



Sun-smart behaviours of young Australians (12–17 year-olds)

Text analysis. Read Fact file E: [Sun-smart behaviours of young Australians \(12–17 year-olds\)](#) and then answer the questions that follow in relation to the studies conducted.

Level 1 statements

Does the text say this?	Yes/No	What words from the text support your answer? Be prepared to show where in the text you found the answers.
<p>1 The most common sun-protective behaviour for 12–17 year-olds was the use of sunscreen. [See Table 1]</p>		
<p>2 Most [that is, more than 50%] 12–17 year-olds wore a hat. [See Table 1]</p>		
<p>3 More 12-17 year-old males than females applied sunscreen and wore sunglasses for sun protection. [See Table 2]</p>		
<p>4 More 12-17 year-old males than females wore a hat for sun protection. [See Table 2]</p>		



Level 2 Interpretive statements

For 2013/14, does the text give you this idea?	Yes/No	What words from the text support your answer? Prepare reasons for your answer. Use the text to help you.
5 The percentage of 12–17 year-olds who did NOT use sun-protective behaviours in 2013/14 ranged from 62% (sunscreen) to 92% (covering shoulders and arms). [See Table 1]		
6 The percentage of 12–17 year-olds who used each of the sun-protective behaviours in 2013/14 is acceptable. [See Table 1]		
7 In 2013/14 females aged 12–17 years used more sun-protective behaviours than males. [See Table 2]		

Level 3 Applied statements

Do you agree with these statements?	Yes/No	Justify your responses. Be prepared to share your reasons.
8 In 2013/14 neither male nor female 12–17 year-olds protected themselves adequately from the sun.		
9 Campaigns to encourage 12–17 year-olds to be sun smart should be aimed at their parents.		