



Animals from Down Under

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Study the other PDF file, [Information and pictures of Australian animals](http://www.austemb.org/PDFS/Animals-History.pdf) (<http://www.austemb.org/PDFS/Animals-History.pdf>), or its printout, and then answer the following questions:

1. What is a “Monotreme mammal?”

Which two animals are Monotremes?

- A. Echidna and Kangaroo
- B. Platypus and Echidna
- C. Wombat and Platypus

2. What is a “Marsupial mammal?”

Which three animals are Marsupials?

- A. Wombat, Dingo and Echidna
- B. Kangaroo, Wombat and Dingo
- C. Tasmanian Devil, Koala and Kangaroo

3. What is a “Placental mammal?”

Which of the following is a Placental mammal?

- A. Kangaroo
- B. Wombat
- C. Dingo
- D. Platypus

4. Which Australian bird has a big head and kills snakes?

- A. Lyre Bird
- B. Kookaburra
- C. Emu

5. Which Australian bird is the second largest bird in the world?

- A. Lyre Bird
- B. Kookaburra
- C. Emu

6. What two species of Crocodile live in Australia?

- A. Biggie and Smallie
- B. Estuarine and Fresh Water
- C. Sea and Lake

7. Of the two crocodile species, which one is bigger?

8. How many species of snakes are there in Australia?

- A. About 20
- B. About 200
- A. About 160

9. Which Australian snake is considered the most poisonous?

- A. Carpet snake
- B. Lawyer snake
- C. Taipan
- D. Politician snake

10. Which is the largest Shark in Australian Waters?

- A. The Great White
- B. The Gray Whaler
- C. The Gray Nurse
- D. The Tiger