www.ActiveWild.com Endangered Animals Question Sheet 1

Answer the following questions using information on this web page: www.activewild.com/list-of-endangered-animals/

Underline, circle or tick the correct answers

- 1. Do female African bush elephants have tusks?
- Yes
- No
- 2. When is the aye-aye active?
- During the day
- During the night
- 3. How does the basking shark obtain food?
- It filters food from the seawater as it swims
- It hunts large fish
- It scavenges food from the seabed
- 4. The black-headed spider monkey's tail is "prehensile". What does this mean?
- It can be used as a club-like weapon
- It can hold onto branches
- It will fall off as a decoy if the monkey is threatened
- 5. True or false: the blue whale is the largest animal ever to have lived on Earth.
- TRUE
- FALSE
- 6. True or false: Humans belong to the same animal family as chimpanzees.
- TRUE
- FALSE



- 7. The Galápagos penguin lives on the Galápagos Islands. Where are the Galápagos Islands situated?
- Arctic Ocean
- Pacific Ocean
- Antarctic Ocean
- 8. What is the main reason the golden lion tamarin is endangered?
- Deforestation
- Poaching
- Disease

- 9. Including the green sea turtle, how many sea turtle species are in the family Cheloniidae?
- 5
- 6
- 7

10. What is a notable feature of the humphead wrasse's lifestyle?

- Some females turn into males
- It can breathe air and live on land for short periods
- It can jump out of the water and glide using its fins as "wings"
- 11. To which of the following animals is the okapi most closely related?
- Zebra
- Thomson's gazelle
- Giraffe

12. What is special about the Queen Alexandra's birdwing?

- It is the world's smallest butterfly
- It is the world's largest butterfly
- It is the world's largest moth

13. To which of the following animals is the red panda most closely related?

- Giant panda
- Brown bear
- Least weasel

14. How does the secretarybird usually hunt?

- It pursues its prey on foot
- It captures other birds in mid-air
- It uses echolocation to capture flying insects

15. The southern plains bumble bee is found on which continent?

- South America
- Australia
- North America