

Year 11 Reading Practice: Seasons
Marking Key

Read the following magazine article and respond to the questions in **English**.

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Question 1: Why is 'sport' considered one example of Australian lifestyle? Extracts and communicates 4 pieces of information	Marks
Australians love sport	1
Cricket and football are (very) popular	1
And a lot of people go to see games	1
On weekends wearing their favourite team's shirt	1
Total	4
Question 2: Why is koala-shaped chocolate the most popular? Extracts and communicates 2 pieces of information	Marks
It's cute and cheap	1
Its more delicious than other sweets	1
Total	2
Question 3: What concern(s) does the article raise about fish and chips? Extracts and communicates 2 pieces of information	Marks
If you eat it everyday	1
You couldn't live a healthy lifestyle	1
Total	2
Question 4: Why does the article say that Australians are nice? Extracts and communicates 2 pieces of information – ANY 2 pieces of information	Marks
Often talk (happily) to people they don't know at the supermarket or train station	1
The doctor at the hospital told jokes	1
Australians are always telling jokes	1
Total	2
Question 5: Why is summer the best season? Extracts and communicates 3 pieces of information	Marks
Because you can surf and have a BBQ	1
Because its light/bright late at night	1
You can have a walk and/or have a picnic in the park	1
Total	3