

Secondary Reading

Week Two

March 30th – April 3rd

Easy Reading Comprehension

Zoo Animals

Name _____ Date _____

Lion Quiz


Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?
 - tiger
 - lion
 - giraffe
2. Lions are the "King of the ____".
 - jungle
 - sea
 - forest
3. Where is the mane on male lions?
 - tail
 - body
 - head
4. When do lions hunt?
 - night
 - day
 - morning
5. What sound does a lion make?
 - quack
 - roar
 - clicking
6. Do you like lions?
 - yes
 - no

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Zoo Animals

Giraffes



Giraffes are the tallest animal in the world.

Giraffes only sleep for up to two hours a day.

Giraffes use their large tongues to eat leaves.

Giraffes can run really fast!

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Name _____ Date _____

Directions: Write the title and fill in the blanks to complete the story. (Students can cut out words or words appearing on their story.)

_____ penguins are black and white and can't _____

_____ penguins spend over half of their life _____

_____ lay eggs and hold the _____ on their feet.

_____ penguins live together in a _____

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Word bank options: (4 correct and 4 incorrect options. Cut off and discard if not used.)

fly	swimming	Penguins	town
jump	eating	Roosters	colony

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stories, cloze activities, and quizzes

Reading suggestions: Talk about the picture / topic and make connections.

Read as a class. Have student underline/highlight certain key words as you read. Pause and have students say the next word.

Have students read with a buddy. And then on their own. Have them complete the cloze activity with or without access to the story depending on how hard you want to make it. Same with the quiz.

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Elephants



Elephants are the largest animal on land.

Elephants have big floppy ears and long trunks.

Elephants say "hello" by lifting up their trunks.

Elephants are vegetarians and eat 300 pounds a day.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Directions: Write the title and fill in the blanks to complete the story.
(Students can cut and paste or write depending on their ability.)

_____ are the largest
animal on land.

Elephants have big floppy ears and long

Elephants say "hello" by _____
up their trunks.

Elephants are _____ and
eat 300 pounds a day.

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Word bank options: (4 correct and 4 incorrect options. Cut off and discard if not needed)

elephants	noses	shaking	carnivores
giraffes	trunks	lifting	vegetarians

Name: _____ Date: _____

Elephant Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

2. Are elephants large or small?

3. What size is an elephant's trunk?

4. How do elephants say hello?

5. How many pounds do elephants eat every day?

6. Do you like elephants?

Name: _____ Date: _____

Elephant Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

monkey

elephant

giraffe

2. How are elephants described?

large

small

heavy

3. What is an elephants trunk like?

long

floppy

small

4. What do elephants lift to say hello?

hand

arm

trunk

5. How many pounds do elephants eat every day?

200

300

30

6. Do you like elephants?

yes

no

Giraffes



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Giraffes use their large tongues to eat leaves.

Giraffes can run really fast!

Name: _____ Date: _____

Directions: Write the title and fill in the blanks to complete the story.
(Students can cut and paste or write depending on their ability.)

Giraffes are the tallest animal in the
_____.

Giraffes only _____ for up to
two hours a day.

Giraffes use their large _____ to
eat leaves.

Giraffes can run really _____!

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Word bank options: (4 correct and 4 incorrect options. Cut off and discard if not needed)

zoo	sleep	beak	slow
world	play	tongues	fast

Name: _____ Date: _____

Giraffe Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

2. What is the tallest animal in the world?

3. How long do giraffes sleep every day?

4. What do giraffes eat?

5. How quickly can giraffes run?

6. Do you like giraffes?

Name: _____ Date: _____

Giraffes Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

elephant

monkey

giraffe

2. What is the tallest animal in the world?

giraffe

alligator

tiger

3. How many hours do giraffes sleep every day?

three

two

eight

4. What do giraffes eat?

meat

bugs

leaves

5. How quickly can giraffes run?

slow

average

fast

6. Do you like giraffes?

yes

no

Lions



Lions are known as the "king of the jungle".

Male lions have a mane of fur around their head.

Lions sleep during the day and hunt at night.

A lion's roar can be heard 5 miles away!

Name: _____ Date: _____

Directions: Write the title and fill in the blanks to complete the story.
(Students can cut and paste or write depending on their ability.)

Lions are known as the “ _____
of the jungle”.

Male lions have a mane of fur around their
_____.

Lions sleep during the day and
_____ at night.

A lion’s _____ can be
heard 5 miles away!

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Queen	head	play	cry
King	back	hunt	roar

Name: _____ Date: _____

Lion Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

2. Lions are known as the "King of the _____"?

3. Where is the mane on male lions?

4. When do lions hunt?

5. What sound does a lion make?

6. Do you like lions?

Name: _____ Date: _____

Lion Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

tiger lion giraffe

2. Lions are the "King of the ____?"

jungle sea forest

3. Where is the mane on male lions?

tail body head

4. When do lions hunt?

night day morning

5. What sound does a lion make?

quack roar clicking

6. Do you like lions?

yes no

Monkeys



Monkeys run across branches or swing from trees.

Monkeys live with their family and friends.

Monkeys can hold things with their fingers and toes.

Monkeys eat plants, animals, and sometimes even dirt!

Name: _____ Date: _____

Directions: Write the title and fill in the blanks to complete the story.
(Students can cut and paste or write depending on their ability)

Monkeys run across branches or swing from

_____.

Monkeys _____ with their family and friends.

Monkeys can hold things with their fingers and

_____.

Monkeys eat _____, animals, and sometimes even dirt!

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Word bank options: (4 correct and 4 incorrect options. Cut off and discard if not needed)

trees	live	mouth	pizza
towers	sleep	toes	plants

Name: _____ Date: _____

Monkey Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

2. What do monkeys run across?

3. Who do monkeys live with?

4. How can monkeys hold things?

5. What do some monkeys eat?

6. Do you like monkeys?

Name: _____ Date: _____

Monkey Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

penguin

lion

monkey

2. What do monkeys run across?

track

branches

water

3. Who do monkeys live with?

family

enemies

themselves

4. How can monkeys hold things?

toes

hands

legs

5. What do some monkeys eat?

plants

fish

insects

6. Do you like monkeys?

yes

no

Tigers



Tigers are big cats with orange and black stripes.

Tigers are good swimmers and swim to cool off.

Tigers sleep during the day and hunt at night.

Tigers are not fast but they are sneaky!

Name: _____ Date: _____

Directions: Write the title and fill in the blanks to complete the story.
(Students can cut and paste or write depending on their ability)

Tigers are big _____ with orange and black stripes.

Tigers are good _____ and swim to cool off.

Tigers _____ during the day and hunt at night.

Tigers are not fast but they are _____!

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Word bank options: (4 correct and 4 incorrect options. Cut off and discard if not needed)

dogs	swimmers	sleep	slow
cats	runners	play	sneaky

Name: _____ Date: _____

Tiger Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

2. What kind of animal is a tiger?

3. Why do tigers swim?

4. When do tigers sleep?

5. How fast are tigers?

6. Do you like tigers?

Name: _____ Date: _____

Tiger Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

tiger

lion

monkey

2. What kind of animal is a tiger?

dog

cat

fish

3. Why do tigers swim?

hunt

play

cool off

4. When do tigers sleep?

night

day

never

5. How do tigers move?

fast

smart

sneaky

6. Do you like tigers?

yes

no