















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1. Look at the animal. What is this creature called? _____ 
2. What is the best season for viewing Western Australia's wildflowers? _____
3. Is the Great Australian Bight located on Australia's southern or northern coastline? _____ 
4. The Southern Cross constellation (Crux) is mainly visible in which hemisphere? _____
5. Look. In which state or territory is this famous landmark? _____ 
6. Is the landscape between Adelaide and Darwin dominated by desert or forest? _____
7. In which direction is Uluru from Sydney? _____ 
8. Does the Darling River or Murrumbidgee River have headwaters in the Snowy Mountains? _____
9. Which two states are separated by Bass Strait? _____ 
10. Look. What is the common name for this Australian plant? _____ Tree 
11. On which major N.S.W. river are the Menindee Lakes? _____
12. Near which capital city are the Gold Coast and Sunshine Coast? _____ 
13. Historically, what product was mined in the cities of Bathurst, Bendigo and Ballarat? _____
14. Is the Australian capital city of Canberra closer to Melbourne or Sydney? _____
15. Look at the map. Is the line of latitude marked 'X', 30°S or 15°N? _____ 
16. Near which cape in Australia do Torres Strait Islander people live? _____
17. In which state of Australia are the Snowy Mountains? _____
18. For which precious gemstone are Coober Pedy and Oodnadatta renowned? _____ 
19. For what economic activity is the Pilbara region best known? _____
20. Look at the city skyline. Which Australian capital city is depicted? _____ 
21. What is the largest city on the Darling Downs in Queensland? _____
22. Into which largest lake in Australia do the Diamantina and Cooper Creek flow? _____ 
23. Is the sea immediately north of Australia called the Arafura Sea or the Tasman Sea? _____
24. In which state of Australia are the renowned jarrah and karri trees? _____
25. Look. Is this tree likely found in the Kimberley or the forests of Tasmania? _____ 



Brisbane
Gold
Cape York
Southern
Opals

Lake Eyre
Mining
Southern
N.S.W.
Brisbane



Kimberley
Northern Territory
Murrumbidgee
Arafura
Toowoomba

North West
Bilby
Desert
Sydney
Victoria/Tasmania
Grass Tree
W.A.