

## Téma: 5. Australia

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- 1 Spol      **1. Which colours are present on the Australian flag?**  
a) green and yellow  
b) red, black and yellow  
c) blue, red and white
- 2 Hist      **2. Why is James Cook important in Australian history?**  
a) he claimed New South Wales as a British colony in 1770  
b) he was the first one to sail to Australia in 1606  
c) he brought the first convicts to Australia in 1787
- 3 Hist      **3. What was the "First Fleet"?**  
a) a set of planes which fought against the Nazis during the World War II.  
b) a set of boats which brought over 700 convicts to Australia on May 13, 1787  
c) a set of vehicles which went out in the state of Victoria to look for gold and started the gold rush in 1850
- 3 Hist      **4. What does Anzac Day commemorate?**  
a) The Gallipoli landing in Turkey during World War I.  
b) Armistice Day – the signing of the agreement between the British and the Aborigines about ending their war.  
c) victory in the Pacific during the World War II.
- 2 Spol      **5. How many states and territories are there in Australia?**  
a) 5 states and 3 territories  
b) 6 states and 2 territories  
c) 8 states and no territories
- 1 Pol      **6. What is the official name of the Australian state?**  
a) Australia  
b) Australian Republic  
c) The Commonwealth of Australia
- 2 Zem      **7. What area does Australia cover and how many people live there?**  
a) 8,4 million sq km / 84 million  
b) 10 million sq km / 33 million  
c) 7,7 million sq km / 20 million
- 1 Zem      **8. The Capital of Australia is...**  
a) Sydney  
b) Melbourne  
c) Canberra
- 2 Zem      **9. The three biggest cities in Australia have the following population: 3,6 mil – 3 mil – 1,3 mil. What are their names (according to the numbers)?**  
a) Sydney – Melbourne – Brisbane  
b) Sydney – Brisbane – Melbourne  
c) Melbourne – Sydney – Brisbane

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- 1 Zem      **10. What are the names of the oceans which surround the Australian continent?**  
a) The Pacific and Atlantic Oceans  
b) The Indian and Pacific Oceans  
c) The Indian and Atlantic Oceans
- 2 Zem      **11. What is a reef?**  
a) a long line of rocks whose top is just above or just below the surface of the sea  
b) a synonym for the word "mountains"  
c) deep sea mountains
- 1 Zem      **12. What is the name of the biggest Australian island?**  
a) King Island  
b) Flinders Island  
c) Tasmania
- 3 Zem      **13. What is the highest mountain of Australia and in which mountain range is it located?**  
a) Mt. Kosciusco (2.230 m) in The Australian Alps  
b) Mt. Cook (3.764 m) in the New England Range  
c) Giant Castle (3.312 m) in the Blue Mountains
- 1 Spol      **14. What is the name of the original inhabitants of Australia?**  
a) the Inuits  
b) the Aborigines  
c) the Maoris
- 2 Spol      **15. Indigenous people have been living in Australia for...**  
a) about 8000 years  
b) about 2800 years  
c) at least 40,000 years
- 2 Zem      **16. Which of the following animals is not typical for the Australian Continent – kangaroo, koala, dingo, platypus, Tasmanian devil?**  
a) Tasmanian devil  
b) platypus  
c) all mentioned animals are typical for Australia
- 2 Hist      **17. When did the Europeans (Willem Jansz) first get to the Australian Continent?**  
a) in 1707  
b) in 1606  
c) in 1866
- 3 Hist      **18. Select the correct statement.**  
a) At first, Melbourne was the capital and in 1927 it was succeeded by Canberra.  
b) At first Sydney was the capital and in 1934 it was succeeded by Melbourne.  
c) Canberra has been the only capital city in Australian history.

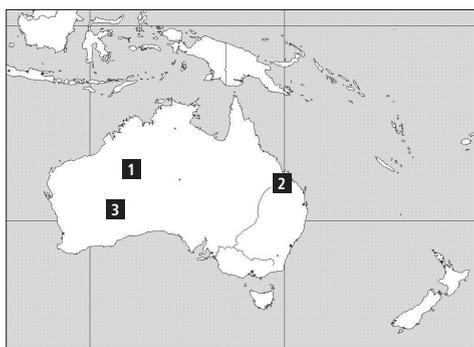
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- 2 Hist **19. Why is the date of September 17, 1901 important in Australian history?**
- a) King George VI announced that Australia is leaving the British Commonwealth.
  - b) Queen Elizabeth I. announced that the Commonwealth of Australia will be recognized on Jan 1, 1901.
  - c) Queen Victoria announced that the Commonwealth of Australia will be recognized on Jan 1, 1901
- 2 Pol **20. The Australian parliament consists of:**
- a) the Senate (76 members) and the House of Representatives (148 members)
  - b) the Senate (148 members) and the House of Representatives (108 members)
  - c) the Senate (80 members) and the House of Representatives (200 members)
- 1 Spol **21. Which are the most popular sports in Australia?**
- a) soccer and rugby
  - b) rugby and tennis
  - c) cricket and rugby
- 1 Spol **22. The school year in Australia ...**
- a) starts at the end of January/beginning of February and finishes in the middle of December
  - b) starts at the beginning of March and finishes at the end of December
  - c) starts at the beginning of September and finishes at the end of June



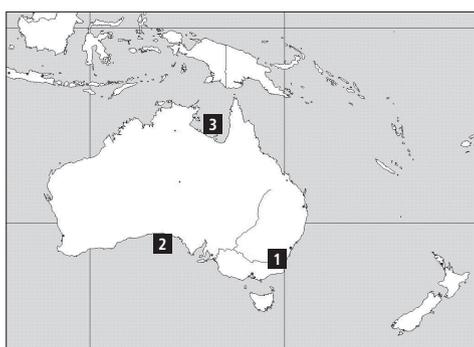
**23. Match the following numbers 1, 2, 3 to the right names:**

- a) 1. Great Victoria Desert – 2. Great Sandy Desert – 3. Great Dividing Range
- b) 1. Great Dividing Range – 2. Great Sandy Desert – 3. Great Victoria Desert
- c) 1. Great Sandy Desert – 2. Great Dividing Range – 3. Great Victoria Desert



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- a) 1. Gulf of Carpentaria – 2. Great Australian Bight – 3. Australian Alps
- b) 1. Australian Alps – 2. Great Australian Bight – 3. Gulf of Carpentaria
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**25. The Olympic Games have taken place in Australia recently. Which of the following statements is true?**

- a) The Summer Olympic Games were held in Sydney 2000
- b) The Winter Olympic Games were held in Melbourne 1998
- c) The Summer Olympic Games were held in Sydney 2002



**26. Who is the head of the Australian nation?**

- a) the British monarch represented by the Governor General
- b) the Prime Minister
- c) the President



**27. The Immigration Restriction Act ...**

- a) (1965) prohibited acceptance of any new immigrants to Australia
- b) (1901) arranged that every immigrant had to demonstrate knowledge of some European language
- c) (1928) set a number of immigrants that can yearly be given Australian citizenship to 1500



**28. What does the biggest star on the Australian flag represent?**

- a) The biggest star represents the fact that Australia is the biggest country of the Oceania.
- b) The seven points of the star commemorate the fact that the first exploration of the Oceania started in the 17th century, even though Great Britain officially claimed this country much later.
- c) The large seven-pointed star represents the federation of the colonies of Australia in 1901. Each of the points of the star represent one original state (6). The seventh point represents all of Australia's internal and external territories.



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