

Koalas eat and live in eucalyptus trees


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## How did we become our own species?

Hi, I'm phascolarctos cinereus, you can just call me koala for short. Marsupials have travelled across multiple countries to get to our current habitat including North \& South America, Antarctica, and Australia. We separated from other marsupials when an ice age forced us to move to the trees for food and water. Our journey took millions of years and it was all worth it. Now, we are all our own individual species.

## My diet

I'm feeling rather hungry, would you like to grab a bite to eat? We're already here, I live and eat from the Eucalyptus trees. The trees have fibrous leaves, I need to eat 300-500 grams of leaves a day to stay healthy. That's a lot!


