



# LION

The lion is the only feline that \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ in groups. The male, who is often called the \_\_\_\_\_ of animals, reigns majestically with his beautiful **mane** among the females of his clan. To keep intruders away from its territory, it emits terrifying **roars** that can be \_\_\_\_\_ for 10 km around. However, it is a great slacker who spends about twenty hours a day \_\_\_\_\_ or resting. Also, the one \_\_\_\_\_ leads the pack is a lioness. Likewise, it is the females of the clan who hunt and take care of the cubs. The **cubs** are \_\_\_\_\_ balls of **fur** that spend the first three months of life with their mother, isolated from the group. Around the age of three, the young adult males are expelled by the dominant male and have to \_\_\_\_\_ in search of another tribe where they can become \_\_\_\_\_.

# Questions:

1. What's the meaning of "**hunt**"?
2. What does "**mane**" mean?
3. What does "**roars**" mean?
4. What does "**cubs**" mean?
5. What does "**fur**" mean?
6. How is often called the male of this animal?
7. How far away can the lion's roars be heard?