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Educationally Stimulating
Oz Crosswords
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Teachers Notes

This book features twenty crosswords, each on a different Australian theme. The puzzles require students to research the internet (or reference books) to obtain the clues’ answers. Accordingly, the puzzles are ideal to work on in library sessions, make excellent home assignments, and are great for fast finishers.

Students (and teachers too) are guaranteed to learn a great deal about our wonderful country and will have a lot of fun in doing so.

This book will be of great value for teachers who intend covering any aspect of Australiana.

Incentive Idea

Award a small prize for the neatest completed crossword with all solutions correct.

Follow-up

About a week after every student has completed a crossword give the class a check-up test by asking them the crossword questions. Students write their one-word answers in their books or on a piece of paper.

Using the blank crossword at the end of the book, ‘My Aussie Crossword’, your students can create their own crosswords too. They can swap these with classmates.

There are More Than 500 Questions Covering all Aspects of Australia

Here is a random sample taken from different Australian themes:

• George _ _ _ _ sailed around Van Diemen’s Land with Matthew Flinders.
• This tall Australian bird eats frogs. It can have a wingspan of over 2m and is a member of the crane family.
• This ore is mined in the Pilbara region of WA and exported (mainly) to Japan.
• Ben Lexcen invented this to make yachts travel through water faster. It is the winged ____.
• Muttaburrasaurus was a huge plant-eating dinosaur that lived in herds and was probably fierce. It roamed Australia during the ____________ Period.
• What colour is the bird that WA has as its faunal emblem?
• The First Fleet arrived in Australia in 1788. Did these ships come to NSW, Victoria or Tasmania?
• The continent of Africa is thousands of kilometres west of Australia, across the _ _ _ _ _ _ Ocean.
• The first European to cross the Great Dividing Range, he also discovered the Lachlan and Macquarie Rivers. He is _ _ _ _ _ _ Evans.
• Another expression for “No problems”. (two words)
• Aboriginal word for a large pool of still water within a creek, stream or river.
• If you throw this aboriginal hunting weapon properly you’ll never lose it.
• These natural limestone stacks rise out of the water near the Great Ocean Road in Victoria. (two words)
• An Australian artist (painter) whose scenes of outback towns and people brought him fame at home and abroad. He died in 2006. (two words)
• The headwaters of this long, south-flowing river are in Queensland and are known as the Darling Downs.
• Some say this Australian is the greatest female swimmer the world has seen. She is Dawn ________.
• A Queensland town well-known for its lead, silver, copper and zinc mining is Mount _ _ _ _.
• “My Country” is a poem written by Dorothea ____________.
• The Australian external Territory of Norfolk Island is about halfway between Sydney and which Island Kingdom?
• A well-known Australian native flower is Sturt’s Desert ________.

About the Author

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### Across

1. Captain Cook’s ship was the...

7. When European explorers journeyed to Australia they crossed the ... of Capricorn.

8. Captain Cook’s botanist was Joseph ....

9. Tasmania was first called _ _ _ Diemen’s Land.

11. This Dutch explorer left a pewter plate in Western Australia. (first and last name)

16. The small bay that Captain Arthur Phillip chose for Australia’s first convict settlement was Sydney..?

17. The first name of the first man to circumnavigate Australia.

18. The explorer Wilhelm Vlamingh arrived in Western Australia in 1696. What nationality was Vlamingh?

20. Abel _ _ _ _ first named Tasmania Van Diemen’s Land.

21. The early settlement at _ _ _ _ Phillip Bay grew into the city of Melbourne.

23. Captain Cook’s voyages of exploration were in the South Pacific. Initials of South Pacific?

27. George _ _ _ _ sailed around Van Diemen’s Land with Matthew Flinders.

29. Stormy weather and reefs caused many of these when Australia’s coast was being explored.

31. Convicts were sent to Botany Bay. Which city sprang up from this early site?

32. Captain Arthur Phillip was in charge of the First...?

33. Captain Cook’s initials.

### Down

1. Which coast of Australia did Captain James Cook explore, the west or the east?

2. In which month in 1770 did Captain Cook arrive on the Endeavour at Botany Bay?

4. The original name for the island continent of Australia was New...?

5. He circumnavigated Van Diemen’s Land with Bass.

6. William Dampier explored the east coast of Australia. True or false?

### William Dampier

10. The explorer Nicholas Baudin mapped the island of Tasmania over 200 years ago. What nationality was Baudin?

12. In 1779 Joseph Banks recommended _ _ _ _ _ _ Bay as a site for a penal colony.

13. Many convicts who were sent to NSW suffered from a lack of vitamin C and developed a disease called ...?

14. Did the Dutch explorer Dirk Hartog set foot on the west or east coast of Australia?

15. Captain Cook led an expedition to the South Pacific to measure the Transit of...?

17. Each of the sails on a sailing ship was attached to a _ _ _ _.

19. Captain Cook headed east toward Australia after sailing around the _ _ _ _ of Good Hope.

22. Convicts were sent to Australia because prisons in Britain were full. True or false?

24. Some convicts were sent to Norfolk Island which lies in the _ _ _ _ _ _ Ocean.

25. Abel Tasman was a French explorer. True or false?

26. Convicts were sent from Britain to the _ _ _ _ River Colony which is where Perth now stands.

28. The Tasman _ _ _, separating Australia and New Zealand, was named after Abel Tasman.

30. For the early explorers there was no shortage of _ _ _ _ water but they needed fresh water to drink.
An aborigine playing his didgeridoo. Didgeridoos are made from hollow logs and decorated with aboriginal art.
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<td>5. An old man of the tribe.</td>
<td>3. Meaning ‘camping place’ or ‘black cockatoo’ this town is on the south coast of NSW.</td>
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<td>7. Tribal aboriginal song and dance performance.</td>
<td>4. Tribal aborigines ate this grub which is the large wood-eating larva of the Ghost Moth. (two words)</td>
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<td>8. This aborigine lived in the Port Jackson (Sydney) area at the time of the First Settlement. He travelled with Captain Arthur Phillip to England.</td>
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<td>18. The north-east corner of the Northern Territory is known as _ _ _ _ _ _ Land.</td>
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<td>21. The remote interior of Australia is called the ...?</td>
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<td>23. Many aboriginal paintings are made up largely of _ _ _ _ _ _ arranged in different patterns.</td>
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<td>6. The Pitjantjatjara is a _ _ _ _ _ &amp; so is the Djabugay.</td>
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<td>9. This NSW town is named after the aboriginal word for ‘forked waters’.</td>
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<td>10. An aboriginal boxer who became world champion was _ _ _ _ _ _ Rose.</td>
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<td>11. Something that shows that aborigines have lived in Australia for tens of thousands of years is their ancient _ _ _ _ art.</td>
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<td>13. Aborigines have long used boomerangs to hunt animals such as ...?</td>
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<td>15. When caught this large flightless Australian bird could feed many in the tribe.</td>
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<td>19. Another word for indigenous.</td>
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<td>20. Bogong _ _ _ _ _ provided a nutritious meal for many aborigines. (plural)</td>
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<td>24. _ _ _ _ _ Peris, from the Muran tribe, achieved great success as an Australian hockey player and runner.</td>
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<td>25. Although aborigines did not live in these they sometimes took shelter in them.</td>
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<td>26. Aborigines could light these by rubbing two sticks together.</td>
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<td>2. The Pied Currawong is an Australian ___ _.</td>
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<td>5. An animal such as the kangaroo or wombat, where the female has a pouch.</td>
<td>3. This small striped marsupial lives only in Western and Central Australia.</td>
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<td>6. This dangerous Australian spider is related to the black widow spider.</td>
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<td>9. The platypus and echidna are very unusual mammals because they lay ..?</td>
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2. The Sydney Harbour _ _ _ _ _ opened in 1932 and is one of the largest of its type anywhere in the world.
4. Name of Australia’s famous woman-man. *(title and first name only)*
8. Australia’s most recognisable animal.
9. Reaching 2m in height this bird is found only in Australia.
10. This legendary rock band began in Australia. Its leader back then was the late Bon Scott.
11. Ayres Rock.
12. This Australian wide brim hat has become well-known in many countries.
13. John Macarthur brought this fine Spanish sheep to Australia in 1796.
14. Actor Paul Hogan made this character famous: Crocodile _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ .
15. A dark brown (almost black) salty food paste made from yeast extract.
18. The air ambulance service for those in remote parts of Australia is the Royal ? ? Service. *(two words)*
19. The leader of the Kelly gang.
20. This car, the first of which was the FX model, first appeared in 1948.

Down
1. Australia’s most famous building. *(three words)*
3. In olden-days Australia he travelled from farm to farm carrying a swag.
4. This well-known Australian adventurer is also known for his electronics shops. *(two words)*
5. Australia’s wild dog.
6. If you throw this aboriginal hunting weapon properly you’ll never lose it.
7. An indigenous Australian.
16. _ _ _ _ _ Dingo, a well-known Australian television personality, has a dry sense of humour.
17. Steve _ _ _ _ _ was famous for his work with animals, especially reptiles.
### Across

1. Their names are Meehni, Wimlah and Gunnedoo. They are the ...?  *(two words)*

4. The Blue _ _ _ _ at Mt Gambia, South Australia, is in the crater of an extinct volcano.

5. What is the aboriginal name for Ayres Rock?

6. This 280km coral reef is 1 200km north of Perth. It is well known for viewings of the whale shark, the world’s largest fish species.

9. Australia’s most famous coral reef. *(three words)*

10. These eerie-looking limestone pillars are located in the Nambung National Park, 250km north of Perth. *See picture next to crossword.*

13. The oils given off from eucalyptus forests in the Jamison Valley, NSW, give these their name. *(two words)*

17. These natural limestone stacks rise out of the water near the Great Ocean Road in Victoria. *(two words)*

18. These naturally rounded and oval boulders in the Northern Territory are believed by some aborigines to be the eggs of the rainbow serpent. *(two words)*

### Down

2. It is rarely full but when it is, it is the largest lake in Australia. It’s also the lowest point in Australia (15m below sea level). It is Lake ..?

3. These huge black and orange striped sandstone domes are situated in the far north of WA. They were formed over the last 20 million years by erosion and river movements and were kept a secret by locals until 1982.

7. Known to the aborigines as Kata Tjuta (meaning ‘many heads’) they are about 30km from Uluru and are made up of 36 rounded domes, with the tallest being 200m higher than Uluru. They are The ..?

8. These 340 million year old NSW caves are the world’s oldest open cave system. What is the name of these caves?

11. This vast area of flat, almost treeless, arid or semi-arid country is just north of the Great Australian Bight. It is the ___________ Plain.

12. Although long-known to the aborigines these were 'discovered' in the 1820s by Charles Throsby. They are Fitzroy _ _ _ _ _.

14. This NT National Park has some 'monster' crocodiles.

15. At 2 2228m the highest mountain on the Australian mainland is _ _ Kosciuszko. *(abbreviation)*

16. Off the coast of SA this place has an abundance of wildlife including koalas, echidnas and seals. It is Kangaroo ___________.

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Famous Australians

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### Across

1. Rolf Harris the famous Australian TV celebrity, artist and singer, played a _ _ _ _ _ board.

5. First name of the Aussie female swimmer who won gold medals at three Olympic Games.

6. Paul Hogan starred in the movie blockbuster ‘Crocodile ...’?

9. Our actor Nicole _ _ _ _ _ starred in ‘Moulin Rouge’.

11. First name of female aboriginal who was a dual Wimbledon tennis champion.

14. _ _ _ _ Jackman starred in ‘The Boy from Oz’.

16. Surname of champion Australian swimmer whose first name is Ian.

17. He started the Royal Flying Doctor Service in Australia’s outback. He is John ..?

20. Princess Mary comes from Tasmania but now lives in which country?

21. This Aussie cricketer was knighted and has the best test batting average of anyone who has ever played the game. (full name)

### Down

1. Steve Irwin thought of himself as a warrior.....what kind of warrior?

2. The world record for the number of test cricket matches played as captain is held by Australia’s Allan _ _ _ _ _ _ _.

3. _ _ _ _ Joan Sutherland achieved worldwide fame as an opera singer in the 2nd half of the twentieth century.

4. Initials of an Australian tennis player who won the men’s singles title at Wimbledon three times.

7. Some say he’s the best fast bowler Australian cricket has produced. He’s _ _ _ _ _ _ Lillee.

8. The movie ‘Shine’ was about the early life of this brilliant Australian pianist. (both names)

10. This band was formed in Australia and was one of the world’s most popular groups in the 1970s. They are the Bee _ _ _ _.

12. She was the first Australian opera singer to achieve international fame.

13. An Australian artist (painter) whose scenes of outback towns and people brought him fame at home and abroad. He died in 2006. (two words)

14. Famous Australian poet and writer of fiction. (both names)

15. This Australian politician is sometimes called the "Father of Federation". (both names)

18. First name of Australia’s most famous bushranger.

19. This left-handed Australian tennis player is regarded as one of the greatest of all time. He is Rod _ _ _ _ _.
## Australian Inventions

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Across
1. His ice-making machine was the beginning of the refrigeration process. His name was James ...?

4. In 1858 Tom Wills and Henry Harrison invented a new sport. What type of sport (generally speaking)?

6. What did Robert and Clarence Bowyer Smith invent in 1876 to make cultivation of farmland easier? (3 words)

9. In the 1970s the cochlea implant was invented in Melbourne by Professor Graeme Clark. What is the other, common name for this invention? (2 words)

12. In 1952 Mervyn Victor Richardson of Sydney invented the Victa, a two-stroke petrol rotary ..? 

13. In 1972 an engineer named Sarich, of Perth, invented the orbital internal combustion engine. What is Sarich’s first name?

14. The Reverend John Flynn invented the Royal ?? Service in 1928. (2 words)

17. What did Arthur James Arnot invent in 1889? (2 words)

20. Some say this tasty meringue dessert was invented in New Zealand. Others say it is Australian. What is its name?

21. Nothing is more Australian than vegemite (invented in 1922). What was the first name of its inventor?

Down
1. This Australian invention (Lance Hill, 1945) made it much easier to hang clothes outside to dry. (two words)

2. Telephane, an invention which used telegraph lines to transmit visual information, was invented in 1885 by Henry ..?

3. ‘The Story of the Kelly Gang’, a little over an hour long, was the world’s first feature length ..?

5. Ben Lexcen invented this to make yachts travel through water faster. It is the winged _____.

7. Lewis Brandt, of the Ford Motor Company in Geelong, invented the utility vehicle. What name is this vehicle more commonly known by?

8. This is the brand name of a shoe polish, first made in Australia in 1906.

10. This pain reliever was developed in Melbourne by George Nicholas. By 1940 it had become the world’s most widely used headache and pain treatment.

11. This flight recorder, located in the cockpit of aeroplanes, saves voice and instrument data. It can be vital in finding the cause of air mishaps. (two words)

15. J. A. Birchall invented this useful little book in 1902.

16. In the mid twentieth century the Ansell company created disposable latex ___ ___ ___ ___ for use in surgery.

18. Sydney inventor Ben Saul invented the Roll-A-?

19. In 1924 the first ___ radio was installed in an automobile. It was developed by Kelly’s Motors in New South Wales.
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1. The two-word name given to the largest kangaroo that ever existed is Procoptodon ...?

5. What type of ancient reptile prints have been found near Broome in Western Australia?

6. First syllable of reptile.

11. Ancient Megafauna of Australia initials

13. Many of today's fauna species in Australia are more nimble than their larger prehistoric ancestors. Can you find a synonym of nimble?

14. Much of Australia's megafauna disappeared about 50 000 years ago. The diprotodon, the largest marsupial, was at least as big as a rhinoceros. What is the first syllable of this animal's name?

15. Australia's ancient h _ _ _ _ y is fascinating. (supply the missing letters)

17. With its huge hind legs Procoptodon (pictured above) probably used a powerful _ _ _ _ to defend itself.

18. This giant goanna ate mammals, snakes, other reptiles and birds.

20. An Australian marsupial lion, thought to have died out about 46 000 years ago.

21. An ancient echidna, the fossil bones of which were found in a Western Australian cave, was three times bigger than echidnas of today. It is ___________ hacketti.

23. First syllable of prehistoric.

25. Aboriginal cave painting and rock _ _ _ have been dated at tens of thousands of years before our time.

26. In 1932 a Mr Wade found fossil bones of this giant dinosaur. It was a 15m long herbivore which roamed Australia about 100 million years ago. Its two-word name means 'Southern Lizard'. It is ___________ mckillopi.

Down

1. Australia was once part of a southern super-continent called ...?

2. Thylacoleo was an ancient ________________ lion.

3. Diprotodon weighed more than two tonnes and looked something like a giant ...?

4. Palorchestes, the marsupial ____________, had long claws and a longish trunk. It lived in Miocene times.

7. Mungo Man, an early human inhabitant of Australia, is believed to have lived about 40 000 years ago. Remains of Mungo Man were discovered in 1974 near ______ __________ in NSW. (two words)

8. Muttaburrasaurus was a huge plant-eating dinosaur that lived in herds and was probably fierce. It roamed Australia during the ______________ Period.

9. The earliest fossils of this Australian wild dog are 3 500 years old.

10. The _ _ _ kangaroo is thought to be the last remaining megafauna, though it is smaller today than it was thousands of years ago.

12. Unlike today’s Australian crocodiles, this large Pleistocene crocodile lived on the land. It preyed on mammals, birds and other reptiles.

16. Hunting by humans is thought by many to be the reason for many ________________ species becoming extinct.

19. Stirton's ____________ Bird was three metres tall and weighed half a tonne. It lived in the Miocene period.

22. Dino means fearfully great and ____________ means lizard.

24. Genyornis was a large, flightless bird that lived in Australia until about 26 000 years ago. It resembled today's ...?
Australia’s Rivers, Lakes and Seas

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3. The large expanse of water between Queensland and the Northern Territory is the _ _ _ _ of Carpentaria.

4. Separating Tasmania from the Australian mainland is _ _ _ _ Strait.

5. Australia’s largest Dam, Lake Argyle, was built on this river.

7. This large but mostly dry Lake marks Australia’s lowest point, 15m below sea level.

8. This NSW river has an aboriginal name and is a major tributary of the Murray River.

12. Melbourne is situated at the northern end of Port Phillip ...?

13. The __________ Strait lies between Australia and New Guinea.

15. There are three rivers with this name in Australia. When in flood this 750 km long river in WA’s north is one of Australia’s mightiest.

17. The aborigines called this river *Karrawirraparri* (red gum forest river) due to the dense eucalypt forest lining its banks. It has its source in the Adelaide hills and flows by the city.

18. Is the Timor Sea to the north, east, south or west of mainland Australia?

20. The Great Barrier Reef is located in the Coral _____.

21. Melbourne is built alongside Port __________ __________. (two words)

22. This river, named by the Dutch explorer Willem de Vlamingh in 1697 -after the famous black swans of the area- flows through the city of Perth.

23. In 1828 Captain Henry John Rous discovered this river in the north-eastern corner of NSW.

### Down

1. Australia’s longest river.

2. This Sydney river was named by Governor Phillip in 1789. Its southern part has a different name (the Nepean River).

6. A very large inlet of water lying to the west of Adelaide is Gulf St ___________.

7. Connected by tunnels to the Snowy and Murrumbidgee Rivers, this man-made lake (when full) would hold nine times the volume of Sydney Harbour.

9. The WA town Broome is situated alongside Roebuck __________.

10. The headwaters of this long, south-flowing river are in Queensland and are known as the Darling Downs.

11. In parts of the mighty Franklin River there are rapids, popular among rafting enthusiasts. In what state is the Franklin? (abbrev')

14. After flowing through Brisbane this river empties into Moreton Bay.

16. This 242 km long river flows through the city of Melbourne. The Wurundjeri people called it Birrarung.

18. A NSW river that becomes the Hawkesbury in its northern reaches is the ...?

19. Is the Tasman Sea nearer the west or east coast of Australia?
Emblems of Australia

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<td>7. This cockatoo with an unusual name is the ACT’s faunal emblem.</td>
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<td>3. This former Australian rugby union footballer captained Australia 52 times. He led Australia to victories at the Rugby World Cup in 1991 and in 1999. He is John __________.</td>
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<td>5. Australia’s most famous horse race is the Melbourne __ __ __.</td>
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<td>14. In basketball you might score a point but in cricket you might make a __ __ __.</td>
<td>9. One of Australian cricket’s greatest ever wicketkeeper-batsmen is Adam ____________.</td>
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<td>16. For about 10 years the Australian Ric Charlesworth was considered the best player in the world....in which sport?</td>
<td>10. Some say this Australian is the greatest female swimmer the world has seen. She is Dawn ____________.</td>
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<td>17. This left-hander from Rockhampton, Queensland, is considered one of the greatest tennis players the world has seen. He is Rod ____________.</td>
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<td>22. This champion footballer played his first AFL (then VFL) game for Essendon at the age of 15. He went on to play over 300 games. He is __ __ __ Watson.</td>
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<td>24. Probably Australia’s greatest-ever male swimmer is Ian _________.</td>
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<td>26. The Boomers are Australia’s men’s ________ team.</td>
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<td>30. In 1997 he was World Triathlon Champion. He is Australia’s __________ McCormack.</td>
<td>21. This VFL/AFL legend is thought of as ‘Mr Football’. He is __ __ __ Whitten.</td>
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1. This annual event in Sydney attracts 30 000 – 40 000 participants. (three words)

4. In 1951, Australia celebrated fifty years of Federation with a parade and the staging of the theatre production "An Aboriginal ___________: Out of the Dark".

5. What are the initials of the Dutch navigator who left a pewter plate on WA’s northern coast in 1616?

6. Prior to Federation in 1901 Australia consisted of six independent ___________. These are now our states.

11. Which famous event occurred on the Ballarat goldfields in 1854? (two words)

14. The city of Melbourne was founded at ______ Phillip in 1835.

16. The great sporting event that is held at the MCG at the end of every AFL season is the....? (two words)

19. In 1956 (Melbourne) and in 2000 (Sydney) hosted the...? (two words)

21. Kalgoorlie in WA is well-known as a gold-mining town. Its many large gold mines are located within close proximity of the town centre. This area is considered by some to be the richest square mile of earth on the planet and is often called the __________ Mile.

22. In 1901 the six Australian colonies joined together to form the ___________ of Australia.

25. This world famous Australian building, designed by Danish architect Jorn Utzon, was completed in 1973 (three words)

Down

1. In 1901 Australia, as part of the British Empire, became the ___________ of Australia.

2. The gold _________ in WA occurred in the 1890s.

3. Captain James _______ first sighted Australian land in April 1770.

7. In 1988 Australia celebrated its __________.

8. The 11th November 1880 will be remembered as the day Australia’s infamous bushranger Ned ________ was executed.

9. The First Fleet arrived in Australia in 1788. Did these ships come to NSW, Victoria or Tasmania?

10. The British sent convicts to Australia because _______ were full in Britain.

12. Was the west or the east coast of Australia settled first?

13. Australia’s __________ House was opened in 1927.

15. In 2005 there were _______ involving young people at Cronulla in Sydney.

17. Australia ______ is celebrated every year on January 26th.

18. 1983 was an important year in Australia’s sporting history. That was the year we won the America’s ______.

20. It wasn’t only convicts who came by ship to Australia more than 200 years ago. There were also ______ settlers.


24. If John Howard is number thirty what number is Sir Edmund Barton?
Australia’s Cities and Towns

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### Across

1. This big mining town in western NSW has rich deposits of silver, lead and zinc. *(two words)*

6. Is Alice Springs north or south of Darwin?

7. This large tropical Queensland town is sometimes referred to as the ‘Gateway to the Great Barrier Reef’.

11. Is Albany, a former whaling port, in Australia’s NW, NE, SW or SE?

12. This city of almost 200,000, near the Barwon River south-west of Melbourne, is home to a well-known AFL club with the same name.

14. First syllable of Newcastle.

15. A Queensland town well-known for its lead, silver, copper and zinc mining is Mount _ _ _.

17. Broome, a resort town, is also known as a centre of the pearling industry. Is Broome in Australia’s NW, NE, SW or SE?

18. If a plane flies direct from Adelaide to Brisbane will it travel NW, NE, SW or SE?

19. Is Cooma a town in Australia’s NW, NE, SW or SE?

20. This is Australia’s third oldest city (after Sydney and Hobart) and Tasmania’s second largest.

23. Situated on the deep harbour of Twofold Bay this is a former whaling port on the south coast of NSW.

24. Sometimes called the ‘Opal Capital of the World’ this town is north-west of Adelaide. It is Coober _ _ _.

29. Located in WA’s south-west this town is home to the famous Gloucester Tree.

31. This is Victoria’s fourth largest town. It grew rapidly after gold was discovered there in the mid 19th century.

32. The city that grew on the banks of the Swan River.

### Down

2. Which inland WA town owes its prosperity to its vast reserves of gold?

3. This wool-producing town of almost 4000 people is situated on the Murrumbidgee River about halfway between Sydney and Adelaide.

4. A NSW mining town famous for its black opals. *(two words)*

5. It’s possible to travel from Adelaide to this NT town on the Ghan train. *(two words)*

8. Australia’s 3rd largest city and Queensland’s state capital.

9. This coal mining city of 500,000 is situated at the mouth of the Hunter River in NSW.

10. This town is popular with surfers. It’s on Victoria’s Great Ocean Road tourist drive.

13. This beach suburb of Adelaide, on Holdfast Bay, is spelt the same backwards as forwards. Its best-known street is Jetty Road.

16. Is Canberra, our nation’s capital city, in Australia’s NW, NE, SW or SE?

21. Which Australian city is sometimes known as the ‘City of Churches’?

22. If you’re in Dubbo and you set off for Sydney, in which direction will you travel....NW, NE, SW or SE?

25. The capital city of the Northern Territory.

26. A centre for cattle stations this NT town has also experienced a gold rush. It is Tennant _ _ _ _.

27. Is Sydney NW, NE, SW or SE of Canberra?

28. Is the bauxite town of Nhulunbuy in Australia’s north, south, east or west?

29. A town in SA is _ _ _ _ Augusta.

30. This southern NSW town is known throughout Australia for its cheese.

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Australia’s Place in the World
### Across

1. Australia lies to the south-east of our populous near neighbour .................. ?

7. A near neighbour to our _ _ _ _ is Fiji.

9. The continent of Africa is thousands of kilometres west of Australia, across the _ _ _ _ _ _ Ocean.

11. Just to the north of Australia, and part of the island of New Guinea, is the Indonesian province of _ _ _ _ _ _.

13. North of Australia is the continent of _ _ _ _ _ _.

16. If you travelled east from Australia the first continent you would come to is...? (two words)

18. The _ _ _ _ _ _ of Capricorn (23°26’22″S) passes through Australia, just to the north of Alice Springs.

19. Being a large land mass that is surrounded by sea Australia is an _ _ _ _ _ _ continent.

20. To reach the island nation of Madagascar in which direction would someone setting out from Australia need to travel?

21. Australia, New Guinea, New Zealand and some 25 000 Pacific Ocean islands make up the region known as .................?

23. The Kingdom of _ _ _ _ lies to the east of Australia. It is south of Samoa and east of Fiji.

24. This sea separates us from New Zealand.

26. This strait separates Qld from New Guinea.

28. One of our eastern neighbours is New .....................?

### Down

2. This word’s 4th largest island lies just to our north. It is .......................? (two words)

3. Which part of Asia is Australia closer to.....NW, NE, SW, or SE?

4. South of Australia, and stretching to Antarctica, is the Southern Ocean. This ocean used to be known as the _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ Ocean.

5. The Indonesian island of Bali is not too far from Darwin. To reach Bali from Darwin you would head mainly _ _ _ _ and then turn slightly north.

6. Which Pacific island country, closer to Brisbane than it is to Perth, has the capital city Suva?

8. ‘Australia’ is sometimes abbreviated to these three letters.

10. Do the Solomon Islands lie to Australia’s NW, NE, SW or SE?

11. Australia lies on the western side of this great Ocean.

12. Darwin lies in the Tropics, between the Equator and the Tropic of Capricorn. Its _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ is about 12°S.

14. This nation of many islands lies to the north of Australia and south of China. Its capital city is Manila.

15. Australia’s east coast is between 20° and 30° west of the International ______________?

16. In which hemisphere is Australia, northern or southern?

17. All of Australia lies to the south of this imaginary line that encircles the earth.

22. If someone travelled from Australia to Easter Island in which direction would they go?

25. Between Australia and the small country Timor is the Timor _ _ _ _ _ _.

27. Is New Zealand mainly to Australia’s NW, NE, SW or SE?
States and Territories of Australia

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<td>the Territory of _____ and Cartier Islands.</td>
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1. Together with Burke he made an epic journey from Melbourne to the Gulf of Carpentaria but perished on the return south. He is William John _ _ _ _ _.

5. The first European to cross the Great Dividing Range, he also discovered the Lachlan and Macquarie Rivers. He is _ _ _ _ _ _ Evans.

6. Together with Hovell he discovered the Murray and Murrumbidgee Rivers in 1824.

8. Henry Hellyer explored the interior of which Australian State? *abbrev*

10. An English surgeon who explored areas south of Sydney as far as Canberra was Charles...?

11. In June 1829 he explored WA’s Swan and Canning Rivers. In November 1831 he explored the area around Albany. He is John Septimus _ _ _.

13. One of Australia’s best-known inland explorers is Robert O’Hara ...?

15. Together with Hamilton Hume he crossed the Great Dividing Range at a place called Pretty Sally, as well as naming Mt Disappointment. He is William ..?

17. Edward Henty was an explorer and pioneer settler at Portland, in which Australia State? *abbrev*

18. In 1844 Ludwig Leichhardt explored the land between the Darling Downs (Qld) and Port Essington. In which State or Territory is Port Essington? *abbrev*

20. Born in 1812 he discovered the Gascoyne River in WA and was Governor of SA. He died in 1898. His initials are...?

22. In 1813, with Blaxland and Wentworth, he made a successful crossing of the Blue Mountains. He is William ...?

23. John Oxley carried out most of his explorations in two States, NSW and ..? *abbrev*

24. Charles Throsby discovered Lake George which is in the State of ...? *abbrev*

25. George _ _ _ _ believed that a strait separated the Australian mainland from Van Diemen’s Land.

29. In November 1829 he accompanied Sturt on his expedition to the Murrumbidgee and the Murray.

31. Charles _ _ _ _ led several expeditions into the interior, starting from both Sydney and Adelaide.

34. Tasmania was named after _ _ _ _ Tasman.

35. Alexander Forrest (1849 - 1901) was an explorer and surveyor of which State? *abbrev*

36. Peter Egerton ____________ led a party which became the first to cross the continent from the centre to the west.

37. Uluru, discovered by Ernest Giles in 1872, is in which state or territory? *initials*

Down
1. In 1813 he crossed the Blue Mountains with Lawson and Blaxland. Who is he?

2. While searching for an inland sea he discovered that several rivers merge into the River Murray.

3. Accompanied Oxley on a journey of exploration along the Lachlan River in 1817.

4. Robert O’Hara Burke’s initials.

5. He made two expeditions of discovery in WA before becoming Governor of New Zealand. He is George ________.

7. In 1841 he made an overland expedition from South Australia to Albany. He is Edward John ______.

9. In 1839 Eyre followed the Flinders Ranges to Mt Hopeless. In which State?

12. He explored the interior of Qld and Cape York Peninsula. One of his assistants was Jacky Jacky, a young aboriginal.

13. Lawson and Wentworth crossed the Blue Mountains with him in 1813.

14. This man was the sole survivor of the ill-fated Burke and Wills expedition to the Gulf of Carpentaria. John ________.

16. He surveyed the Macquarie River (1818), Jervis Bay and Port Macquarie (1819), Moreton Bay and the Brisbane River (1823). He was appointed Surveyor-General of NSW.

18. Hume and Hovell discovered Lake Bathurst, in which State? *initials*

19. In 1870 brothers John and Alexander trekked from Perth to Adelaide. What was the brothers’ surname?

21. Journeying more than 8 000 km he ‘discovered’ more land in Australia than any other explorer. He is Ernest ______.

25. Who wrote, in a diary entry—“This will be the place for a village” when he discovered fresh water near the Yarra River?

26. Charles Sturt led two expeditions into the interior of which State? *initials*

27. Who led the first known European expedition to reach Van Diemen’s Land (now Tasmania)?

28. Cunningham discovered the Darling Downs, in which State? *abbrev*

30. What was Cunningham’s first name? (see Q28 Down)

31. In 1838 Sturt herded cattle overland from Sydney to which State? *initials*

32. Oxley recommended Moreton Bay as the place for a convict settlement. In which State is Moreton bay? *abbrev*

33. Ludwig Leichhardt endured a perilous journey from Qld to which State or Territory? *initials*
Australia’s Flora

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### Across

1. This red and green flower from WA begins with an Australian animal’s name. *(two words)*

3. This State has the greatest variety of native plant groups in Australia. *abbrev’*

7. The scientific name for the Golden Wattle is ________ pycnantha.

9. Gum trees are ___________ trees.

11. The common name for the Casuarina tree is __________.

12. The floral emblem of Queensland is the Cooktown _________.

15. Low ___________ is the main vegetation along the Nullarbor Plain.

17. A well-known Australian native flower is Sturt’s Desert _________.

19. The Jumping-jack wattle is an endangered plant that grows in the Eyre Peninsula in which State? *initials*

20. The Flora River is in which State?

21. The Araucaria heterophylla is the _________ Island Pine.

23. Spider Flower, Silky-oak and Toothbrush are common names for different types of the __________ plant.

24. Australia’s floral emblem is the Golden _________.

### Down

1. This tall eucalypt grows in the south-west of WA. A famous one is the 61m ‘Gloucester Tree’ at Pemberton.

2. What is the common name for *acacia pycnantha?* *(two words)*

4. This unusual-looking tree has a trunk with a swollen base. It occurs in the Kimberley region of WA.

5. Which State is famous for its wildflowers? *initials*

6. What is the common name for the Telopea plant?

8. The floral emblem of Tasmania is the Tasmanian ...? *(two words)*

10. What is the common name for the WA tree *Eucalyptus marginate?*


14. Eucalyptus trees are _______ trees.

15. The grass Triodia is commonly known as ________.

16. Named after Sir Joseph Banks and belonging to the family Proteaceae this plant has characteristic flower spikes and fruiting ‘cones’.

18. The ________ Pine is a tall slim tree which has upward-growing branches. It is only found in Tasmania, and lives within rainforests.

22. The Royal Bluebell is the floral emblem of which State or Territory? *initials*
Across
1. Goodbye. (two words)
5. A relative, for example a cousin, uncle or auntie.
7. Christmas.
9. A hen or a rooster.
10. Sunglasses.
12. True, or truly.
14. A word to describe someone who’s very, very Australian, especially in their speech and behaviour.
16. A very young kangaroo, still in the pouch.
17. Australia.
18. Biscuit.
19. A young woman.
23. Blowfly.
24. A dog that’s a mixed breed.
25. Delighted, stoked.
26. Another expression for “No problems”. (two words)

Down
1. A sausage.
2. This is for keeping things (usually drinks) cool at picnics or barbecues.
3. Afternoon.
4. Vegetables.
7. A farmer.
8. University.
10. A person who sulks; a wimp.
11. Goodness!
15. Beauty!
18. Barbecue.
22. Little creatures (insects and spiders) that bite.
Australia: Songs, Poems and Stories
### Across

1. This famous Australian writer and poet featured on the former Australian ten dollar note. *(two words)*

4. A famous Australian shearing song is, “Click go the ________”. 

6. This convict ballad begins with the line, “Farewell to Old England forever.” It is __________ Bay.

7. “______ land abounds in Nature’s gifts...” are words from ‘Advance Australia Fair’.

9. “Tribal Voice” is a song that was written and performed by the band Yothu ________.

10. “Tie me Kangaroo Down Sport” was an international hit song for Rolf ________.

12. “Waltzing Matilda” begins with the line, ‘Once a jolly ____________’. 

15. A legendary Australian Country and Western singer is ________ Dusty.

17. Australian bush poet who wrote, “The Man From Snowy River”.

21. “I Still Call ____________ Home” was written and performed by Peter Allen.

24. Henry Lawson penned the words to “The Drover’s ________”.

25. A Rolf Harris Christmas song is “______ White Boomers”.

26. John Williamson wrote, and sang, a song with an environmental message. The song is, “______ ______ Woodchip”.

27. In his song, “Old Man Emu” John Williamson tells us that an emu can run the _______ off a kangaroo.

### Down

1. We can learn much about Australia’s past from its songs and poems. What is another word for ‘past’?

2. In a song he composed in 1922 Jack O’Hagan wrote, “There’s a track winding back, to an old fashioned shack, along the ________ to Gundagai”.

3. Australia’s best-known song featuring a swagman. *(two words)*

5. In 1885 Henry Lawson wrote the poem, "Shadows Before". What are the initials of this poem?

8. John Williamson wrote and sang, “Home Among the Gum ________”.

11. “One Sunday morning as I was walking” is the first line of the convict ballad, ‘Moreton ______’.

13. Slim Dusty sings “there’s nothing so lonesome” as to stand in the bar of a ‘____  ____  ____  ____’. *(four words)*

14. Peter Allen wrote a song called, “_________ Saddler”.

16. “My Country” is a poem written by Dorothea ________.

18. ‘Banjo’ Paterson wrote “Clancy of the ________”.

19. “True Blue” is a song written by John ________.

20. At the age of 16 Australia’s comical-looking Chad _______ wrote, “The Sheik of Scrubby Creek”.

22. A legendary Australian country music singer (born 1913) is ________ Dawson.

23. “Just a Little Ginger Headed Feller” is a song written by Mary Brett. It is about a boy named Ginger ________. 

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### Across

3. The cities of Bendigo, Ballarat and Kalgoorlie have produced a great amount of this precious metal.  

6. Australia produces an important agricultural product that is missing from the head of this list. What is it? ________, barley, sugarcane, fruits

8. This question is similar to the previous one. Which of our natural resources is missing from the list? bauxite, ________, iron ore, copper, tin, silver, uranium, nickel, zinc, diamonds, natural gas, petroleum

9. Which one of the natural resources mentioned in the previous question is mined at Gove, in the NT?

11. Australia _________ clothing from China.

13. This ore is mined in the Pilbara region of WA and exported (mainly) to Japan.

15. The arrival of the first merinos in Australia laid the foundation for Australia’s ________ and wool industry.

16. One of Australia’s chief trading partners is our neighbour ______ ___________. (two words)

20. Australia ranks in the top six ______ producers in the world. This precious metal is mined at Broken Hill (NSW) and Mt Isa (Qld).

22. 98% of Australia's iron ore is used to manufacture ________, which is then used in industries such as shipbuilding, construction, etc.

24. Ranger, Olympic Dam and Beverley are all names of ________ mines in Australia.

26. John Macarthur is regarded as the pioneer of Australia’s ________ industry.

27. This country is Australia’s 6th biggest export market.

28. This metal was discovered at Greenbushes in WA in 1886.

29. Australia produces about 13% of the world’s supply of this metal. 99% of Australia's production is in WA.

### Down

1. Japan is Australia’s largest export market. Which nation is our second largest market?

2. Australia has a deal to supply liquid natural ______ to China for 25 years.

4. Which important product is produced both onshore and offshore in Australia?

5. These were discovered in the 1970s at Smoke Creek in the north of WA.

7. In 2005 Australia’s main export to this Asian country was coal. The Republic of ________.

9. Which word is missing? Australia’s exports of dairy products are valued at more than $2 ________ annually.

10. Australia’s chief export to the ________ is meat. initials

12. Australia is the third largest exporter of ________ in the world. The biggest mine is at Mt Isa in Qld.


17. Australia ________ textiles to Indonesia.

18. This metal is mined at Broken Hill.

19. Australia has strong trade ties with this small South-East Asian island nation to our north.

21. Australia’s chief export to this European nation is coal. It also imports our wine.

23. Queensland leads Australia in the production of this metal.

25. The ________ industry has kept WA’s economy strong for many years.

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