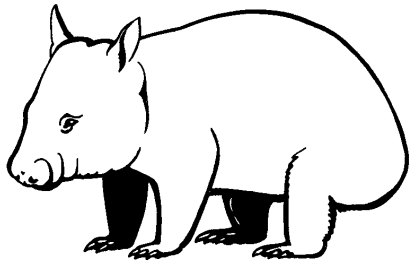


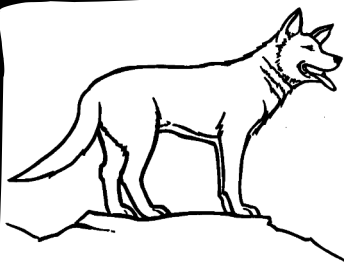
Fast Facts

Complete this information table as you make your way through the Australian Walkabout. Tick off or write the correct answer in each column for each of these Australian animals.

	Diet			Lifestyle		Conservation Status (Critically Endangered, Endangered, Vulnerable or Near Threatened)	Adaptations for Survival (e.g. sharp claws, long strong beak)
	Herbivore	Carnivore	Omnivore	Lives in a group	Solitary		
							
Dingo							
Emu							
Echidna							
Western Grey Kangaroo							
Numbat							
Tasmanian Devil							
Koala							
Southern Hairy-nosed Wombat							



Dingos



Dingo Detective! Fill in the missing information!

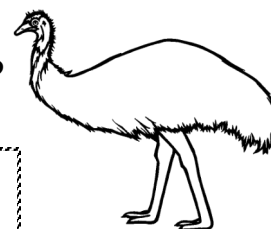
Dingos are thought to have arrived in Australia approximately _____ years ago. They are now considered to be _____ animals, and have become an important part of _____ culture. Unlike a domestic dog, dingos do not _____, don't _____ like a dog and only _____ once a year.

Shade the places where dingos are found on the map.



A Bland Bird?

What colours are the following parts of the Emu?



Feathers	
Neck/Face	
Legs	



Why do you think these colours are important for the Emu?

Emus



KOALA vs WOMBAT!

Koalas and Wombats are both marsupials and despite living quite different lives are very closely related. Describe the following features and behaviours of these animals.



Koalas and Wombats



	Koala	Wombat
Diet		
Drinks water?		
Habitat		
Pouch		
Claws for?		
Colour		

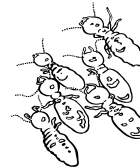


How might these things affect **Numbats** populations?

Logging



Pesticide Use



Introduced Carnivores



Invasive Weeds

Numbats



Echidna

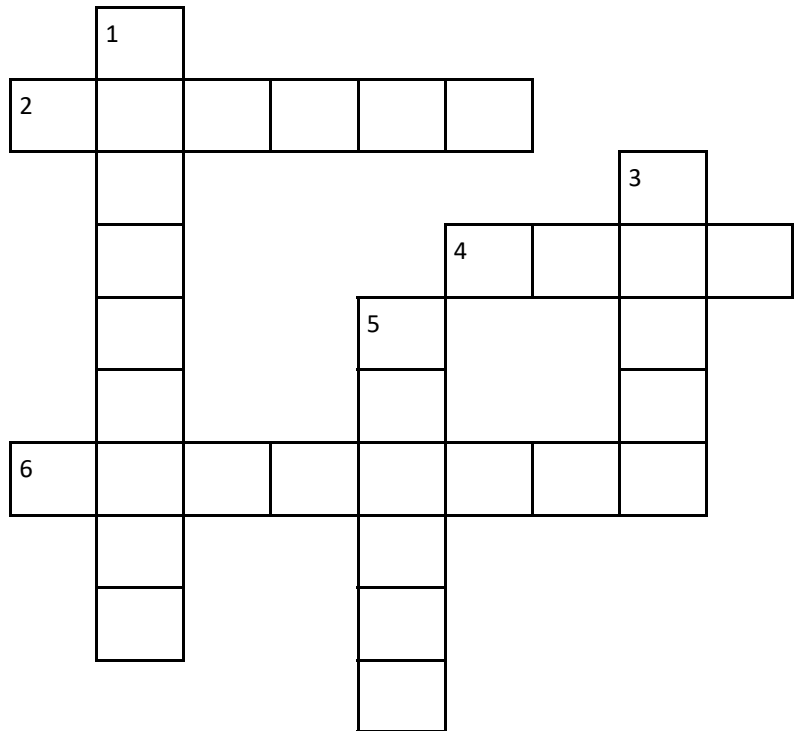


ACROSS

- 2** Long, sticky body part used for eating
- 4** It rolls into this shape if scared
- 6** The echidna's favourite food

DOWN

- 1** A special name for an egg laying mammal
- 3** Very useful for digging
- 5** The echidna uses these for defence



Use the information found in the Numbat display to create an Acrostic Poem. Include your own Numbat conservation message!



N _____

U _____

M _____

B _____

A _____

T _____

Numbat

