ANIMAL TRIVIA FOR KIDS



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501 Riddles and Trivia
Questions for Kids

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Instructions

These questions can be used in a variety of ways.

Warm-Up: Start your classes off with a few brain-teasers to get your students active and ready for the main lesson. Each section (7-10 trivia questions, or 4-6 riddles) should take less than five minutes to complete. Be sure to keep track at the bottom of each section the date and class you used them in. **Hint**: Use pencil and you can erase it at the end of the school year.

Time-Filler: Keep this book handy to pull out in case you have a few extra minutes at the end of the lesson. It's the perfect way to fill some dead-time and you can choose a section relevant to whatever you're teaching (science/ math/ language, etc.). Again, keep track of the date and class in pencil at the bottom of each page.

Early-Finisher Activity: You know those annoying students who always seem to finish everything really quickly? Print off a stack of these trivia and riddles worksheets and let students get to work. Make sure you follow the links to get the PDF worksheets, minus the answers!

Web-Quest: If you're teaching your students how to find information on the Internet, the trivia question handouts will work perfectly. Each set of questions should take students between 1-2 minutes/ question, so a total of 7-15 minutes.

Note: This activity is meant to be used in conjunction with our book *501 Riddles and Trivia Questions for Kids*, where you can find the answers to the questions.

Animals Easy 1 (8 questions)

Which animal hops and has a pouch where they keep their babies?

What is the biggest animal?

What is the tallest animal?

Which animal eats only bamboo?

True or False. There are tigers in Africa.

How many legs does a spider have?

What is the fastest animal in the world?

How many arms does an octopus have?

Animals Easy 2 (8 questions)

What is a baby dog called?

Which animal sleeps most of the winter?

In which country are you most likely to find a kangaroo?

What is a group of lions called?

What is the only continent on earth where giraffes live in the wild (outside of zoos)?

How many legs does a butterfly have?

A 'doe' is what kind of animal?

True or false? Bats are mammals.

Animals Easy 3 (8 questions)

What is a baby cat called?

What is the largest bird?

Where do giant pandas live?

What is the lightest bird in the world?

What kind of pattern does a zebra have?

What kind of pattern does a leopard have?

What is the largest animal on land?

Name a land animal that has no legs.

Animals Medium 1 (9 questions)

Sharks have no bones. What do they have instead?

True or false? Mice can live for 10 years.

What is the largest type of 'big cat' in the world?

What part of their bodies do crocodiles use to release heat?

Are butterflies insects?

What are female elephants called?

What are male elephants called?

Bees are found on every continent of earth except for one; which is it?

Which animal makes a disgusting smell if it sprays you?

Animals Medium 2 (7 questions)

What is a bee home called?

What is the biggest shark?

What is a group of birds called?

What is the name of an adult female horse?

What are baby goats called?

True or false? Rabbits are born blind.

What is a baby seal called?

Animals Medium 3 (7 questions)

What is the study of birds called?

How many legs does a crab have?

How many toes does a dog have? (18)

What kind of bear can you find in Canada and the USA that is extremely dangerous?

True or false? Cats spend about 15 hours a day sleeping.

True or false? Cougars are herbivores.

What is a baby bear called?

Animals Difficult (7 questions)

What is the word for a big fear of spiders?

Name one big cat which doesn't roar.

What kind of animal is a dolphin?

What is the largest primate in the world?

True or false? Owls are far-sighted, meaning that anything within a few inches/ centimeters of their eyes can't be seen properly.

What is the deadliest snake in the world?

What is the largest penguin?

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