Data from the latest National Assessment Program – Civics and Citizenship (NAP-CC) for Year 6 and Year 10 has been released. NAP-CC also gathers students' attitudes on a range of issues. In Australia, one of the aims of civics and citizenship education is to develop understanding and appreciation of Indigenous histories and cultures. Here are the proportions of students who agreed with NAP-CC survey statements regarding Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures, traditions and peoples.

**Year 6**

- Australia should support the cultural traditions and languages of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. 95%
- Australia has a responsibility to improve the quality of life of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. 91%
- It is important to recognise traditional ownership of their land by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. 93%
- All Australians have much to learn from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' cultures, traditions and people. 88%
- All Australians should be given the chance to learn about reconciliation between Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and other Australians. 92%

**Year 10**

- Australia should support the cultural traditions and languages of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. 92%
- Australia has a responsibility to improve the quality of life of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. 88%
- It is important to recognise traditional ownership of their land by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. 90%
- All Australians have much to learn from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' cultures, traditions and people. 82%
- All Australians should be given the chance to learn about reconciliation between Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and other Australians. 89%

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