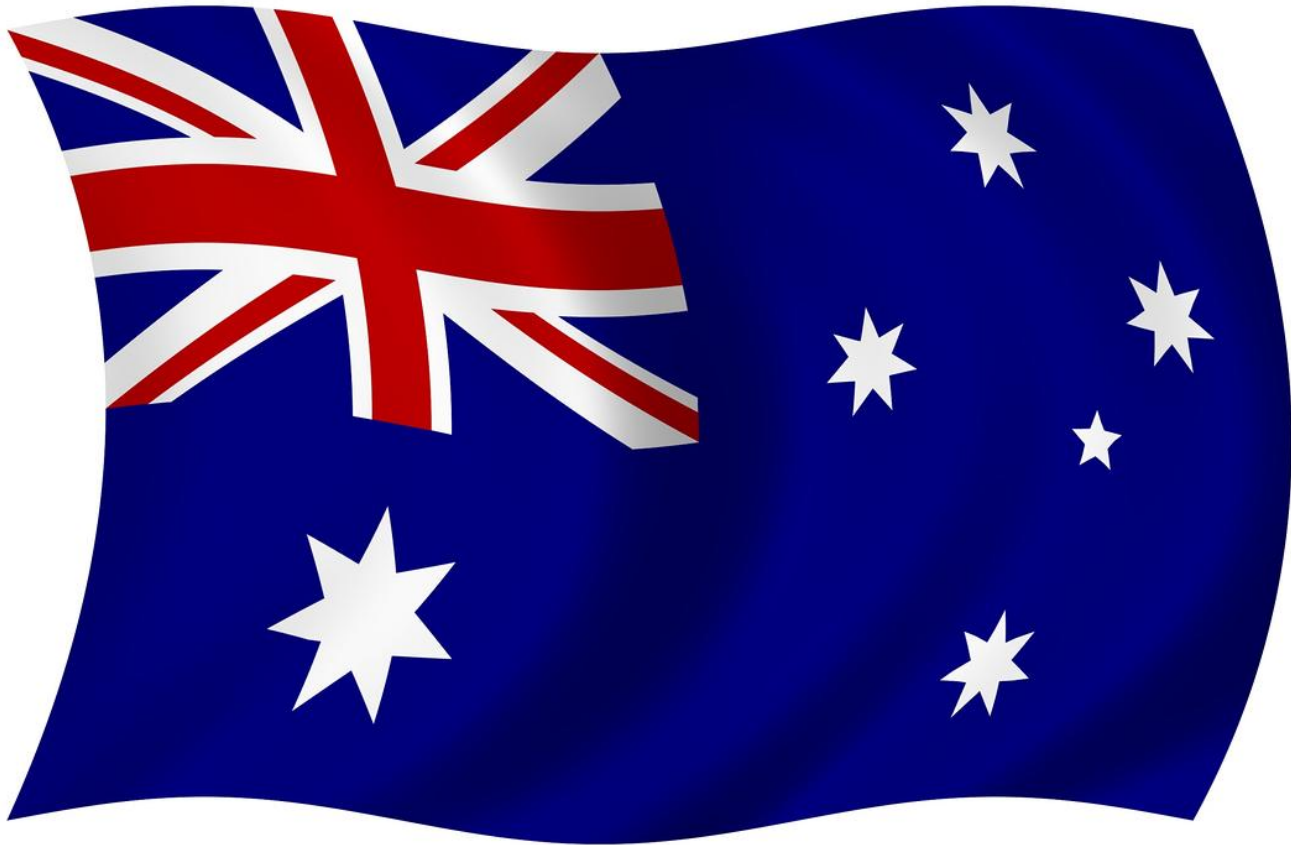


**AUSTRALIA**

Or

DOWN UNDER

# AUSTRALIAN FLAG



# MAP OF AUSTRALIA



# AUSTRALIAN REGIONS (6+TASMANIA)





# GEOGRAPHY

- The world's largest "island", but the world's smallest continent
- Country and a continent in the same time
- Called Down Under
- The hottest, the driest and the flattest continent
- 18 million people live there

# PEOPLE

- ▣ Aborigines-first inhabitants-came from north 40,000 years ago
- ▣ British colony-1787 convicts came-they started the first colony there-Sydney
- ▣ Since 18th century white people live there – destroyed Aborigine's way of life
- ▣ Today-immigrants from all over the world

# TOWNS and CITIES

- Most Australians live in the big cities on the SE and east coast
- CANBERRA-capital of Australia (333.940 people)
- Sydney (about 4 million people) and Melbourne (about 3 million people)

# SYDNEY





# MELBOURNE



# CANBERRA





# LIFESTYLE

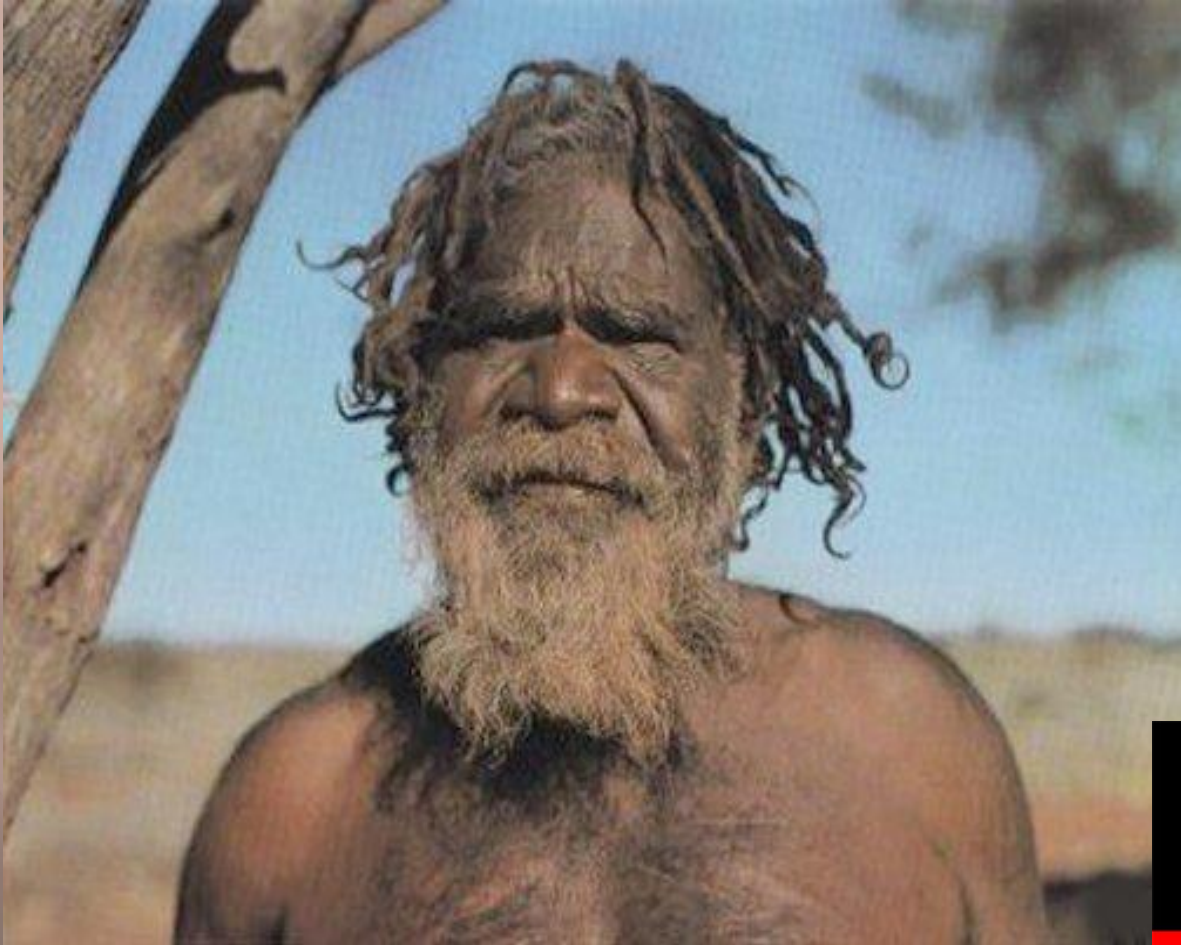
- ▣ Very friendly people
- ▣ Love sport: surfing, swimming, sailing, tennis, golf, horse riding
- ▣ Birds watching-hobby
- ▣ Love to spend time on beaches
- ▣ Love to work on farms (150 milion of sheep)

# LANGUAGE

- ▣ ENGLISH with special accent
- ▣ STRINE-Australian slang



# ABORIGINES



- The word "aboriginal" means "the first" or "earliest known". The word was first used in Italy and Greece to describe people who lived there, natives or old inhabitants, not newcomers, or invaders.
- Australia may well be the home of the world's first people. Stone tools discovered in 1971 show that humans lived in Australia at least twelve thousand years before they appeared in Europe.

# AYERS ROCK





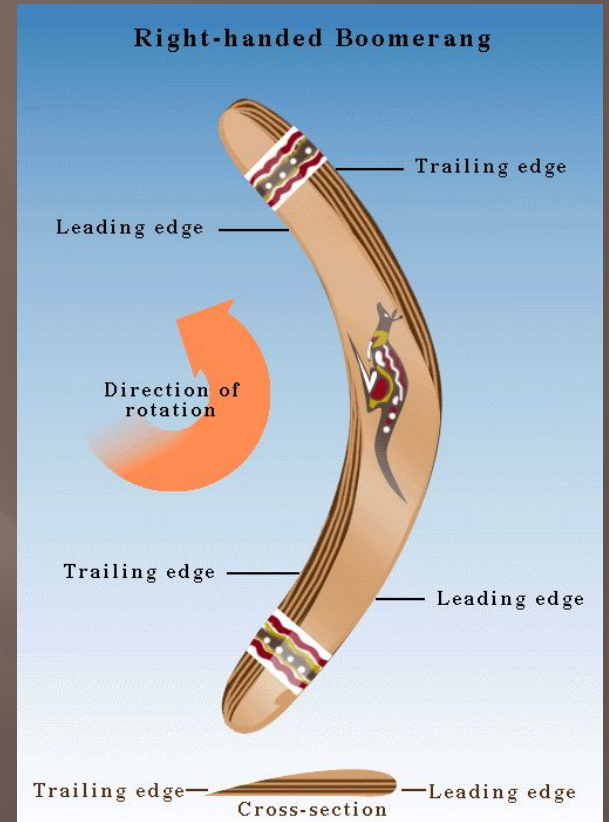








# BOOMERANG



# ABORIGINAL INSTRUMENTS

- THE DIDJERIDU (didgeridoo) – 1-1.5 m, used to made out of wood holed by insects





# THE BULLROARER

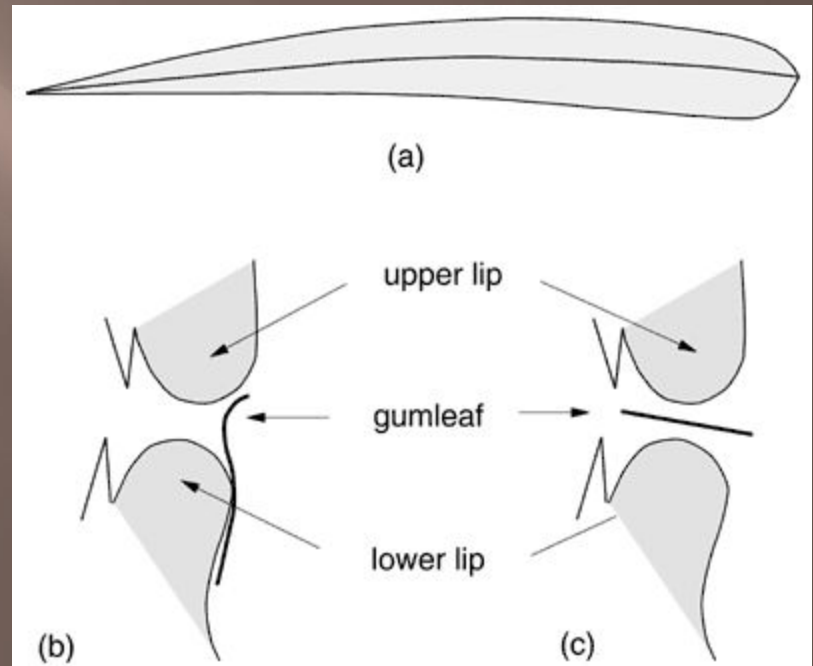
- A bullroarer is a wooden instrument shaped like a leaf or an oval. It's attached to a string and when it is whirled through the air while spinning on its own axis, bullroarer is generating sounds are like howls, roars and thundering of animals or spirits.





# THE GUMLEAF

- Leaf of one of the type of the Eucalyptus tree



# CLAPSTICKS used for playing rhythm



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**C'MON MATE!**

LET'S DO THE STRINE!!!



barbie	Barbecue
beaut	Beautiful
postie	Postman
bikkie	Biscuit
telly	Television
chewie	Chewing gum
lippy	Lipstick
sunnies	Sun glasses
chalkie	Teacher
bub	Baby
Spag bol	Spaghetti bolognese
polly	Politician

rego	Car registration
sanger	Sandwich
kindie	Kindergarten
mozzie	Mosquito
roo	Kangaroo
ambo	Ambulance
brekkie	breakfast
<b>Fair dinkum!</b>	<b>Honest</b>
Buckley's chance	No chance
Drink with the flies	Drink alone
Mystery bag	Sausage
Belt up!	Shut up!
Good on ya!	Well done!
She's apples!	She's fine!
Dead horse!	Tomato sauce

**THANKS  
MATE!!!**



# AUSTRALIA

- ▣ Country and a continent
- ▣ Called Down Under
- ▣ The capital city: Canberra
- ▣ Native people: Aborigines
- ▣ Language: English
- ▣ Animals: koala, crocodile, dingo, kangaroo
- ▣ Biggest cities: Sydney and Melbourne
- ▣ Sights: The Sydney Opera House, Ayers Rock