



Video Lessons

# Animals

for kids



# LESSON 01

# JUNGLE ANIMALS

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# I. Match the animals in the pictures with the correct names in the bottom table.



A. tapir	B. macaw	C. ocelot	D. jaguar	E. piranha
F. anaconda	G. capybara	H. howler monkey	I. capuchin monkey	J. poison dart frog

## II. Choose the correct words/phrases in parentheses to complete the sentences below.

1. *House cats **despise** water.*

- You **despise** something if you (enjoy / hate) it.

2. *Tapirs **hide** under the water if there is a **predator** nearby.*

- A **predator** is an animal that (kills and eats / lives and travels with) other animals.

3. *Capybaras help **look out for** each other.*

- If you **look out for** others, you (hide from / take care of) them.

4. *Baby anacondas can take care of themselves from the **get-go**.*

- In the sentence above, "**get-go**" means ("beginning" / "time their parents leave them behind").



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5. Frogs catch **unsuspecting** bugs with their long, sticky tongues.

- **Unsuspecting** people or animals (**move very slowly** / do not know that they are in danger).

6. Macaws **squawk** to communicate with each other and mark their territory.

- Birds **squawk** if they make (**soft and low** / loud and sharp) sounds.

7. Capuchin monkeys are very **cooperative** with each other.

- You are **cooperative** if you are (**avoid working** / happy to do things) with others.

8. Howler monkeys come down from trees only if there is a **dry spell**.

- A **dry spell** is a long period with no (**rain** / sunlight).





### III. Choose the correct answer.

1. Jaguars \_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. are around 1.5 feet long
  - B. sleep on top of cat trees
  - C. like to hunt other animals
  
2. Ocelots have a unique coat that \_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. helps them swim fast
  - B. makes them look similar to their surroundings
  - C. attracts small animals like rodents and iguanas
  
3. The video does NOT say that tapirs are related to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. rhinos
  - B. horses
  - C. elephants

### III. Choose the correct answer.

4. When capybaras are under the water, they \_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. need to hold their breath
  - B. use their webbed feet to breathe without problems
  - C. breathe by sticking their snouts out of the water surface
  
5. According to the video, anacondas can grow up to \_\_\_\_\_ feet long.
  - A. 30
  - B. 40
  - C. 50
  
6. The \_\_\_\_\_ of poison dart frogs warn other animals in the forest to stay away.
  - A. powerful jumps
  - B. unusual eyes and nostrils
  - C. beautiful and bright colors



# IV. Fill in the boxes with the correct letters to complete the sentences below.

1. Ocelots and tapirs are , but poisonous dart frogs are not.

2. The  family includes macaws.

3. Capuchin monkeys use their  to hold tree branches and other objects.

4. As  monkeys, howlers eat leaves, fruits, and flowers.

5. Thousands of piranhas swim together in groups called .

6. In muddy waters, piranhas' silver bodies with red patches work as .





## V. Answer the questions below in complete sentences.

1. What do capybaras do to warn animals in their group about nearby predators?
2. How long do macaws live?
3. Why does the video say that capuchin monkeys are smart?
4. Which of the animals in the video ...
  - a. ... is your favorite?
  - b. ... is the scariest?
  - c. ... do you want to be friends with?

Explain your answers.

