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African animals

I'm reading about African animals on the computer today. Here are six amazing animals.

Cheetahs and leopards are big cats. They are carnivores. Cheetahs hunt during the day and sleep at night. Leopard usually hunt at night and sleep during the day. Cheetahs are **faster than leopards**. They can run at 100 kilometres an hour. Cheetahs are more social than leopards. They sometimes live in small groups, but leopards are solitary animals.

Hippos and rhinos are big herbivores. During the day, hippos relax in rivers and lakes. They love water! At night, they leave the rivers and lakes and find plants to eat. Rhinos have got a horn and are **bigger than hippos**. Hippos and rhinos are sometimes aggressive, but hippos are **more dangerous** to humans **than** rhinos.

Babbons and chimpanzees are omnivores. Baboons are **smaller than chimps**. Baboons are social animals and they live in big groups. They've got long noses and a tail. Chimps are social animals too. They've got big ears, but they haven't got tails. Chimps usually sleep in trees. Baboons usually sleep on the ground, sometimes in groups.

I really like chimps. Have you got a favourite animal?

2. Read and write the animals in your notebook.

- These carnivores don't live in groups. _____
- They're big and they've got a horn. _____
- These omnivores haven't got tails. _____
- They love water and they're nocturnal. _____
- Leopards are slower than these carnivores. _____
- Chimpanzees are bigger than these omnivores. _____

3. Read again and write T (true) or F (false).

- Rhinos are bigger than hippos. _____
- Cheetahs are more social than leopards. _____
- Rhinos are more dangerous than hippos. _____
- Leopards are faster than cheetahs. _____
- Chimpanzees are smaller than baboons. _____

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