

# Let's listen and guess which of these poems about Australia



**A.** The snow lies white on roof and tree,  
Frost fairies creep about,  
The world's as still as it can be,  
And Santa Claus is out.  
He's making haste his gifts to leave,  
While the stars show his way,  
There'll soon be no more Christmas Eve,  
Tomorrow's Christmas Day!



**B.** Singing carols by the sea  
Eating turkey on the sands  
Paper hats, mince pies, and crackers  
Never see a flake of snow  
But the flickering lights of fireworks



Set their Christmas night aglow.





What nations live in  
different countries

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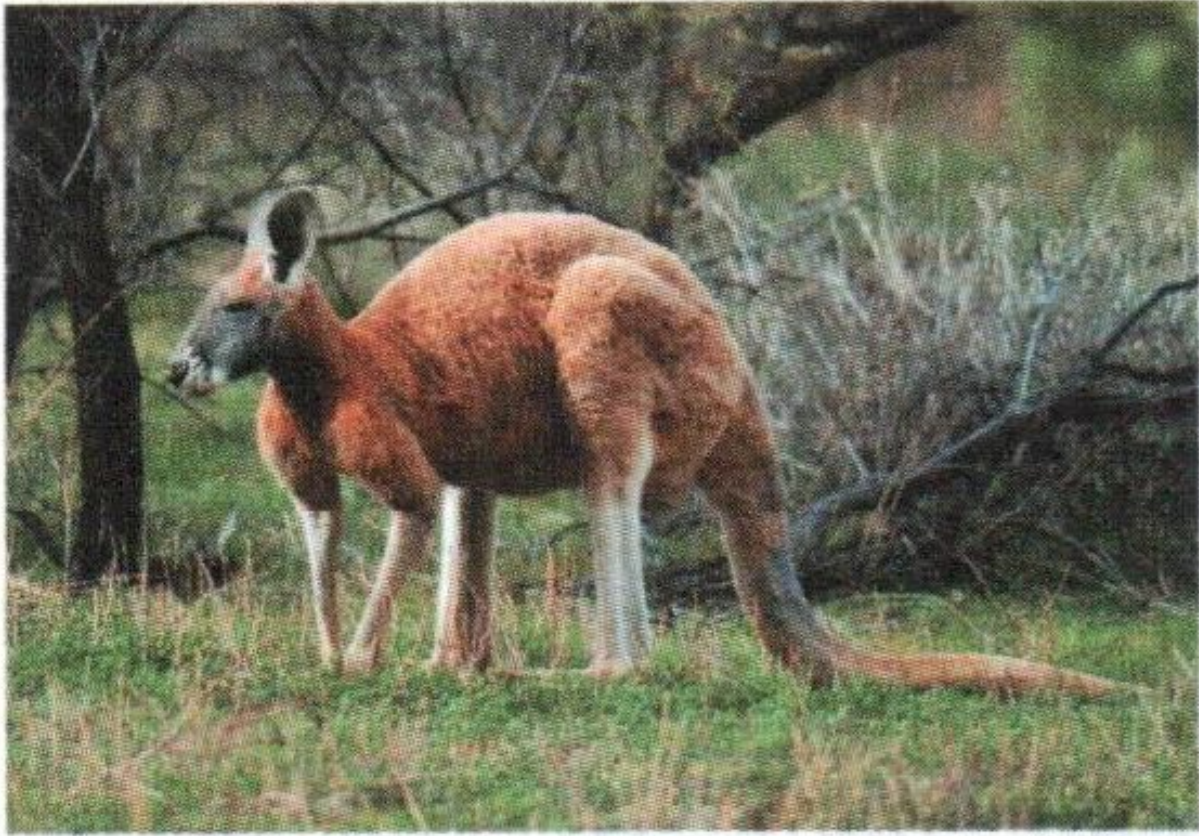
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**the koala**

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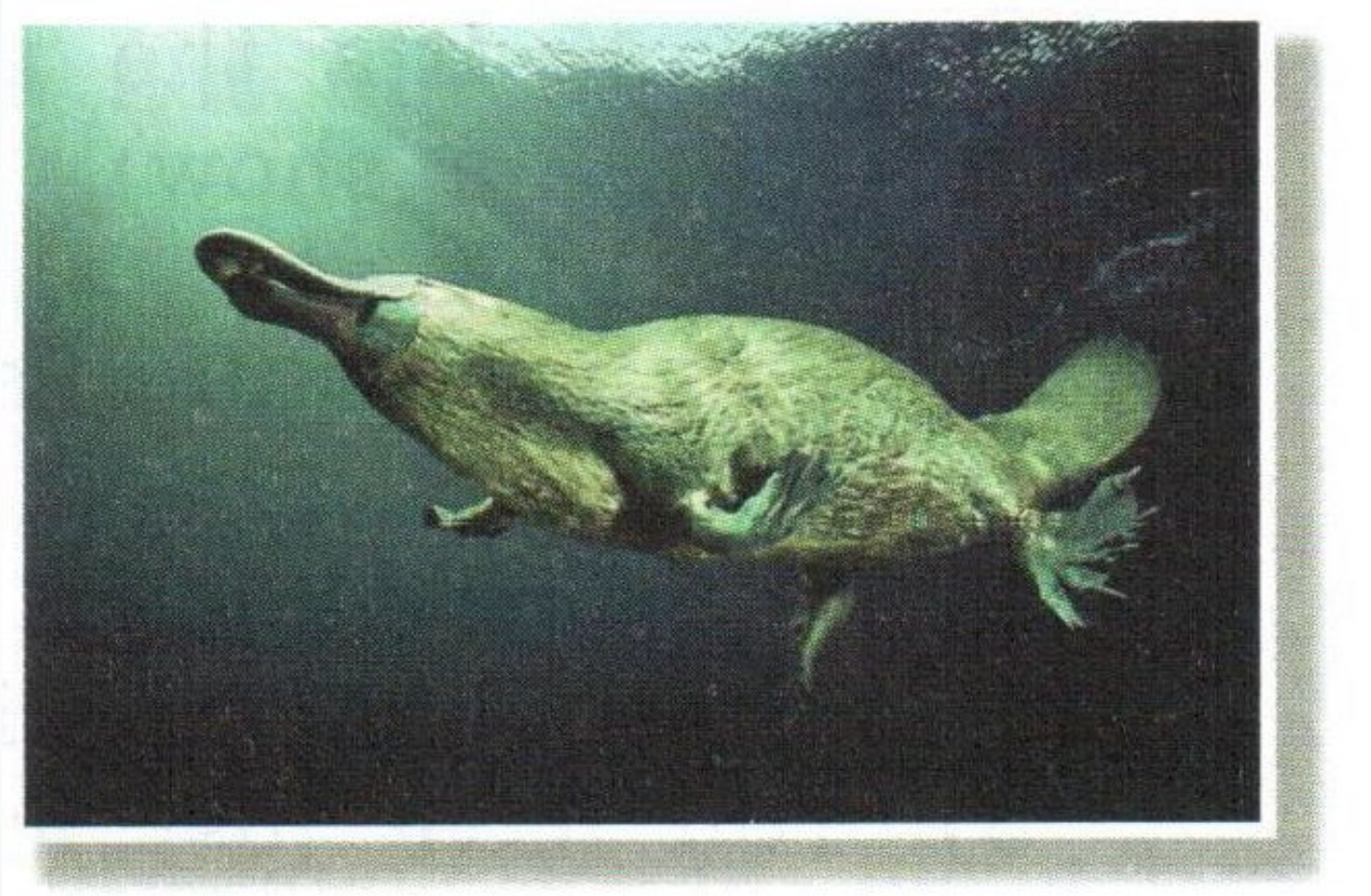


**the red  
kangaroo**

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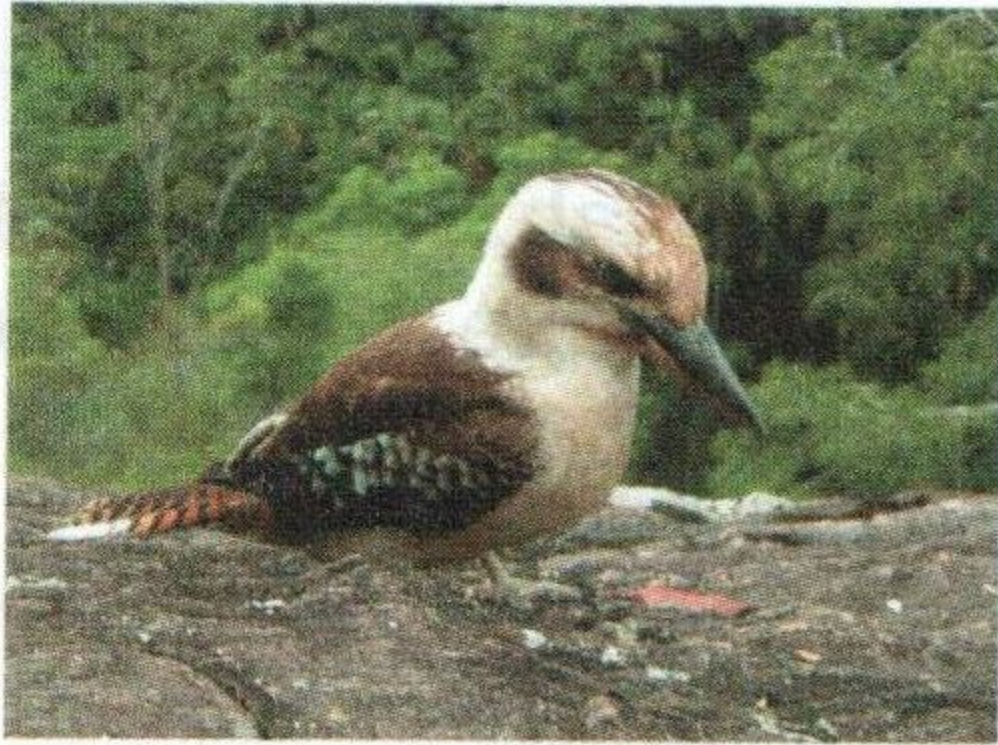
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the  
duckbill



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kookaburra



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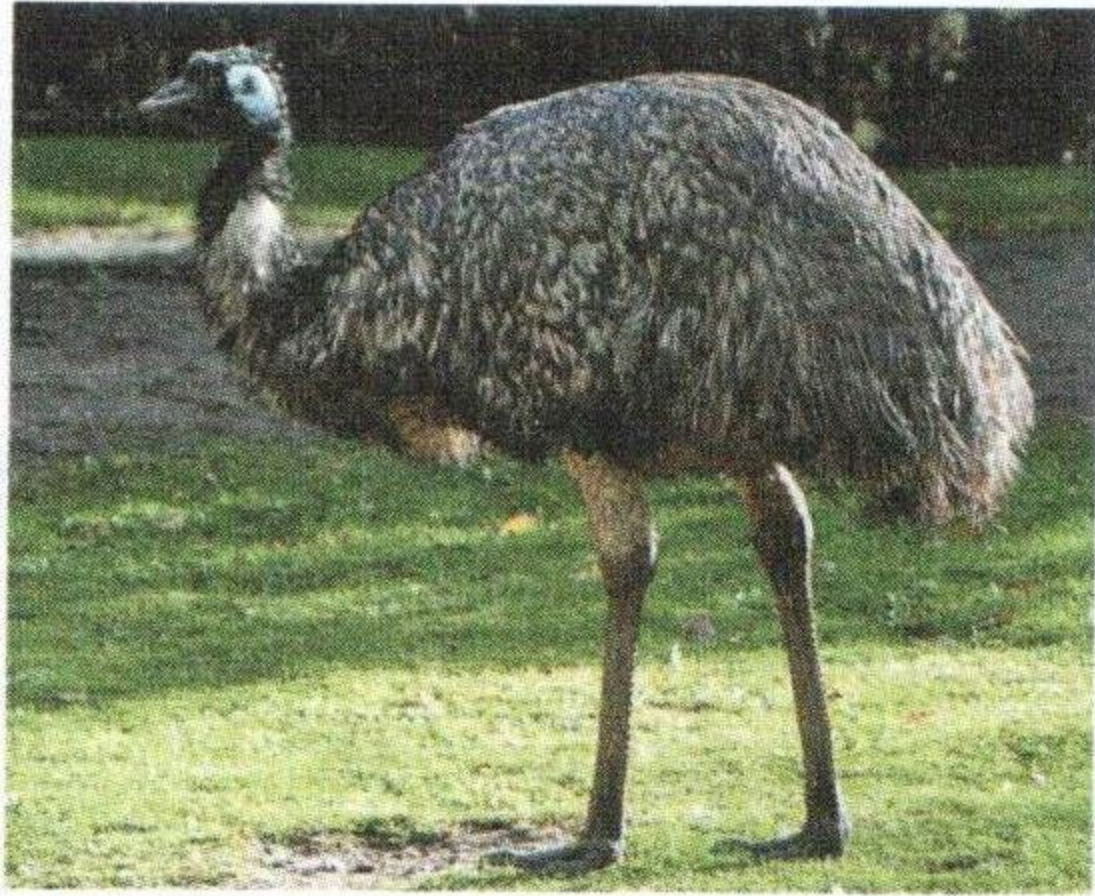


the  
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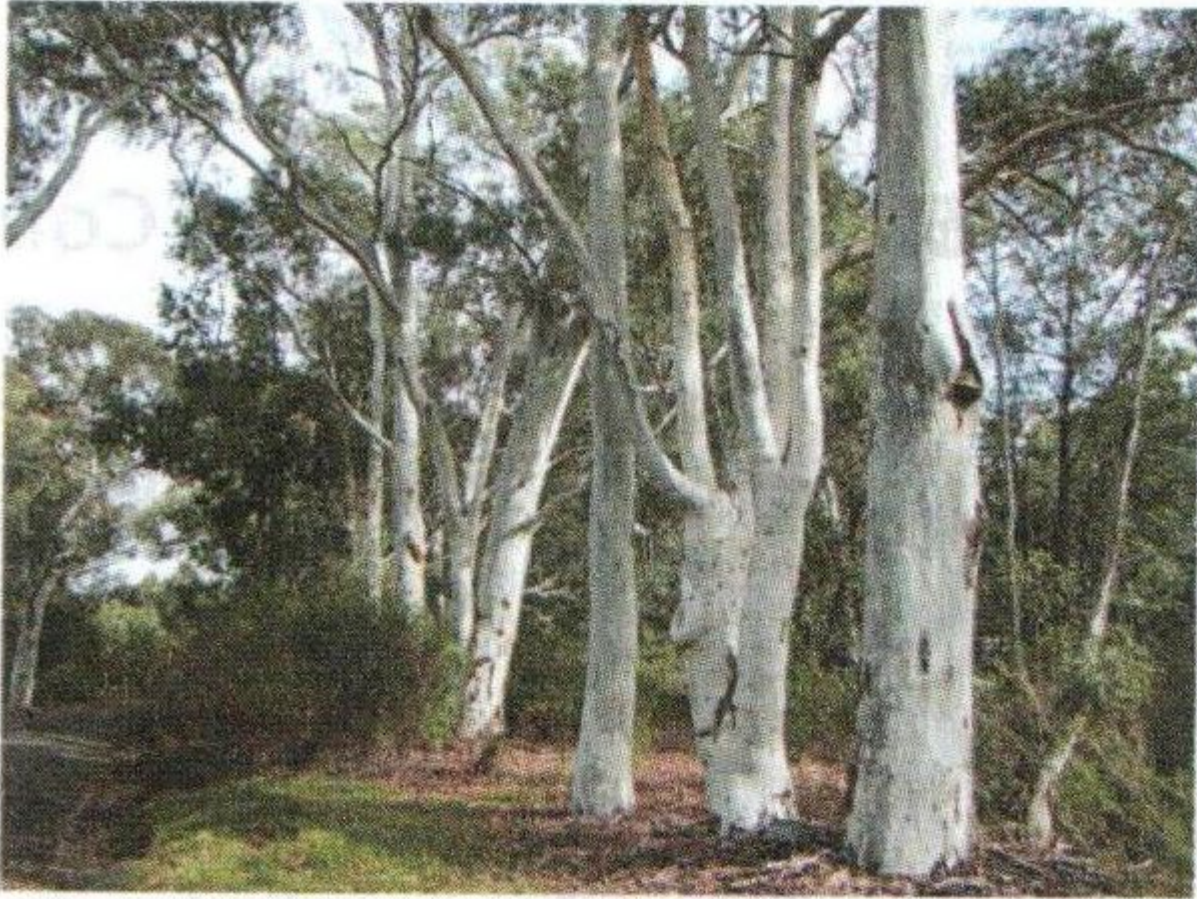
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the  
emu



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eucalyptus tree/gum  
trees



# Grammar

1) The other day we (went/have gone) to picture gallery. 2) I never (had/have had) a flat of my own. 3) Lately Jane (saw/has seen) a garden full of beautiful spring flowers. 4) It's the first time we (were/have been) on such an interesting journey. 5) I know that Columbus (discovered/has discovered) America but I don't remember when he (did/has done) it. 6) It's the second time I (have driven/drove) a car. It's really great. 7) It's ten o'clock in the morning and I (haven't seen/didn't see) Charlie yet. (Have you seen/Did you see) him, Pamela? 8) It's awful. They (have destroyed/destroyed) the old church lately. You can't see it any more and it (was/has been) so beautiful. 9) The children (came/have come back) home just now. 10) What (did you do/have you done) the day before yesterday?

## Articles (Артикли)

Обратите внимание на то, что название нации в целом обычно употребляется с определённым артиклем — the English (англичане), the French (французы), the Chinese (китайцы), the Russians (русские). Однако в случае слов на **-an** — (the) Americans, (the) Canadians — он может опускаться. В некоторых случаях наименования отдельных представителей нации образуются при помощи сложных слов или словосочетаний — an Englishman/an Englishwoman, English people; a Frenchman/a Frenchwoman, French people.

Во фразах типа «Я русский», «Он англичанин» чаще используется прилагательное, чем существительное.

Сравните: I am Russian. He is English. (Хотя I am a Russian. He is an Englishman. — возможные, но значительно реже употребляемые варианты.)

- 1) Sumo is a ... sport in which two very large men fight.
  - 2) Spaghetti [spə'geti] is a favourite ... food.
  - 3) Paris is the capital of ... .
  - 4) In some ... restaurants you can eat borshch, blini and drink tea from a samovar.
  - 5) The ... live on the British Isles.
  - 6) Do people in Australia speak ... like people in the USA?
  - 7) Mike and Jack are Canadians. Do they speak ... or ...?
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- 8) The ... celebrate the New Year holiday in the hottest time of the year.
  - 9) When Paul was in Paris, he met some very nice ..., now they are good friends.
  - 10) The Grimm brothers are ..., they wrote their tales in the ... language.
  - 11) The ... live in China and have a very old culture.
  - 12) The ... live in Vietnam. They are very hard-working people.
  - 13) The ... live in Japan. They have a lot of interesting traditions.
  - 14) The official language of Japan is ... .
  - 15) The official language of China is ... .

| No | Country                         | Language (official) <sup>2</sup> | People   | Nation            |
|----|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-------------------|
| 1  | America (the USA)               | English                          | an American/<br>Americans  | (the) Americans   |
| 2  | Australia                       | English                          | an Australian/<br>Australians  | (the) Australians |
| 3  | Canada                          | English/<br>French               | a Canadian/<br>Canadians   | (the) Canadians   |
| 4  | Germany                         | German                           | a German/<br>Germans   | (the) Germans     |
| 5  | Italy                           | Italian                          | an Italian/<br>Italians  | (the) Italians    |
| 6  | Norway                          | Norwegian                        | a Norwegian/<br>Norwegians   | (the) Norwegians  |
| 7  | Russia (the Russian Federation) | Russian                          | a Russian/<br>Russians   | (the) Russians    |
| 8  | China                           | Chinese                          | a Chinese/<br>Chinese people   | the Chinese       |
| 9  | Japan                           | Japanese                         | a Japanese/<br>Japanese people   | the Japanese      |
| 10 | Vietnam                         | Vietnamese                       | a Vietnamese/<br>Vietnamese people   | the Vietnamese    |
| 11 | Great Britain (the UK)          | English                          | a Briton <sup>1</sup> /<br>British people                                      | the British       |
| 12 | France                          | French                           | a French person<br>(a Frenchman,<br>a Frenchwoman)/<br>French people           | the French        |
| 13 | England                         | English                          | an English person<br>(an Englishman<br>or an English-<br>woman)/English people | the English       |



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