



## Animal Trivia Game

*Test your knowledge of Eco's animal ambassadors*

**Choose a person to ask questions for animal trivia. For each correct answer, the player earns points! If a player gets the question wrong, they must do the action item.**

### THE QUESTIONS:

- 1. True or false:** Snakes never smell with their nose.

**Answer:** False; snakes do smell with their nose, but they can also pick up scent chemicals with their tongue.

**\* Wrong answer Action:** Put out your tongue like a snake -- in and out. Now you can say hi in "snake" language

- 2. Choose the correct answer:** Snake tongues are forked so that they can... a) Scare predators and look mean; b) Locate which direction scents are coming from; c) Hiss until they pass out; d) Lick their favorite food- ice cream!

**Answer:** B

**\* Wrong answer Action:** Quack like a duck

- 3. True or False:** A Chameleon is a reptile but a turtle is not.

**Answer:** False- both are reptiles – they have scales, are cold blooded, lay eggs.

**\* Wrong answer Action:** Name a reptile \_\_\_\_\_

- 4. True or False:** Mammals have hair. Name your favorite mammal \_\_\_\_\_

**Answer:** True

**\* Wrong answer Action:** Mimic an elephant

- 5. Choose the correct answer:** Snake venom can be used to make... a) Medicines; b) yummy smoothies; c) paint; d) Glue

**Answer:** A

**\* Wrong answer Action:** "Wave your hands in the air and wave them like you just don't care!"

- 6. True or False:** All spiders are venomous.

**Answer:** True; all spiders use venom to kill and consume prey

**\* Wrong answer Action:** Yell "AHHH Spiders!!!"

7. **True or False:** Macaws can live to be over 80 years old!

**Answer:** True macaws can outlive humans.

**\* Wrong answer Action:** Squawk like a parrot

8. **True or False:** Alligators are better swimmers than runners.

**Answer:** True

**\* Wrong answer Action:** Whistle three times

9. **True or False:** Male chameleons are usually more colorful than females.

**Answer:** True; this may attract girlfriends, similar to some bird species such as cardinals

**\* Wrong answer Action:** Touch your nose, touch your head, clap three times while skipping

10. **True or False:** Turtles and tortoises can climb out of their shells if necessary.

**Answer:** False; their shells are attached to the spine and rib-cage so they cannot climb out.

**\* Wrong answer Action:** Name your favorite turtle? \_\_\_\_\_

11. **True or False:** Hedgehogs can shoot their spines out over distances of almost 6 feet into a predator.

**Answer:** False; hedgehog spines are permanently imbedded in the skin and cannot be ejected.

**\* Wrong answer Action:** Eat all your vegetables at dinner tonight

12. **Name the difference between poison and venom.**

**Answer:** Poison is *ingested* [by eating it, inhaling it, absorbing it through the skin, drinking it, etc.].

Venom is *injected* into the bloodstream by a stinger, barb, or fangs.

**\* Wrong answer Action:** Act like a monkey!

13. **True or False:** The Great White Shark has the strongest bite of any animal on the planet!

**Answer:** False, crocodiles and alligators have the strongest bite of over 3000-5000 lbs of pressure per square inch!

**\* Wrong answer Action:** Bite your brother or sister -- ***JUST KIDDING*** -- we meant blow a kiss to your brother or sister or parent!

14. **Bonus questions:** Group discussion for these very important questions...

**-Who is your favorite animal at ECO?**

**-What are some things you can do to help our planet EARTH? Each person name two.**

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**Thank you for joining us for this virtual adventure! We hope that you enjoyed meeting our animal ambassadors.**

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