

VOCABULARY AND READING

WILD ANIMALS



1 Complete the animal names.

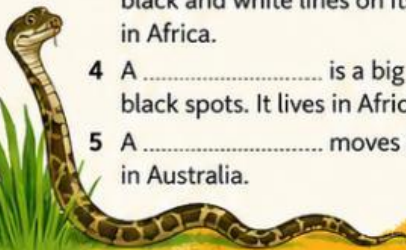


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2 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

giraffe kangaroo leopard
snake zebra

- 1 A is a long, thin animal. It hasn't got any legs.
- 2 A has got a long neck. It is a big animal and lives in Africa.
- 3 A looks like a horse. It has black and white lines on its body and lives in Africa.
- 4 A is a big cat. It is yellow with black spots. It lives in Africa and Asia.
- 5 A moves by jumping. It lives in Australia.



3 Read Kim's blog about her trip to Kenya. Answer the questions.

- 1 Who works at a museum?
- 2 Where does Kim's father work?
- 3 Where does Kim's mother work?
- 4 How many guides were there?
- 5 Where were Kim and her family on their holiday?
- 6 Which animals were near the tall trees?

Our trip to Kenya



It was a hot summer. I was in Africa with my family. We were very excited about the trip because everyone in my family likes animals. My brother works at the Natural History Museum in London. Dad works at London Zoo, and Mum is a zoologist at a university – she studies animals in her job. I'm still at school, but I want to be a vet – you know, a doctor for animals.

This trip was great. We travelled into the countryside in a big truck. There were two guides to help us. I asked them lots of questions, 'Are there any lions? What types of snakes are there? How many giraffes live in this part of Kenya?' The guides answered all my questions.

After twenty minutes of travelling, one of the guides shouted, 'Look!' In front of us, there were elephants – ten of them! They walked slowly. They were beautiful. A few minutes later, the other guide shouted, 'Look!' Near a group of tall trees, there were some giraffes. They were so tall!

Our first trip to Kenya was very special – everyone enjoyed it. There were so many amazing animals. We plan to go back next year!

