Nyungar Tradition : glimpses of Aborigines of South-Western Australia, 1829-1914 / Lois Tilbrook [online resource]**
3rd floor microfilm B/994 TIL, also available online through the State Library's catalogue
- **Aboriginal genealogies, 197-?**
ACC 3286A, MN 1053
Includes the following surnames: Anderson, Blurton (nee Boundry), Bropho (nee Spratt), Councillor, Serschow, Dickie, Garlett, Gentle, Gillespie, Humphries, Latham, Macintosh, Middleton, Moore, Mourish, Taylor, and Yarran.
- **The Western Desert Ngalia People : Ngalia genealogies, Mangkili & beyond / compiled by Peter Muir from information provided by Pukungka Wogabu Dolly Walker**
3rd floor stack Q 929.3941 MUI
- **Genealogy of a Ngalia family / Peter Muir**
3rd floor shelves Q B/994 MUI

Some key published material for biographical information and photographs

- **Mission Girls : Aboriginal women on Catholic Missions in the Kimberley, Western Australia, 1900-1950 / Christine Choo**
3rd floor shelves 266.2 CHO
- **Mt. Margaret : A drop in a bucket / Margaret Morgan**
3rd floor reference 266.09 MOR
- **The Oombulgurri Story : a pictorial history of the people of Oombulgurri 1884-1988 / Neville Green**
3rd floor shelves Q 266.3 OOM
- **Sort of a Place Like Home : Remembering the Moore River Native Settlement / Susan Maushart**
3rd floor shelves 994.12004 MAU
- **This is Your Place : Beagle Bay Mission, 1890-1990 / Remi Balagai et al.**
3rd floor shelves 266.2 THI
- **Yammatji : Aboriginal memories of the Gascoyne / Bryan Clark**
3rd floor shelves 305.89915 CLA

