ESOL Entry Level – Vocabulary – animals

Welcome

Welcome to this session on animals.

By the end of this session, you will be able to:

* Know the names of some animals
* Identify some animals kept as pets
* Name some animals found in the wild, at a farm and in a zoo

Animals

There are many different types of animals found in the United Kingdom.

For example:

* Pets – animals that are kept in the home or garden
* Wild animals – animals that live outside and no-one owns them
* Farm animals – animals found on farms
* Zoo animals – animals from around the world that live in zoos

Pets

Pets are also called domestic animals. These are animals that people keep in their homes or gardens. Below are some common pets.

Some common pets are:

* Dog
* Cat
* Rabbit
* Goldfish
* Hamster
* Parrot
* Guinea pig
* Mouse

Question 1

Which of these are a common pet?

* Cat
* Lion
* Monkey
* Fox

The correct answer is Cat

Question 2

Fill in the missing gap from the words below:

* D\_g
* C\_t
* H\_mst\_r
* P\_rr\_t

The correct answers are:

* Dog
* Cat
* Hamster
* Parrot

Wild animals

Wild animals are animals that are found outside. For example, you might find them in parks, the countryside or towns.

Some common wild animals in the UK are:

* Fox
* Squirrel
* Badger
* ~Bat
* Deer
* Hedgehog
* Owl
* Grass snake

Question 3

Which of these are a common wild animal in the UK?

* Cat
* Lion
* Monkey
* Fox

The correct answer is Fox

Question 4

Fill in the missing gap from the words below:

* F\_x
* Squ\_rr\_l
* B\_dg\_r
* B\_t
* D\_ \_r

The correct answers are:

* Fox
* Squirrel
* Badger
* Bat
* Deer

Farm animals

Farm animals are animals that live on a farm and are used to provide food.

Below are some common farm animals

* Cow
* Chicken
* Pig
* Sheep
* Turkey
* Goat
* Honeybee
* Goose

Question 5

Which of these is a common farm animal in the UK?

* Chicken
* Squirrel
* Fox
* Goat
* Honeybee
* Badger

The correct answers are: Chicken, Goat and Honeybee

Question 6

Fill in the missing gap from the words below:

* C\_w
* Turk\_y
* Ch\_ck\_n
* Sh\_ \_p
* P\_g

The correct answers are:

* Cow
* Turkey
* Chicken
* Sheep
* Pig

Zoo animals

Zoos contain animals from around the world. People go to see animals in zoos that they do not see anywhere else in the United Kingdom.

Below are some common zoo animals.

* Lion
* Tiger
* Elephant
* Gorilla
* Giraffe
* Penguin
* Zebra
* Bear

Question 7

Which of these is a common farm animal in the UK?

* Chicken
* Lion
* Fox
* Dog
* Mouse
* Zebra

The correct answers are:

Lion and Zebra

Question 8

Fill in the missing gap from the words below:

Li\_n

T\_g\_r

\_leph\_nt

G\_rill\_

P\_ngu\_n

The correct answers are:

* Lion
* Tiger
* Elephant
* Gorilla
* Penguin

Question 9

Fill in the missing gap from the words below:

I passed my driving test \_ 2018

* In
* At
* on

The correct sentence is

I passed my driving test **in** 2018

Question 10

Match the animals to where they are found

1. Dog
2. Lion
3. Squirrel
4. Cow
5. Farm
6. Zoo
7. Pet
8. Wild

The correct answers are:

1. Dog- pet
2. Lion -Zoo
3. Squirrel - wild
4. Cow - farm

Question 11

Where are each of these animals found?

1. Zebra
2. Gorilla
3. Turkey
4. Honeybee

The correct answers are:

1. Zebra - zoo
2. Gorilla - zoo
3. Turkey - farm
4. Honeybee - farm

Summary

Well done. You have completed this session on animals.

You should now:

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