



# KNOWLEDGE OF AUSTRALIA 9



1. Look. Once called a 'laughing jackass', what is the name of this bird? \_\_\_\_\_
2. True or False. Australia is the smallest continent (area) in the world. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Together with coral, what is the feature attraction of the Great Barrier Reef? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What is the first language of the Tiwi people of the Tiwi Islands? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Look. With a beachside skyline, name the 6th largest city in Australia. \_\_\_\_\_
6. From which direction do ships enter Port Phillip Bay... on route to Melbourne? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Are Sturt's Desert Peas found in desert landscapes or tropical rainforests? \_\_\_\_\_
8. What is the favourite sport of Tiwi Islanders? \_\_\_\_\_
9. For what event is Birdsville in Queensland most renowned? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Look. What cape, rhyming with fork, is indicated on the map? Cape \_\_\_\_\_
11. In which Western Australian city are Cottesloe Beach and Kings Park? \_\_\_\_\_
12. Beginning with P, what is the 4th largest city in Australia? \_\_\_\_\_
13. In what 3rd largest state (area) is Mount Gambier's Blue Lake? \_\_\_\_\_
14. In what largest state (area) is Esperance's Pink Lake? \_\_\_\_\_
15. Look. Rhyming with 'kiwi', what islands are indicated on the map? T \_\_\_\_\_
16. Are jumping crocodile cruises found on the Yarra River or the Adelaide River? \_\_\_\_\_
17. Does the Murray River flow into Lake Alexandrina or Lake Eyre? \_\_\_\_\_
18. Do koala's sleep for 8 hours a day or over 20 hours a day? \_\_\_\_\_
19. In July, are minimum temperatures colder in Alice Springs or on the Gold Coast? \_\_\_\_\_
20. Look. In which city in north west N.S.W. is the iconic 'Golden Guitar'? \_\_\_\_\_
21. Is the Irukandji jellyfish named after Aboriginal people or desert flora? \_\_\_\_\_
22. Is the Waratah flower (N.S.W. floral emblem) coloured red or green? \_\_\_\_\_
23. In Australia, do winds rotate clockwise or anticlockwise around a high pressure system? \_\_\_\_\_
24. A boy's name beginning with T, what is the name of the river in Alice Springs? \_\_\_\_\_
25. Look. Renowned for dinosaur fossils, in which northern state is Winton? \_\_\_\_\_



True  
South  
Perth  
Perth  
S.A.

W.A.  
Fish  
Tiwi  
Desert  
AFL

Tiwi Islands  
Cape York  
Red  
Todd  
QLD



Tiwi Islands,  
Northern Territory



Kookaburra  
Adelaide River  
Alice Springs  
Tamworth  
20+ hours

Aboriginal people  
Gold Coast  
Lake Alexandrina  
Anti-clockwise  
Birdsville Races