Superlative Animals - Superlatives

Level
Elementary

Time
25 minutes

Language Focus
Superlative adjectives

Instructions

Check that students understand some of the tricky vocabulary; *eyesight, hearing, venomous, lifespan.*

Give each pair a worksheet and explain that they have to make sentences using the superlative form of the adjectives and choosing the correct animal for each sentence to be correct.

Pairs get a point for each correct sentence.

Answers
1. The **blue whale** is **the biggest** animal in the world. *(average weight is 210 tons)*
2. The **giraffe** is **the tallest** animal.
3. The **sloth** is **the slowest** land animal.
4. The **cheetah** is **the fastest** land animal.
5. The **eagle** has **the best** eyesight.
6. The **wax moth** has **the best** hearing. *(15 times better than a human's)*
7. The **gorilla** is one of **the most intelligent** animals.
8. The **whale shark** is **the biggest** fish.
9. The **mosquito** is **the deadliest** non-human animal . *(indirectly kills around 725000 people a year)*
10. The **box jellyfish** is the **most venomous** animal.
11. The **elephant** is **the largest** land animal.
12. The **tiger** is **the largest** cat.
13. The **bootlace** worm is **the longest** animal. *(can be more than 55m long)*
14. The **koala** is t**he sleepiest** animal. *(they sleep for 22 hours a day)*
15. The **mayfly** has **the shortest** lifespan. *(just one day)*

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whale shark	sloth	wax moth	box jellyfish	bootlace worm
koala	cheetah	elephant	blue whale	gorilla
mosquito	mayfly	giraffe	tiger	eagle

1. The _____ is _____ (big) animal in the world.

2. The _____ is _____ (tall) animal.

3. The _____ is _____ (slow) land animal.

4. The _____ is _____ (fast) land animal.

5. The _____ has _____ (good) eyesight.

6. The _____ has _____ (good) hearing.

7. The _____ is one of _____ (intelligent) animals.

8. The _____ is _____ (big) fish.

9. The _____ is _____ (deadly) non-human animal .

10. The _____ is _____ (venomous) animal.

11. The _____ is _____ (large) land animal.

12. The _____ is _____ (large) cat.

13. The _____ is _____ (long) animal.

14. The _____ is _____ (sleepy) animal.

15. The _____ has _____ (short) lifespan.