6th GRADE SOCIAL STUDIES STANDARDS CHECKOFF FOR

AUSTRALIA

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| **Mastery**  **Macintosh HD:Users:teacher:Desktop:CheckMark.jpg Off** | **Standard** | **I can statements** |
|  | SS6G12 | I can locate the Great Barrier Reef, Coral Sea, Ayers Rock, and Great Victoria Desert on a world and regional political-physical map. |

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|  | SS6G13 | I can describe how Australia’s location, climate, and natural resources have affected where people live. |
|  | I can describe how Australia’s location, climate, and natural resources impact trade. |

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|  | SS6G14 | I can explain the impact of English colonization on the language and religion of Australia. |
|  | I can explain how the literacy rate affects the standard of living. |

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|  | SS6CG7 | I can describe the federal parliamentary democracy of Australia. |
|  | I can distinguish the form of leadership. |
|  | I can explain the type of legislature and the role of the citizen in terms of voting and personal freedoms. |

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|  | SS6E8 | Describe the economic system used in Australia. |

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|  | SS6E9 | I can explain how specialization makes trade possible between countries. |
|  | I can compare and contrast different types of trade barriers, such as tariffs, quotas, and embargoes. |
|  | I can explain why international trade requires a system for exchanging currency between nations. |

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|  | SS6H8 | I can describe the origins and culture of the Aborigines. |

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|  | SS6E10 | I can explain human capital and how it effects Gross Domestic Product (GDP). |
|  | I can explain physical capital and how it effects Gross Domestic Product (GDP). |
|  | I can describe why natural resources are important to a country’s economy. |
|  | I can describe entrepreneurship. |

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|  | SS6H6 | I can trace the colonization of Australia by the United Kingdom. |

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|  | SS6H9 | I can explain the reasons for British colonization of Australia; including the use of prisoners as colonists. |
|  | I can explain the impact of European colonization of Australia in terms of diseases and weapons on the indigenous peoples of Australia. |