



AUSTRALIA



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# ANCIENT AUSTRALIA

In this chapter explain the akama tribe .The men normally he was the one who went out and the woman how was for fruit for the trees. The small children stay with their mothers and wait for the men to return.

Also in this chapter explain 2 stories the first is “ the dreaming“. This story describes a creator woman. This woman arrives from the sea and creates the first people. She planted vegetables and fruit for them to eat.

And the other story is “ The rainbow serpent “She protects the land and is the origin of the life. The people if we don't respect the land or she punishes them. She pushed the ground high above her head and this created the mountains. Then, the animals jumped from her stomach and populated the land.

# THE EUROPEANS ARRIVE

In May of 1770, we travelled on the Endeavour from Plymouth, England in April 1768. We arrived at the new place (Australia) three days ago. The scientists collected many different types of plants and sketched pictures of the animals. Yesterday, a very strange animal appeared! Is a kangaroo

In June of 1770, the reef damaged our ship. . We hunt animals, fish and birds, and collect fruit from the trees. We want to be friends with them, and we offer them presents but they aren't friendly. They don't need our presence.

In July of 1770, our ship is OK now. We travelled to a small island with no people.

# THE FIRST COLONISTS

John Welkies is only 15 years old, but the British authorities decided to send him away from home, to Australia ...

He tried to steal some bread and apples for his hungry mother .Now, he is on a ship and can not return to Britain for seven years. Women are servants of the guard and of their family and men make buildings and grow food

1810

The governor calls John to his office. He says  
“worked hard for four years”

You're not a prisoner, but you aren't totally free. You must go to church, you can't return to Britain and you mustn't leave town. John  
Wilkes is in the governor's office again.

1813

John Wilkes is in the governor's office again.  
You're a free man now, the governor says and gives him a Certificate of Freedom. You can  
travel and live in any place.

# GEOGRAPHY OF AUSTRALIA

Australia is surrounded by the ocean and Pacific Ocean, Indian Ocean, and the climate has four seasons. The summer is from December to February and the winter is from June to August.

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# FAMOUS PLACES

## **Sydney Opera House.**

Almost all people recognise the opera house in Sydney Harbour. He started the work in 1957 and open in 1973. The construction of the roof was very difficult. About one million tiles cover the roof and they are self-cleaning



## **Uluru**

Tourists to Australia love visiting Uluru (Ayers Rock ). The rock changes colour throughout the day and is especially beautiful at sunset. This famous site is in the south of the Northern Territory.

About 600 million years ago, big pieces of land moved together and created mountains. This gigantic sandstone rock is 348 metres high and 9,4 kilometres around the base.



# ANIMALS

## **Kangaroo**

These animals have got strong back legs and they can jump very high, sometimes three times their height. Her feet are very big. This means they can't walk normally.



## **Koala**

Koalas eat eucalyptus leaves every day and almost nothing else. No other animals eat eucalyptus and this is very good for the koalas. It means they have no enemies to take their food! The koalas sleep 18 hours a day.



# FOOD

## Anzac Biscuits

They introduced that food to the Aborigines.  
"Australian and New Zealand Armored Corps"  
It is a group of soldiers who fight in World War.



## Meat

Meat is a big part of the  
Australian diet and meat pies  
are very popular.

Australians eat about 270  
million meat pies a year.





# SPORTS

## **Australian football :**

Australian rules football is different from European football. They play on an oval field with 18 members in each team. The players run with the ball and get points by passing it through the posts at each end of the field. Cricket players played Australian rules football



## **Surfing:**

Surfing started in Australia, in 1915. Hawaiian champion Duke Kahanamoku visited the country and the Authorities invited him to give a surfing exhibition. Today there are about 2.5 million surfers in Australia and many of them enter competitions.



# FAMOUS AUSTRALIANS



## **Cate Blanchett**

Born in 1969, in Melbourne, Cate is an actress for her roles in Blue Jasmine, Elizabeth, The Lord of the Rings, The Aviator and The Curious Case of Benjamin Button. She receives two Oscars.

## **Nicole Kidman**

She was born in Hawaii in 1967, the popular actress Nicole Kidman one Oscar and three Golden Globe Awards.

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