



# AUSTRALIA

## All About Australia

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Read the information about Australia in the 'Facts for Students' section of the FTfs website (your teacher can help you find this) and answer the following questions.

1. How many states and mainland territories is Australia made up of?

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2. How wide is Australia from coast to coast in kilometres?

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3. What percentage of Australia's population was born overseas?

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4. What is a monotreme?

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5. Which two animals do the facts provide as examples of monotremes?

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6. How many levels of government does Australia have?

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7. Which level of government makes laws for the whole country?

Local     State/Territory     Federal



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8. According to the facts why do people join together to form a political party?

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9. What does the Union Jack on the Australian flag signify?

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10. What does the yellow orb on the Australian Aboriginal flag represent?

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11. Why were the kangaroo and emu chosen to be on the Australian coat of arms?

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12. Next to each famous Australian attraction, write the state or territory in which it can be found.

Opera House	_____
Kangaroo Island	_____
Uluru	_____
Port Arthur	_____
Sovereign Hill	_____
The Pinnacles	_____
Parliament House (Federal government)	_____
Daintree Rainforest	_____