



# Australia - A Federal Nation

Primary

1. Australia is a federal nation, therefore the power for making laws

- a belongs completely to the State Parliaments
- b is shared between the State and Commonwealth Parliaments
- c belongs completely to the Commonwealth Parliament

2. The Australian colonies federated to form the Commonwealth of Australia in:

- 1890
- 1901
- 1895

3. The people of the colonies decided to federate

- a by voting in referendums
- b by having a war
- c because Queen Victoria said to

4. The federal agreement is recorded in

- a stone
- b the Australian Constitution
- c the National Anthem

5. How many States make up the Commonwealth of Australia?

- 6
- 8
- 4

6. There are also two self-governing Territories in the Commonwealth of Australia. They are

- The Northern Territory
- The Antarctic Territory
- The Australian Capital Territory

7. My State/Territory Parliament has

- 1 House
- 2 Houses

8. Our Commonwealth Parliament has

- 1 House
- 2 Houses