



Melbourne, Australia

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Description of the city

- Melbourne is located in Port Phillip Bay. It is the cultural capital of the country and is famous for its magnificent architecture, numerous shops of famous brands, and there are many memorable places that deserve the attention of travelers. Today we will introduce you to some of them.

The city has a rich history - for all the time of its existence a lot of interesting and terrible things happened here: from colonial wars to gold rush and economic crisis.

Melbourne was founded in the Victorian era, which greatly affected its appearance. Currently, the architectural ensemble of the city has an interesting and sophisticated look: there are “coffee palaces”, and apartment houses, and neo-gothic churches. Old buildings from the second half of the nineteenth century have solemn balustrades and wrought iron canopies.



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Region - Victoria



Square - 8806 km²



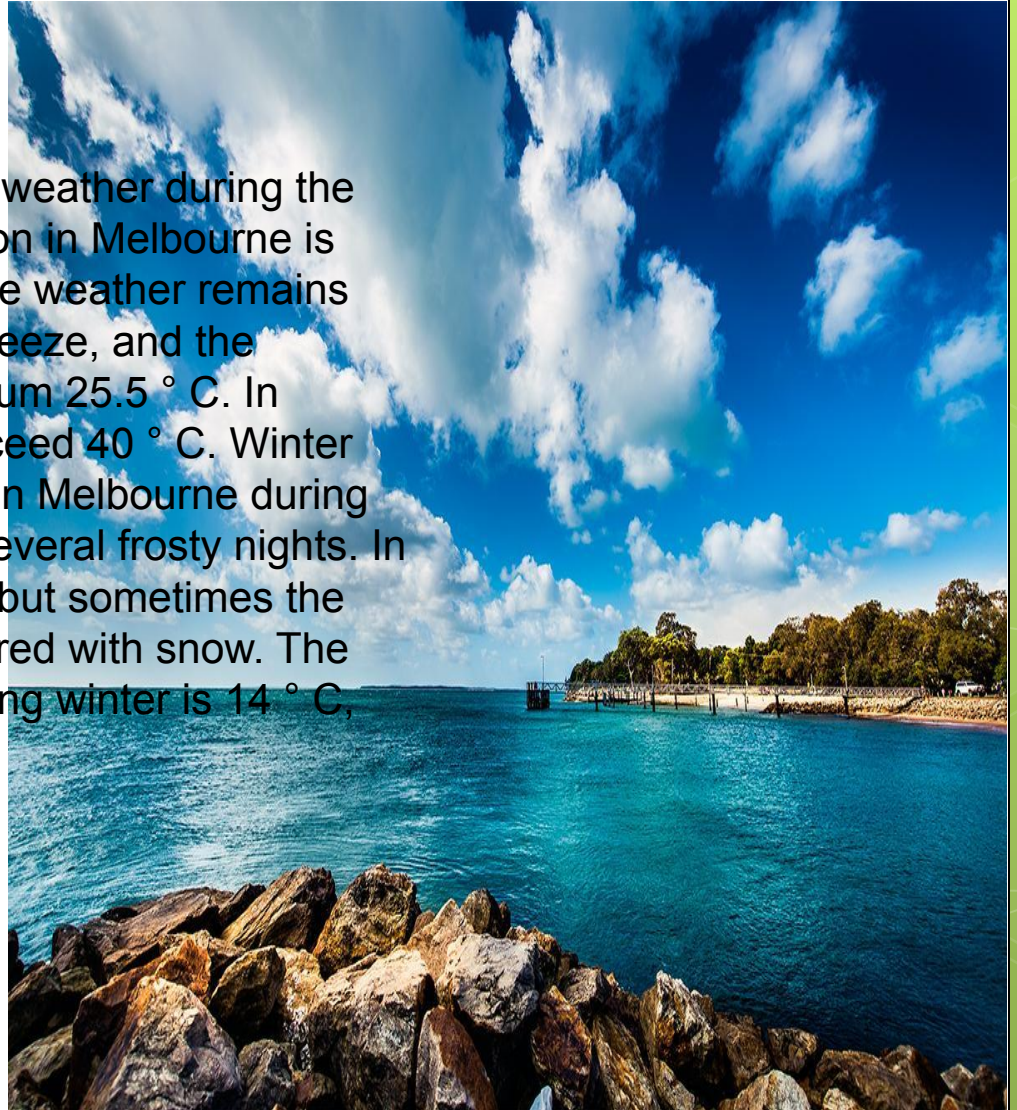
Population - 4 529 500 people
(June 30, 2015)



Based in August 30, 1835

Climate

- Melbourne has especially mild weather during the whole year. The summer season in Melbourne is from December to February, the weather remains sunny, with a refreshing sea breeze, and the average temperature is maximum 25.5°C . In summer, temperatures can exceed 40°C . Winter lasts from June to August and in Melbourne during this period cold weather with several frosty nights. In the city itself there is no snow, but sometimes the surrounding hills become covered with snow. The average daily temperature during winter is 14°C , but it can fall below 4°C





Sights of Melbourne

One of the main cultural attractions of the city of Melbourne is the Victoria Library. It has not only a special historical value for the country, but also is the center of Australian business life - it often hosts the most interesting conferences and exhibitions.



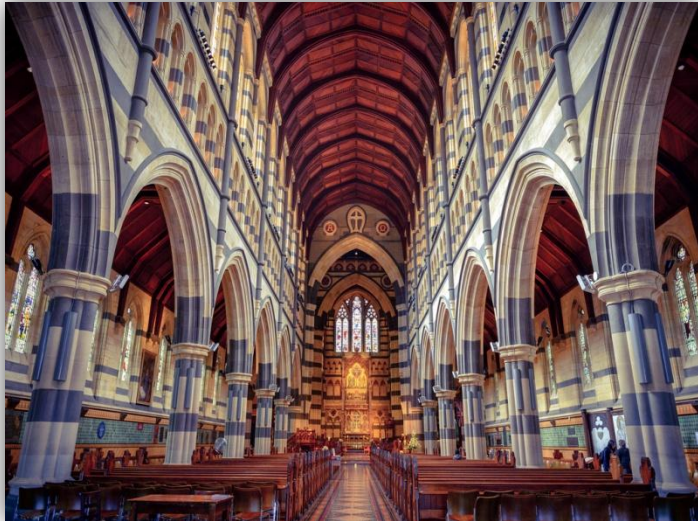
Victoria Museum

This is a large complex that includes three museums - the Immigration Museum, the Melbourne Museum and the Science Museum. It was founded in 1854 as the Museum of Geology. In 1870, the Industrial Museum appeared, a hundred years later it was renamed the Victoria Science Museum. Today, its collection has approximately 16 million exhibits that are devoted to the history of the continent, the development of the art of science and technology



Tower "Eureka."

The original tower "Eureka" is the highest building in the city and one of the most famous buildings in the country. The tower is second only to the Q1 building in the city of Surfers Paradise. The 92-storey Eureka has a height of 297 m. Construction of the building began in 2002. It was completed in four years.



St. Paul's Cathedral.

It is the largest Anglican temple in the city. The building was made in the Gothic style, and today it is the seat of the archbishop of the state capital and the head of the Anglican metropolitanate. These buildings create the historic center of the city.



It is impossible not to mention the **Melbourne aquarium.**

This unique place was discovered in 2000 on the banks of the Yarra River near the King Street Bridge. Thanks to a special tunnel that passes through a glass aquarium, visitors can feel themselves like inhabitants of the ocean and look closely at sharks, turtles, rays and other amazing creatures of the Coral, Arafur and Tasmanian seas. In some specially equipped places you can even feed the fish or penguins. Here you can also celebrate your birthday or wedding, which will be remembered for a long time.

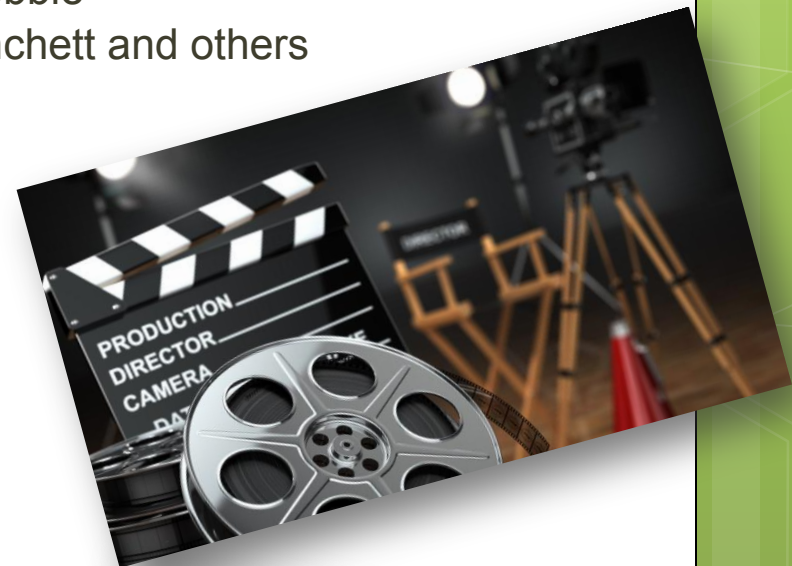


Celebrity

There are many talented actors in Australia.

One of them:

- ❑ Nicole Kidman
- ❑ Mel Gibson
- ❑ Heath Ledger
- ❑ Hugh Jackman
- ❑ Mia Vasikovska
- ❑ Liam and Chris Hemsworth
- ❑ Margo Robbie
- ❑ Cate Blanchett and others



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