

CANBERRA CEMETERIES INFORMATION SHEET



Headstone Allotment



Available at Gungahlin and Woden Cemeteries, a Headstone allotment is a grave which has a full monumental memorial, usually made of granite or marble, which covers the entire length of the grave.

Interments can take place seven days of the week. Graves are dug to double depth. Most graves can be dug to triple depth which incurs an additional fee.

A monument is not included in the cost of the allotment. Documentation will be issued post-burial and will include a list of local stonemasons who can arrange monument construction.

Cleaning and maintenance of the monument is the responsibility of the family. Canberra Cemeteries is responsible for the maintenance of the cemetery grounds only.

In the interim period between the burial and memorialisation, a temporary grave marker will be provided.

Canberra Cemeteries discourages any placement of personal, valuable or sentimental items on the site.



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