



# GORILLA QUIZ

This quiz about gorillas will test your knowledge about their lives and characteristics in the wild.

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**Question 1:** Gorillas live in groups which are properly called .....?

- (a) Squads (b) Troops (c) Gangs

**Question 2:** How many gorillas may typically live together in a group?

- (a) About 5 to 30 (b) About 30 to 60 (c) About 60 to 90

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**Question 3:** Silverback is the name given to .....?

- (a) an adult male gorilla (b) an adult female gorilla (c) a baby gorilla

**Question 4:** How much food might an adult male gorilla typically eat in a day?

- (a) up to 9 kg (b) up to 18 kg (c) up to 27 kg

**Question 5:** How old is a female gorilla when she might start having babies?

- (a) about 5 years old (b) about 10 years old (c) about 15 years old

**Question 6:** For how many years might an infant gorilla stay with its mother?

- (a) About 1 year (b) about 2-3 years (c) about 3-4 years

**Question 7:** What is the typical lifespan of a wild gorilla?

- (a) about 15 years (b) about 25 years (c) about 35 years

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**Question 8:** An adult male gorilla may typically weigh ..... ?

- (a) 140kg-200kg (b) 200kg-260kg (c) 260kg-320kg

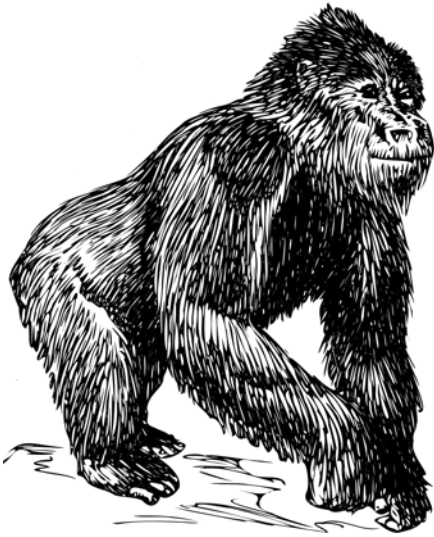
**Question 9:** What is the greatest threat to wild gorilla populations?

- (a) attack by leopards (b) disease (c) humans

**Question 10:** Of all the great apes across the world, the gorilla is the only one that does NOT use sticks and stones as tools. **TRUE or FALSE ?**

**Question 11:** Like humans, all gorillas have unique finger prints. **TRUE or FALSE ?**

That's the end of our general knowledge quiz about gorillas. It's now time to check your answers.



# ANSWERS TO OUR GORILLA QUIZ

**Answer 1:** (b) Troops

**Answer 2:** (a) About 5 to 30

**Answer 3:** (a) an adult male gorilla

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**Answer 4:** (b) up to 18 kg

**Answer 5:** (b) about 10 years old

**Answer 6:** (c) about 3-4 years

**Answer 7:** (c) about 35 years

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**Answer 8:** (a) 140-200kg

**Answer 9:** (c) humans. (Gorillas are still hunted for food and trophies, and their habitat is being destroyed for farming, logging and development).

**Answer 10:** False. Gorillas have been observed using rocks to smash open nuts and even using sticks to test the depth of water.

**Answer 11:** True