

STAGE 9

Onya Wallaby4Kids - The Nullarbor



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1. What is the name of the highway across the Nullarbor?
 - The Nullarbor Highway
 - The Eyre Highway
 - The “Bloody Endless Highway”
 - The East/West Highway
2. Name the Aussies that clean up road kill on the roadside on the Nullarbor for free.
 - The Highway Patrol
 - The local ‘adopt a highway’ groups
 - Prisoners
 - Wedge Tailed Eagles
3. Along the Trans Australian Railway Line are sidings named after former Prime Ministers. Can you guess which siding is not named after a former Prime Minister?
 - Deakin
 - Hughes
 - Oldoea
 - Fisher
4. What is the nearest town to the WA / SA border?
 - Cocklebidy
 - Madura
 - Eucla
 - Ceduna

- 5.** Driving across the Nullarbor you are travelling parallel to what?
- The Trans Australia Railway Line
 - The Great Australian Bight
 - The Great Victoria Desert
 - All of the above
- 6.** It has been said that the name Nullarbor comes from the Latin phrase “Nullus Arbor” meaning
- No trees
 - Totally flat
 - Uninhabited
 - A good place from where to see whales
- 7.** How long is the Nullarbor Plain? Is it
- About 500 kilometres across
 - About 1000 kilometres across
 - About 1500 kilometres across
 - About 1700 kilometres across
- 8.** To reach Adelaide you will have to drive around two Peninsulas. They are the
- Stuart and Sturt Peninsulas
 - Eyre and York Peninsulas
 - Burke and Wills Peninsulas
 - Bass and Flinders Peninsulas
- 9.** What is the most northerly town on the route taken on this stage?
- Whyalla
 - Port Pirie
 - Port Augusta
 - Iron Knob
- 10.** Port Augusta is the South Australian gateway to many areas but which area is it not a gateway to?
- Central Australia
 - The Woomera Rocket Range and Prohibited Area
 - The Flinders Ranges
 - The Eyre Peninsula