

## Australia's most dangerous animals

### Pre - Watching

- Label the pictures. What do you know about these animals?

jellyfish spider snake platypus octopus crocodile



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- Match the words to their definition


venom	sharp thin pointed object
vomiting	producing a salty liquid from the skin
sweating	poison
spike	throwing up, being sick
tentacle	long thing body part of sea creatures
needle	pointed object
stripe	long narrow line

### While - watching

- Multiple choice

- Bitten by a spider, ... can save your life.
  - poison
  - anti-venin
  - venom
- Spiders are dangerous because of their ...
  - tentacles
  - needles
  - teeth
- The redback sometimes lives in ...
  - backyards
  - bushes



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4. What does a spider bite NOT cause?
    - a) vomiting
    - b) itchy rash
    - c) sweating
  5. Why does the box jellyfish so dangerous for swimmers?
    - a) It's very long
    - b) It can swim very fast
    - c) It is almost invisible
  6. Salt-water crocodiles attack everything that ...
    - a) crawls
    - b) climbs
    - c) moves
  7. The ... taipan is the most poisonous snake in the world.
    - a) outland
    - b) inland
    - c) underland
  8. The ... brown snake is the second most dangerous in the world.
    - a) western
    - b) southern
    - c) eastern
  9. The taipan and brown snake usually ... people.
    - a) attack
    - b) stay away from
    - c) chase
  10. The platypus lives in ...
    - a) ocean
    - b) sea
    - c) river
  11. ... platypuses have spikes on their legs.
    - a) male
    - b) female
    - c) grown-up
  12. Which colour is NOT mentioned in the video?
    - a) black
    - b) red
    - c) blue

#### After - Watching

- What do these numbers stand for? Match

Number	Fact
a) 3	1) times the Taipan's venom is stronger than an Indian Cobra's
b) 10	2) needles in the tentacles of the jellyfish
c) 500,000	3) the world's most poisonous snakes live in Australia
d) 240	4) the length of eastern brown snake
e) 50	5) the length of the salt-water crocodile
f) 1,8	6) victims of the platypus suffer from pain
g) 6	7) a distance the salt-water crocodile can go inland