



# TIMELINE

*Growing Up in Australia: The Longitudinal Study of Australian Children*

Federal Government announces intention to develop a national longitudinal study of children and their families.

Wave 1 fieldwork commences.

*Growing Up in Australia* officially launched by The Hon. Kay Patterson, Minister for Family and Community Services at the Melbourne Museum.

Wave 2 fieldwork commences.

Two initial episodes of 'Life at' series (Life at 1) screens on ABC TV. The documentary draws on the experience of the *Growing Up in Australia* study.



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Wave 3 fieldwork commences.

The inaugural LSAC conference is held in Melbourne.

Wave 4 fieldwork commences.

Wave 5 fieldwork commences.

*Growing Up in Australia* turns 10!



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Wave 6 fieldwork commences.

The *Life at 9* documentary screens on ABC1 (the last of the 'Life at' documentary series).

*Growing Up in Australia's* Child Health CheckPoint commences.

Wave 7 fieldwork commences.

Wave 8 fieldwork commences.



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Wave 9 fieldwork commences.

Wave 9 fieldwork goes online and is revised to focus on impacts of COVID-19 and natural disasters.



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