

# 3 Wild life

## VOCABULARY • Animals

1 ★★ Which animal is the odd one out?

camel, **spider**, giraffe, elephant

1 fish, whale, gorilla, octopus

2 giraffe, cat, rat, rabbit

3 dog, elephant, camel, fish

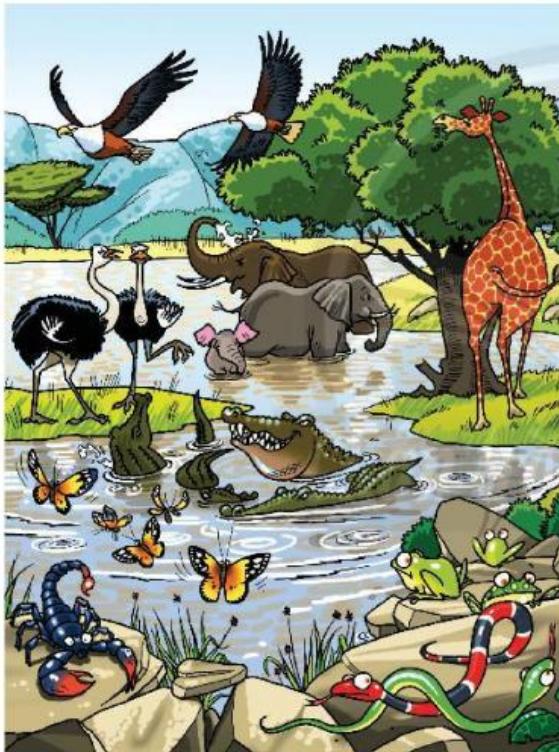
4 eagle, frog, butterfly, bat

5 scorpion, crocodile, rabbit, snake

6 giraffe, panda, bear, ostrich

2 ★★ How many animals can you see? Write sentences with the given words.

butterfly crocodile eagle elephant frog  
giraffe ostrich scorpion snake



There are two ostriches.

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3 ★★ Read the clues and write the animals.

camel elephant giraffe octopus

panda scorpion spider

### GUESS THE ANIMALS!



It lives in China. It's black and white. It eats for more than twelve hours every day! **panda**

It lives in Africa. It's yellow and brown. It's very tall – usually five metres or more! <sup>1</sup>

It has got eight arms. It lives in the water. When it goes to a different place, it sometimes changes colour. <sup>2</sup>

It often lives in a hot place. It sometimes goes without water for six months! <sup>3</sup>

It's small and it usually lives in hot places. It has got a very dangerous tail. <sup>4</sup>

It has got very big ears and a long nose. It sometimes lives for seventy years! <sup>5</sup>

It has got eight legs. It often eats a lot of insects in one day. <sup>6</sup>

4 ★★ Write the animals in the correct place. Then use your dictionary to write ten more animals.

bat bear eagle giraffe  
gorilla octopus whale

big land animals

giraffe

underwater creatures

flying animals

Animals

birds

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## LANGUAGE FOCUS • Superlative adjectives

1 ★★ Write the superlative forms of the given adjectives.

bad beautiful ~~cold~~ common  
exciting famous far good hot  
noisy strange

### Short adjectives

Regular ..... **the coldest**

End in **-e** ..... **the shortest**

End in consonant **+ -y** ..... **the most exciting**

End in consonant + vowel + consonant ..... **the most beautiful**

### Long adjectives

### Irregular

3 ★★ Complete the sentences with a superlative adjective.

That mountain is very high. It's **the highest** mountain in the country.

1 Look at this colourful butterfly! It's ..... butterfly in the park.

2 Olga is a good student. She's ..... student in the school.

3 That is an expensive phone. It's ..... phone in the shop.

4 It's a very hot day today. It's ..... day of the year.

5 This monument is really old. It's ..... monument in our city.

6 My brother Ivan is a friendly boy. He's ..... boy in our village.

7 This lesson is very interesting. It's ..... lesson of the morning.

8 That café is really bad. It's ..... café in the area!

4 ★★ Write superlative sentences to give information about your town to a new student in your class. Use the given words to help you.

beautiful big cool exciting expensive  
famous good interesting modern  
nice old pretty quiet

actor area beach  
castle celebrity cinema city football team  
street parade shopping centre sports star

**The best shopping centre is in the next town.**

**The quietest beach is ...**

2 ★★ Complete the questions with a superlative adjective. Then do the *Animal Quiz*.

## Animal Quiz

1 The ..... (tall) animal in the world is the ..... .  
a elephant b ostrich **c giraffe**

2 The ..... (big) animal in the world is the ..... .  
a African elephant b blue whale c brown bear

3 The ..... (old) zoo in the world is in Vienna, Austria. It is more than ..... years old.  
a 100 b 150 c 250

4 One of the ..... (common) wild animals in the UK is the ..... .  
a rabbit b bear c snake

5 The ..... (long) snakes in the world live in ..... .  
a Africa b India c Southeast Asia

6 The ..... (busy) zoo in Europe is in ..... . There are about three million visitors every year.  
a Prague b Berlin c Paris

and now ... the answers! 1b 2c 3a 4c 5b