

## Lesson 1 – Worksheet 2

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Colour Australia on the world map below.



2) Label the states, territories and capital cities on the map of Australia below.



3. Use the words from the box below and complete the cloze passage about Australia.

Sixth                  ocean                  country                  Queensland                  Northern                  snow                  Sydney

### **Australia**

Australia is a \_\_\_\_\_ in the southern hemisphere.

It is a large island continent and the world's \_\_\_\_\_ largest country though it is sparsely populated. Most of Australia's people live around the edge near the \_\_\_\_\_. This is due to the vast desert that makes up the middle of the continent.

Australia rarely experiences sub-zero temperature, but \_\_\_\_\_ does fall on some mountains in the South East.

Australia has six states – New South Wales, \_\_\_\_\_, South Australia, Tasmania, Victoria and Western Australia. It has two major territories – the \_\_\_\_\_ Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.

The most populous states are New South Wales and Victoria with two of the largest cities (Melbourne and \_\_\_\_\_).

## ANSWERS

Australia is a **country** in the southern hemisphere. It is a large island continent and the world's **sixth** largest country though it is sparsely populated. Most of Australia's people live around the edge near the **ocean**. This is due to the vast desert that makes up the middle of the continent. Australia rarely experiences sub-zero temperature, but **snow** does fall on some mountains in the South East.

Australia has six states New South Wales, **Queensland**, South Australia, Tasmania, Victoria and Western Australia. It has two major territories – the **Northern** Territory and the Australian Capital Territory. The most populous states are New South Wales and Victoria with two of the largest cities (Melbourne and **Sydney**).

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### Australia (modified)

1. Colour Australia on the world map below.



2. The states and territories are listed. Label them on the map of Australia below:

New South Wales  
Queensland  
Victoria

Northern Territory  
ACT  
South Australia

Tasmania  
Western Australia



Bonus: Write any major capital cities you know!

3. Use the words from the box below and complete the cloze passage about Australia.

country

Queensland

Northern

Sydney

### **Australia**

Australia is a \_\_\_\_\_.

Australia has six states – New South Wales, \_\_\_\_\_, South Australia, Tasmania, Victoria and Western Australia.

It has two major territories – the \_\_\_\_\_ Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.

The states with the most people are New South Wales and Victoria with two of the largest cities (Melbourne and \_\_\_\_\_).

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### Australia (extension)

1. Colour Australia on the world map below.



2. Label the states, territories and major capital cities on the map of Australia below.



3. Use the words from the box below and complete the cloze passage about Australia.

sixth                  ocean                  country                  Queensland                  Northern                  snow  
Reef                  Sydney                  estimated

### **Australia**

Australia is a \_\_\_\_\_ in the southern hemisphere. It is nicknamed the 'Land Down Under'.

It is a large island continent and the world's \_\_\_\_\_ largest country though it is sparsely populated. Australia is \_\_\_\_\_ to have a population of 24 million people. Most of Australia's people live around the edge near the \_\_\_\_\_. This is due to the vast desert that makes up the middle of the continent.

Australia rarely experiences sub-zero temperature, but \_\_\_\_\_ does fall on some mountains in the South East.

Australia has six states – New South Wales, \_\_\_\_\_, South Australia, Tasmania, Victoria and Western Australia. It has two major territories – the \_\_\_\_\_ Territory and the Australian Capital Territory. The most populous states are New South Wales and Victoria with two of the largest cities (Melbourne and \_\_\_\_\_). The capital city of Australia is Canberra.

Australia has some iconic landmarks including Uluru, The Great Barrier \_\_\_\_\_, and the Sydney Opera House.