

Webquest 2013

Your mission is to visit the websites and answer the questions listed underneath them.

All questions need to be answered in full sentences.

Your answers may be typed or hand written and each answer must be in your own words – do not copy and paste.

http://www.sl.nsw.gov.au/discover_collections/history_nation/terra_australis/firstfleet.html

1. On what date did the First Fleet arrive in Australia?

http://www.peo.gov.au/students/fact_sheets/federation.html

Federation of Australia

1. How many Australian colonies were there before they joined together as one nation?
2. On what date did the constitution of Australia come into force?

Immigration Restriction Act (1901)

www.foundingdocs.gov.au/item-did-16.html

1. This Act was aimed at excluding which people?
2. Why was the dictation test used instead of simply rejecting people on the basis of their race? Why was any European language chosen instead of English?
3. Was this the first time this test had been used?
4. What change was made in 1932?
5. When did the Act stop being in force?

Immigration Restriction Acts Documents and Background with Video -

<http://www.migrationheritage.nsw.gov.au/exhibition/objectsthroughtime/immigration-restriction-act/>

1. In 1901 what percentage of the people were white?
2. What did the 1901 Post and Telegraph Act say about who they employed?
3. Which communities were the main targets of the Act?

Abolition of the Policy - <http://www.immi.gov.au/media/fact-sheets/08abolition.htm>

1. Over what period of time was the Act removed?
2. What reasons are given for the Act?
3. In 1919 how was the Act described by Prime Minister Hughes?
4. In 1966 what became the criteria for being accepted into Australia?
5. By June 2009 what percentage of the population of Australia was born overseas?

http://www.skwirk.com/p-t_s-14_u-127_t-350/white-australia-immigration-restriction-act-1901/nsw/history/australia-to-1914

1. How were Aboriginal people regarded?
2. Why were the white miners concerned about the Chinese miners?
3. How much were Pacific Islanders paid in comparison with white workers?

http://www.skwirk.com.au/p-c_s-14_u-127_t-350_c-1213/history-of-racist-attitudes-and-fear/nsw/history/australia-to-1914/white-australia-immigration-restriction-act-1901

1. When Captain Cook came to Australia, how did the Europeans regard the land?
2. What was the attitude towards the Aboriginal people by the Europeans?
3. What happened in the 1950's to the Aboriginal people?
4. In 1901 what were the Aboriginal people not allowed to do?

<http://ezinearticles.com/?Charles-Darwin-For-Kids&id=1973568>

1. What sort of science was Charles Darwin famous for?
2. What is the theory of evolution about?
3. What is the main concept behind the theory of natural selection?

<http://www.thefreedictionary.com/social+Darwinism>

1. Define Social Darwinism

<http://www.hsse.nie.edu.sg/staff/blackburn/Racismandnationalism.htm>

1. According to Social Darwinism, where did the Anglo-Saxon people, that is white people, sit in terms of superiority?

<http://www.oppapers.com/essays/White-Australia-Policy/183651>

1. What was the attitude towards the Aboriginal people in the Aboriginal Protection Act?

Current Immigration Policy - <http://www.immi.gov.au/media/fact-sheets/01backgd.htm>

1. Our current policy does not discriminate on the basis of what?
2. Describe the three streams that migrants are selected into Australia today.
3. Which people does the Humanitarian Program offer resettlement to?

<http://www.immi.gov.au/media/fact-sheets/60refugee.htm>

1. What is a refugee?
2. What is Australia's attitude towards refugees?

<http://www.immi.gov.au/media/fact-sheets/02key.htm>

1. What was Australia's population in 1945?
2. What was Australia's population estimated to be in September 2011?
3. Which countries did most of the immigrants come to Australia from in 2010/2011?

By the end of week 4, I will have answered _____ questions

By the end of week 5, I will have answered _____ questions

By the end of week 6, I will have answered _____ questions

By the end of week 7, I will have answered _____ questions

By Wednesday 26 June I will have answered 37 questions.