Nocturnal Animals Quiz



Let's test your knowledge on animals that come out at nighttime! Have a go at this quiz and check your answers on page two.

Total score:

ı	True or false: All bats in the UK are nocturnal
2	Hedgehogs are a. Herbivores b. Omnivores c. Carnivores
3	Are toads venomous, poisonous or neither?
4	What family do foxes belong to? a. Cat b. Rodent c. Dog
5	How many species of owl are there in the UK? a. 3 b. 5 c. 10
6	What is a female deer called?
7	True or false: Hazel dormice are being saved from extinction by tennis balls
8	Hawkmoths are the UK's moths: a. Largest b. Smelliest c. Fastest
g	Riddle: I move at night with 100 feet, but I have no shoes, who am I?
10	Which sense do badgers rely on the most? a. Feeling b. Hearing c. Smelling
u	True or false: Spiders are insects

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The answers!

	True! While there are lots of "diurnal" bat species around the world, we only have
l	nocturnal bats in this country.
2	b. Omnivores
	While they mostly eat invertebrates, hedgehogs will also nibble on fruit and fungi
3	Toads are POISONOUS! They produce a chemical in their skin called "bufo toxin" to poison potential predators
4	c. Dog
	They are the only wild member of the dog family in our country!
5	b. 5
	Barn, tawny, little, long-eared and short-eared owls can all be found in the UK
6	A doe
7	True!
	Tennis balls are being used as artificial nests for this threatened species
8	a. Largest
g	Centipede!
10	c. Smelling
	Badgers use scent to mark their territories, find food and communicate with other
	badgers
u	False!
	Spiders are "arachnids" because they have 8 legs - insects have 6.