

# My trip to Australia

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From the 5th to the 29th of July 2017

# Travelling from Angers to Perth

- Travelling from France to Australia is very long (more than 15h flying, a few hours of train and some waiting in airports) but its fine when you know the wonderful trip you're going to live.
- Indeed, Australia is nearly the geographic antipode of France (more than 14 000km from each other).



# Perth

- During my trip I was hosted in a great family in Perth, the Main city of Western Australia.
- This city is located on the seaside, in the south-west of the country and counts a bit more than 2 millions inhabitants (4th biggest city of the country).



- Perth is a really young city as the whole country is and is as well very modern with all its buildings, skyscrapers...
- The city is located on the borders of Swan river which allows it to have these so nice landscapes.
- It's the perfect place to go shopping but also to have a walk or anything since it has urban spaces as well as beautiful green spaces such as Kings Park.
- The city also has some of the most beautiful beaches of Australia which are incredible.





Mercedes College

# Mercedes college

- During my trip, I spent two weeks in an Australian highschool : Mercedes college where I followed the same classes as the girl who hosted me (religion, sewing, maths, physics, littérature and french).
- This school is an all girl school and each girl has to wear the uniform (which is different in summer and winter).
- Classes over there are very different from ours first because they choose whatever they want to do, I mean they don't have any imposed subject, and the way I found the level and the way teachers teach different from ours.



- The second Tuesday, I assisted the sport carnival of the college. So, it's a sportive event where the different houses of the school (Mc Donald, Mc Auley, Cooper, Frayne, Serisier and Wright) compete against each other (each girl of the school belongs to one house) in different trials. At the end, the best house wins the cup. This event is very important for the school.



Some classes I attended



# Some places I have visited

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- Dunsborough, cape leeuwing lighthouse, canal rocks:



Margaret river, its wineries, but also its woods and its caves





I also visited a wildfire park where I met typical Australian animals



koalas

kangaroos



wombats

And so many others...

THANKS AUSTRALIA FOR THIS AMAZING TRIP.  
SEE YOU SOON...

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