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Name: _____

Class: _____

An animal that is active mostly during the day is said to be _____.



An animal that eats both meat and plant matter is said to be an _____.



An animal that hunts other creatures to eat is said to be a _____.



We generally think of barn owls as being nocturnal. Technically they are most active at twilight and dawn which is scientifically referred to as being _____.



When there are no more living specimens of a species left on the planet, the species is said to be _____.



The Madagascar hissing cockroach frightens its enemies by expelling air through holes running down the side of its body. These holes are called _____.



The two leg-like projections at the front of the spider are called _____. They help with detecting their prey and are used during mating.

Spiders shed or moult their _____ periodically to enable them to grow larger.

Concerning spiders, the head and thorax are joined together forming the _____.



Spiders produce silk from their _____ which are two tail-like organs at the base of the abdomen.

As well as venom to subdue its prey, spiders also release _____ which help to pre-digest the prey prior to consumption.



When a creature tries to hide by merging with its background either by colour and/or patterns, it is said to be using

_____.



Creatures that spend most of the time in trees are said to be

_____.

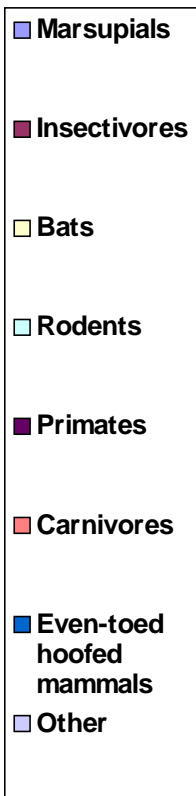
A snake has no eyelids and so cannot close its eyes. Instead, it has a small transparent piece of skin protecting the eye called the

_____.



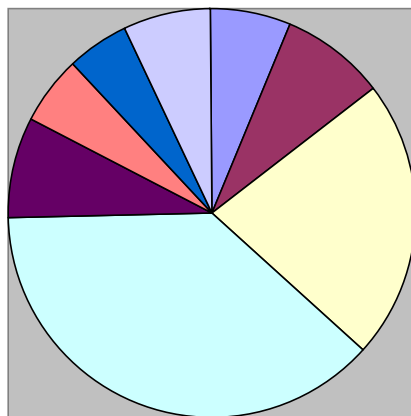
Snakes and some lizards detect scent by flicking out a forked tongue to pass the scent over the

_____ organ to analyse the information.



Roughly what percentage of mammal species are rodents?

_____.



Roughly what percentage of mammal species are bats?

_____.

Jumbled answers

- Exoskeleton
- Spiracles
- Spinnerets
- Predator
- Extinct
- Camouflage
- Diurnal
- Arboreal
- Jacobson's
- Crepuscular
- Omnivore
- 25%
- Brill
- Cephalothorax
- 40%
- Pedipalps
- Enzymes

For more wildlife facts and information, you can have a look at the website