*Source:C2C Exploring continuity and change in community – Lesson 2*

The Kombumerri people live on the land on the Gold Coast that stretches from the coast surrounding Burleigh Heads into the surrounding hinterland. It includes beaches, rainforests, creeks and rivers rich with animals and marine life.

The Kombumerri people belong to the Yugambeh language group and speak Yugambeh. There are many other groups who belong to the Yugambeh language group including the Gugingin, Bullongin, Minjingbal, Birinburra, Wangerriburra, Mununjali and Migunberri peoples. The Yugambeh name for Burleigh Heads is Jellurgal.

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|  |  | **True** | **False** |
| **1.** | Kombumerri people speak Yugambeh |  |  |
| **2.** | The Kombumerri people lived in Brisbane |  |  |
| **3.** | The geographical landscapes found in the Kombumerri people’s country included beaches, rainforests, creeks and rivers. |  |  |

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| **Three things I have discovered about the Kombumerri people** |
| **1.** |
| **2.** |
| **3.** |
| **Two questions you could pose to research the Kombumerri people** |
| **1.** |
| **2.** |
| **One fact I found the most interesting** |
| **1.** |