

<p>1. We studied the music "Down Under." Australia and New Zealand. The country of Australia is really two islands, Australia and Tasmania.</p>	<p>5. Yothu Yindi is a popular rock group in Australia that has brought together ancient Aboriginal music with contemporary rock.</p>	<p>9. For Aborigines, music and dance are centuries old rituals telling their tales.</p>	<p>13. Australian music is both the folk and country music of the working class and native Australians and the British influenced rock and pop music.</p>
<p>2. We enjoy many successful music groups from Australia including AC/DC, IN/XS, Men at Work, and The Wiggles.</p>	<p>6. The didgeridoo is an ancient instrument from Australia, a hollowed out branch played very much like a brass instrument.</p>	<p>10. Australians call any wild place with trees or plants "the bush." Going out to the desert is called going to the "outback."</p>	<p>14. More than 100 million people have visited the famous Sydney Opera House since it opened in 1973.</p>
<p>3. Waltzing Matilda is not the Australian national anthem, but perhaps the most widely known Australian song.</p>	<p>7. Other popular instruments in native Australian culture include the bullroarer, and frame drums, and play rhythm sticks.</p>	<p>11. The Great Barrier Reef off the coast of Australia, is the largest structure on the planet built by living things.</p>	<p>15. Australia's two national animals are the kangaroo and the emu.</p>
<p>4. Australian folk and country music proclaims the tribulations of the native Australians and the working class.</p>	<p>8. Aboriginal tribes describe their territory using songs instead of maps.</p>	<p>12. Both surfing and skiing are popular past-times in Australia.</p>	<p>16. Australia has more kangaroos than people.</p>