



AMAZING FACTS ABOUT KOALAS

1. The koala is a marsupial mammal.
2. The word **koala** means **no drink** in the Aboriginal language.
3. The koala's young is called a joey.
4. Koalas drink milk from the mother.
5. The koala has very sharp teeth and very sharp claws.
6. The koala has white fur on the belly and grey on the rest of its body.
7. The koala has big ears and a big nose.
8. Some Koalas eat bananas.
9. The koala mother has a pouch.
10. The koala has very thick fur.
11. The koala is very small when it's just born.
12. After 1 month the baby koala is 1 cm. Long.
13. The koala cub stays in the mother's pouch for 5 months.
14. The koala cub is blind when it's born.
15. Koalas live for 20 or more years.
16. The koala can run as fast as a rabbit.
17. Koalas sleep for up to 19 hours.
18. Koalas live on the East coast of Australia.
19. Koalas can sing in the shower in the morning.
20. Koalas live and sleep in the eucalyptus trees.