

Exploring Australia

Key vocabulary:

continent	A large landmass or area of land. There are seven continents on Earth (e.g. Australia).
state / territory	A region or area within a country (e.g. Queensland).
landmark	A large object or feature that can be seen from a distance.
human feature	An object or place made by people.
physical feature	An object or place made by nature.
climate	The pattern of weather in a place over a long period of time.
coral reef	An underwater structure made by millions of tiny creatures called coral.
the outback	A huge area of desert in Australia where few people live due to its hot, dry climate.
Aboriginal Australians	The original inhabitants of Australia.

Map of Australia:



Map from www.worldatlas.com

Australia facts:

	Australian flag:
Population:	27 million
Capital city:	Canberra
Language:	English
Aboriginal languages:	Kriol Yumplatok
Currency:	Australian dollar (\$)
National anthem:	Advance Australia Fair
Head of state:	King Charles III

Australian flag:



Australian animals:



Famous Australian landmarks:

Uluru (Ayers Rock)		Bondi Beach, Sydney	
A huge, famous rock in the middle of the Australian outback.			
Sydney Opera House		Parliament House, Canberra	
One of the most famous concert halls in the world.		The meeting place of the Australian government .	
Sydney Harbour Bridge		The Great Barrier Reef	
An iconic bridge stretching across Sydney harbour.		The biggest coral reef in the world, stretching 2300km.	