

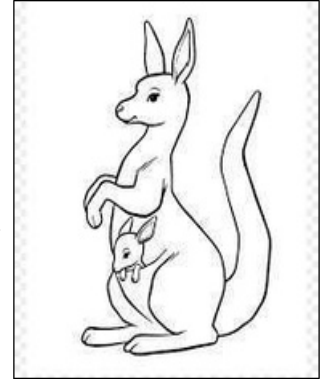
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Australia: National Identities

Let's learn about the national animal of Australia. Read the following paragraph and fill in the blanks below.

The Red Kangaroo is the national animal of Australia. It is the largest of all kangaroos. It has long pointed ears and a square shaped nose. Females are smaller than males. It has two forelimbs with small claws, two muscular hind-limbs, which are used for jumping and a strong tail which is often used to create a tripod when standing upright. Males grow up to a head-and-body length of 1.3 – 1.6 m with a tail that adds a further 1.2 m. Females are considerably smaller, with a head-and-body length of 85–105 cm and tail length of 65–85 cm.



1 _____ is the national animal of Australia.

2 It has _____ forelimbs and _____ hindlimbs.

3 Head and body length of a male is _____.

Help the mother kangaroo reach her joey.

