## growing up in AUSTRALIA

Growing up in Australia is such a good thing to do Now if you listen carefully I'll tell you why that's true

There's the beach, the pool and the river – all good to cool you down The flies and mossies in the bush, annoy and make you frown.

Easter, Christmas and New Year - so much to celebrate Have a barbie, eat some snags - don't forget to bring your mate.

We play sport in the winter and on hot summer's days And I celebrate my birthday which is the 18<sup>th</sup> of May.

We help Clean Up Australia, a day we all join in We pick up lots of rubbish and we chuck it in the bin

After years of drought and duststorms, the rain finally came Without the heat and dryness, it's just not the same.

The schools in this country are about my favourite place to be Bacause of all the challenging work it's just right for me.

The holidays aren't as good as school but they're not too bad.

The part I don't like is when everyone goes mad.

I hope that all this rhyming tells why what I say is true Growing up in Australia is the best thing you could do.

