



Australia's capital city

1 Read pages 40 and 41 of the *Jacaranda Primary Atlas Second Edition* for information about Australia's Federal Parliament.

a In which building do the elected federal representatives meet to make decisions, rules and laws?

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b In which city of Australia is this building?

c Name the two Houses of Parliament in the Federal Government.

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d Which part of Parliament House holds the:

- elected Senators?

- elected members of the House of Representatives?

2 Refer to the photograph of Parliament House on page 41 of the atlas. This building was officially opened on 8 May 1988. Which Prime Ministers have carried out their duties in this building?

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3 Refer to the photograph of Parliament House on page 93 of the atlas.

a Who officially opened Australia's new Parliament House?.....

b What is the person's link with Australia?.....

4 Locate Parliament House in the aerial photograph on page 57 of the atlas. Taking note of the north arrow, use compass directions to complete the following sentences. (Compass directions are explained on page 10 of the atlas.)

a The Prime Minister's Lodge is _____ of Parliament House.

b The Australian War memorial is _____ of Parliament House.

c I must drive to the _____ from Parliament House if I wish to go to Canberra Nature Park.

d The High Court is _____ of Parliament House.