

# Making a Commitment

The final stage in the process of becoming an Australian citizen is making the Australian Citizenship Pledge at a ceremony. There are two versions of the Australian Citizenship Pledge.

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Australian citizens also have the opportunity to affirm their loyalty to Australia by making the Australian citizenship affirmation.

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## Australian Citizenship Pledge

*F*rom this time forward, under God,  
I pledge my loyalty to Australia and its people,  
whose democratic beliefs I share,  
whose rights and liberties I respect, and  
whose laws I will uphold and obey.

This version of the **Australian Citizenship Pledge** includes the words 'under God'.



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## Australian Citizenship Affirmation by an Australian citizen

*A*s an Australian citizen,  
I affirm my loyalty to Australia and its people,  
whose democratic beliefs I share,  
whose rights and liberties I respect, and  
whose laws I uphold and obey.