

## Chapter 2

### Elephants

#### True or False Questions

1. African elephants are smaller than Asian elephants.  
(True / False)
2. An elephant's trunk has 40,000 muscles. (True / False)
3. Elephants use their tusks to dig for water and scrape bark. (True / False)
4. Elephants drink less water than humans in a day.  
(True / False)
5. Elephants were first domesticated in Africa. (True / False)

#### Fill in the Blanks

1. Elephants are the biggest animals that live on  
\_\_\_\_\_.
2. A male elephant is called a \_\_\_\_\_, while a female is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Elephants eat over \_\_\_\_\_ kilograms of food daily.
4. Elephants use their trunks as a \_\_\_\_\_ when swimming underwater.
5. The elephant-headed god in Indian culture is called  
\_\_\_\_\_.

## Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is the main difference between African and Asian elephants?
  - a) African elephants have smaller ears.
  - b) Asian elephants are larger.
  - c) African elephants have bigger ears.
  - d) Asian elephants live in deserts.
2. What do elephants use their trunks for?
  - a) Only for smelling
  - b) Picking up grass, drinking water, and greeting other elephants
  - c) Fighting predators
  - d) Storing food
3. Why are elephants killed illegally?
  - a) For their meat
  - b) For their tusks (ivory)
  - c) For their skin
  - d) For their ears

4. How do elephants hear sounds over long distances?
- a) Through their large ears
  - b) By feeling vibrations in the ground
  - c) Using their trunks
  - d) They cannot hear well
5. Where were elephants first domesticated?
- a) Africa
  - b) China
  - c) India
  - d) Europe
6. What is an elephant's baby called?
- a) Cub
  - b) Calf
  - c) Fawn
  - d) Pup
7. How much water can an elephant's trunk hold at once?
- a) 2 liters
  - b) 5 liters

- c) 14 liters
  - d) 50 liters
8. What is the primary diet of elephants?
- a) Meat
  - b) Fish
  - c) Plants (grasses, leaves, bark)
  - d) Insects
9. Which part of an elephant's body is made of modified teeth?
- a) Trunk
  - b) Tusks
  - c) Ears
  - d) Tail
10. In which Indian state are elephants featured in temple festivals?
- a) Rajasthan
  - b) Kerala

c) Punjab

d) Tamil Nadu