

# TCSS Australia Unit Test Study Guide

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1. Identify the following physical features in the map below: Great Barrier Reef, Coral Sea, Ayers Rock, and Great Victoria Desert. (SS6G12a)

2. Which body of water lies along Australia's northeast coast? (SS6G12a)

3. Which Australian physical feature is a sacred place of the Aborigine people? (SS6G12a)



4. Read the statements below. Identify whether the statement is True or False. If the statement is False, rewrite the statement as True. (SS6G13a)

- a. Almost 80% of Australians live in rural areas.
- b. Tropical rain forests make up the largest part of Australia.
- c. The coastal areas in the south of Australia are the most highly populated.
- d. Australia has to import food because it does not have enough arable (farmable) land.

5. Based on Australia's natural resources, what activity is the most valuable? (SS6G13a)

6. Based on Australia's location, which countries are its major trading partners? (SS6G13b)

7. How did English colonization impact the language and religion of Australia? (SS6G14a)

8. Describe Australia's literacy rate and its relationship to Australia's standard of living. (SS6G14b)

9. Identify Australia's type of government. (SS6CG6a)

10. How is power distributed in the government of Australia? (SS6CG6a)

11. Who has the most political power in the Australian government? (SS6CG6c)

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12. Who sets the price for goods in Australia? (SS6E8c)

13. Define specialization. (SS6E9a)

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14. Explain how the table above illustrates specialization. (SS6E9a)

15. What are tariffs? Why would a country want to impose a tariff? (SS6E9b)

16. Describe investment in human capital and investment in physical capital. Identify an example of each in Australia. (SS6E10b)

17. Define entrepreneurship and describe its use in Australia. (SS6E10d)

18. What type of people were the first British colonists in Australia? (SS6H9a)

19. Describe the Aborigines. (SS6H8a)

20. What was the greatest threat to the Aborigines after the Europeans began settling Australia? (SS6H9b)

21. How did life change for the Aborigines during colonization? Include aspects of language, religion, and health. (SS6G14; H9b)

22. Where do most Australians live and why? (SS6G12-G13)