

Wildwood Animal Facts Quiz

1. Arctic foxes live in the Arctic on top of the snow and ice. Their thick white fur is one of their adaptations that help to keep them warm. How cold is outside when they start shivering?
 - a. -20°C
 - b. -50°C
 - c. -70°C
2. Otters have a long streamlined body and webbed toes to help them swim. How fast can they swim?
 - a. 3.3 mph
 - b. 7.5 mph
 - c. 10 mph
3. Lynx are stealthy hunters, able to sneak up on their prey undetected. How high can they jump?
 - a. 1.4 m
 - b. 2.2 m
 - c. 4.3 m
4. Brown bears are omnivores, spending all summer fattening up so they can hibernate through winter. How many calories does one Eurasian brown bear need to eat each day in the summer?
 - a. 5,000 calories
 - b. 10,000 calories
 - c. 20,000 calories
5. Ravens are incredibly smart birds; some studies think they're as smart as human toddlers. Which of the following can they NOT do?
 - a. Predict the future
 - b. Remember where they hid their food
 - c. Use tools
6. Why do owls regurgitate the bones and fur from their meals as owl pellets?
 - a. The remains are weighing them down and causing them to use more energy to fly.
 - b. They don't poo at all; they just cough up their waste.
 - c. They have terrible table manners.
7. How long do wallaby joeys live in their mother's pouch?
 - a. 1 month
 - b. 5 months
 - c. 9 months



8. A lot of our animals are really fast runners. The world record for fastest (human) runner held by is Usain Bolt, who runs at a top speed of 27.8 mph. Which of the following animals would NOT beat Mr. Bolt in a sprint?
- Fallow deer
 - Wild boar
 - Bison
9. Red foxes are excellent hunters with really sharp hearing. From how far away can they hear a mouse squeaking?
- 10 m
 - 100 m
 - 1000 m
10. Beavers are good swimmers and even build a lodge with an underwater entrance. For how long can a beaver hold its breath?
- 7 minutes
 - 15 minutes
 - 22 minutes

Answer key:
1. C
2. B
3. C
4. C
5. A
6. A
7. C
8. B
9. B
10. B

