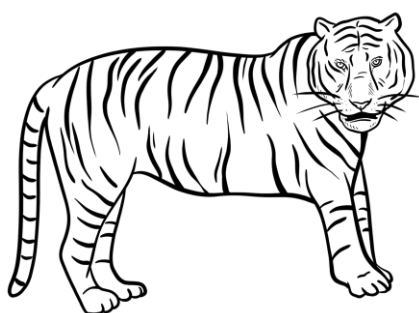


Lions and Tigers

Lions and tigers are both very large cats.

Lions are taller than tigers, but tigers are much longer. Tigers are also stronger and heavier than lions. Male lions have long, fluffy hair around their face. This is called a 'mane'. Tigers do not have manes. Both animals have long tails.



Tigers have orange fur with black stripes. A lion does not have stripes, and its fur is a dark yellow colour. Lions and tiger are both good at hiding. The fur of both animals helps them to stay hidden. This is important because it helps the lion and the tiger when they are hunting.

Lions and tigers are both good at hunting. They are both very fast and can move quietly when they need to. Lions hunt in groups. They work together to catch other animals. Tigers do not hunt in groups. They hunt by themselves.

Most lions live in the grasslands of Africa. Most tigers live in rainforests or grasslands in Asia.



Questions

Lions and Tigers – Level 2

1. Which animal is heavier? _____

2. Where do most lions live? _____

3. Is the lion in the picture male or female? How do you know?

4. How does the fur of a lion and tiger help them to hunt

5. Why would lions and tigers need to move quietly?

6. List 3 things that make lions and tigers good hunters.

7. What is **similar** about lions and tigers?

8. What is **different** about lions and tigers?



Answers

Lions and Tigers – Level 2

1. Which animal is heavier? **Tigers are heavier.**

2. Where do most lions live? **Most lions live in grasslands in Africa.**

3. Is the lion in the picture male or female? How do you know?

The lion is male because it has a mane.

4. How does the fur of a lion and tiger help them to hunt

Their fur helps them stay hidden from their prey.

5. Why would lions and tigers need to move quietly?

They need to move quietly when they are hunting so their prey doesn't hear them coming.

6. List 3 things that make lions and tigers good hunters.

They can move quietly, they can move fast, their fur helps them hide.

7. What is **similar** about lions and tigers?

Answers may vary.

Long tails, fur, good at hiding, good at hunting, live in grasslands.

8. What is **different** about lions and tigers?

Tigers are longer, heavier and stronger. Lions are taller. Tigers hunt by themselves. Lions hunt in groups. Some tigers live in rainforests. Tigers have stripes. Male lions have a mane.

