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Defence Records at the National Archives of Australia





http://www.naa.gov.au/collection/a-z/researching-war-service.aspx

South African War (Boer War), 1899-1902

All Boer War dossiers have been digitized and are available to view online.

First World War, 1914-18

World War I service records are held by NAA and all have been digitized and are available to view online.

If a soldier saw service in both the First and the Second World Wars, the record has usually been amalgamated in the Second World War service record.

Second World War, 1939-45

Second World War service records are held by NAA. Some online copies of World War II service records already exist.

You can order an online copy of any that haven't been digitized for \$69.00.

Post-Second World War conflicts

All records of service in the Army after World War II, including service in Korea, Malaya and Vietnam, are maintained by the Central Army Records Office.

You can apply for post–Second World War service records through the National Archives.

Other records relating to wartime service

Royal Australian Navy (RAN)

- Service up to 1970
- Service after 1970

Royal Australian Air Force (RAAF)

• Service up to and including World War II

Service after World War II

NAA also holds:

- civilian service
- courts-martial files
- merchant navy
- munitions workers
- soldier settlement
- veterans' case files
- war gratuities