## ANIMALS AND NATURE TRIVIA QUIZ #4



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1>	On what	continent	would y	ou find	the wo	rld's la	argest re	ef system?

- a. North America
- b. Africa
- c. South America
- d. Australia

2> What animal has killed more people in Africa than any other animal?

- a. Hippopotamus
- b. Tiger
- c. Lion
- d. Elephant

3> Which of the following animals is not a marsupial?

- a. Platypus
- b. Wombat
- c. Opossum
- d. Bandicoot

4> Which of the following animal combinations has the most number of legs?

- a. Four and a quarter horses
- b. Three and a half camels
- c. Three spiders
- d. Five ants

5> The leaves of which tree are the staple diet of the koala?			
a. Banksia b. Eucalyptus c. Golden Wattle d. Moreton Bay Fig			
6> Approximately, how many hours per day do Pandas spend eating?			
a. 4 b. 24 c. 1 d. 14			
7> The kangaroo rat of the western USA can go their entire lives without what?			
a. Water b. Sleep c. Shade d. Food			
8> Trumpeter, Whooper and Mute are species of which type of bird?			
a. Duck b. Ostrich c. Swan d. Penguin			
9> The bark of which tree was originally used to make aspirin?			
a. Redwood b. Birch c. Oak			

d. Willow
10> What is the collective name for a group of frogs?
a. Army b. Herd c. Legion d. Tribe
11> What is the national animal of Afghanistan?
a. Snow Leopard b. Rhesus Monkey c. Caspian Tiger d. Mongoose
12> Native to South America, what is the world's largest living rodent?
a. Chinchilla b. Cavies c. Capybara d. Beaver
13> What color is the tongue of a giraffe?
a. Red b. Yellow c. Green d. Black
14> The dodo bird, an extinct flightless bird, was native to which island(s)?
a. Mauritius

b. Solomon Islands

c. Ascension Island d. Madagascar
15> What is the only fruit in which the seeds grow on the outside of its skin?
a. Kumquat b. Bilberry c. Strawberry d. Gooseberry
16> From which country does the Doberman Pinscher originate?
a. Germany b. USA c. Poland d. Austria
17> Helminthology is the study of which creature?
a. Badger b. Mole c. Parasitic Worm d. Centipede
18> Tiger, Blacktip Reef and Hammerhead are species of which fish?
a. Marlin b. Pike c. Whale d. Shark
19> The second-largest rodent in the world, what is a beaver's home called?
a. Den

- b. Dam
- c. Lodge
- d. Holt

20> Which rainforest produces half of the Earth's oxygen supply?

- a. Daintree Rainforest
- b. Amazon Rainforest
- c. Pacific Temperate Rainforest
- d. Congo Rainforest

## **Answers:**

- 1> Australia The Great Barrier Reef is the world's largest.
- 2> Hippopotamus Hippopotamuses are extremely aggressive animals and can attack without provocation.
- 3> Platypus The platypus is a semiaquatic egg-laying mammal.
- 4> Five ants An ant has six legs that are attached to its thorax three on each side.
- 5> Eucalyptus The koala is a marsupial that is native to Australia.
- 6> 14 A Panda can eat up to 27 pounds of bamboo a day.
- 7> Water Named the kangaroo rat because they can jump up to nine feet at once.
- 8> Swan Geese and ducks are close relatives to the swan.
- 9> Willow Medicines derived from willow trees date back to ancient Sumer.
- 10> Army A group of cats is called a clowder.
- 11> Snow Leopard The national bird of Afghanistan is the Golden Eagle.
- 12> Capybara The capybara has a barrel-shaped body and short head.
- 13> Black It is believed that the giraffe's tongue is black to protect it from sunburn.
- 14> Mauritius The Mauritius Island is east of Madagascar in the Indian Ocean.
- 15> Strawberry Strawberries are high in vitamin C.
- 16> Germany The Doberman Pinscher was developed by Karl Friedrich Louis Dobermann sometime around 1890.
- 17> Parasitic Worm Helminthiasis is the medical condition of being infected with parasitic worms.
- 18> Shark There are over 500 species of sharks.
- 19> Lodge Beavers are good swimmers and can stay under water for up to 15 minutes.

20> Amazon Rainforest - The Amazon Rainforest encompasses 7,000,000 square kilometers.

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