

Beautiful, but Dying, 14, 15

Jump, May 2021

1. Match A to B.

A

Endangered species are ...
Borneo and Sumatra are ...
The Yangtze river goes ...
Whales and dolphins are ...

B

from Tibet through China.
plants and animals that can soon die out.
mammals.
in the Sunda Islands.

2. Listen and fill in the gaps.

The third _____ in May is Endangered Species Day. What are endangered species?

Endangered species are _____ and plants that can soon die out forever. These are
_____ examples of beautiful endangered species:

3. After reading the article, say what is true (T) and what is false (F).

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| a. Rafflesia arnoldii is a parasite flower. | T F |
| b. Rafflesia arnoldii grows on trees. | T F |
| c. Rafflesia arnoldii is the smallest flower in the world. | T F |
| d. Rafflesia arnoldii smells beautiful. | T F |
| e. The Sunda tiger only lives on Sumatra. | T F |
| f. There are about 40 Sunda tigers on Sumatra. | T F |
| g. The Yangtze finless porpoise only lives in the Yangtze River. | T F |
| h. The Yangtze finless porpoise is a big fish. | T F |

4. Write down some other endangered species.

animals	plants