
Secondary Reading

Week Three

April 6th to April 10th

Easy Reading Comprehension

Zoo Animals

Name _____ Date _____

Lion Quiz


Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

- What animal was the story about?
 - tiger
 - lion
 - giraffe
- Lions are the "King of the ____?"
 - jungle
 - sea
 - forest
- Where is the mane on male lions?
 - tail
 - body
 - head
- When do lions hunt?
 - night
 - day
 - morning
- What sound does a lion make?
 - quack
 - roar
 - clicking
- 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 and paste or write depending on their ability.)

_____ 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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Use 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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Penguins



Penguins are black and white and can't fly.

Penguins spend over half of their life swimming.

Penguins lay eggs and hold the egg on their feet.

Penguins live together in a colony.

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)

Penguins are black and white and can't

_____.

Penguins spend over half of their life

_____.

_____ lay eggs and hold the
egg 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 needed)

fly	swimming	Penguins	town
jump	eating	Roosters	colony

Name: _____ Date: _____

Penguin Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

2. What colors are penguins?

3. How often do penguins swim?

4. Where do penguins hold eggs?

5. Where do penguins live?

6. Do you like penguins?

Name: _____ Date: _____

Penguin Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

tiger

parrot

penguin

2. What color are penguins?

black

red

blue

3. What do penguins spend half their lives doing?

sleeping

swimming

skating

4. Where do penguins hold eggs?

hands

feet

back

5. Where do penguins live?

colony

home

water

6. Do you like penguins?

yes

no

Polar Bears



Polar bears are big, white, and furry mammals.

Polar bears live in the arctic where it is cold.

Polar bears hunt and eat seals.

Polar bears can walk on ice or swim in water.

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)

Polar bears are big, _____, and furry mammals.

Polar bears live in the arctic where it is _____.

Polar bears hunt and eat _____.

Polar bears can walk on _____ or swim in water.

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

black	cold	plants	ice
white	hot	seals	snow

Name: _____ Date: _____

Polar Bear Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

2. What color are polar bears?

3. Where do polar bears live?

4. What do polar bears eat?

5. Where do polar bears swim?

6. Do you like polar bears?

Name: _____ Date: _____

Polar Bear Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

polar bear

monkey

penguin

2. What color are polar bears?

black

white

yellow

3. Where do polar bears live?

Alaska

artic

desert

4. What do polar bears eat?

fish

bears

seals

5. Where do polar bears swim?

water

pool

lake

6. Do you like polar bears?

yes

no

Gorillas



Gorillas live with their families.

Gorillas groom each other to show their love.

Gorillas eat plants and sometimes eat bugs too.

Gorillas can be taught to communicate with humans.

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)

_____ live with their families.

Gorillas _____ each other to show their love.

Gorillas eat _____ and sometimes eat bugs too.

Gorillas can be taught to communicate with _____.

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

Gorillas	food	fish	humans
Chimpanzees	groom	plants	robots

Name: _____ Date: _____

Gorilla Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

2. Who do gorillas live with?

3. How do gorillas show love?

4. What do gorillas eat?

5. What can gorillas be taught?

6. Do you like gorillas?

Name: _____ Date: _____

Gorilla Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

gorilla

monkey

tiger

2. Who do gorillas live with?

family

friends

themselves

3. How do gorillas show love?

hug

groom

sing

4. What do gorillas eat?

plants

fish

seals

5. What can gorillas be taught?

swim

read

communicate

6. Do you like gorillas?

yes

no

Koalas



Koalas live in trees in Australia.

Koalas only eat eucalyptus leaves.

Baby Koalas stay inside a pouch in their mothers.

Koalas are very slow and sleep most of the 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)

Koalas live in trees in

_____.

Koalas only eat eucalyptus

_____.

Baby koalas stay inside a pouch in their

_____.

Koalas are very _____

and sleep most of the day.

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

America	nuts	mothers	slow
Australia	leaves	fathers	fast

Name: _____ Date: _____

Koala Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

2. Where do koalas live?

3. What kind of leaves do koalas eat?

4. Where do baby koalas stay?

5. How do koalas move?

6. Do you like koalas?

Name: _____ Date: _____

Koala Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

kangaroo

koala

penguin

2. Where do koalas live?

jungle

Artic

Australia

3. What kind of plant do koalas eat?

eucalyptus leaves

bamboo

salad

4. Where do baby koalas stay?

pouch

tree

outside

5. How do koalas move?

fast

skip

slow

6. Do you like koalas?

yes

no

Hippopotamus



Hippos like to spend their time in the water.

Hippos sleep under water but come up to breathe.

Hippos go on land to look for food.

Hippos can run faster than humans.

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)

Hippos like to spend their time in the

_____.

Hippos _____ under water

but come up to breathe.

Hippos go on land to look for

_____.

Hippos can run faster than

_____.

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

sand	play	food	tigers
water	sleep	shelter	humans

Name: _____ Date: _____

Hippopotamus Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

2. Where do hippos spend their time?

3. Where do hippos sleep?

4. Why do hippos go on land?

5. Who can hippos run faster than?

6. Do you like hippos?

Name: _____ Date: _____

Hippopotamus Quiz

Directions: Answer the questions after reading the story.

1. What animal was the story about?

hippopotamus

polar bear

tiger

2. Where do hippos spend their time?

jungle

water

inside

3. Where do hippos sleep?

under water

bed

tree

4. Why do hippos go on land?

sleep

run

food

5. Who can hippos run faster than?

humans

giraffe

tiger

6. Do you like hippos?

yes

no