

Fun Page

How much did you learn?

The answers to all these questions can be found in the newsletter...see if you can remember!

- 1 What name is given to a sea urchin's shell?
- 2 Is a puffin's bill larger in winter or in summer?
- 3 Name the three smoked fish used in the BIM recipe.
- 4 What did Einstein, the tiny horse, weigh when he was born?
- 5 About how many species of animals and plants have been identified so far in the world?
- 6 How old is the giant elk skeleton in the Dead Zoo?
- 7 When at work, what does Caroline Plant have for lunch every day?
- 8 How many different types of rhinoceros are there?
- 9 What two words combined make the word "biodiversity"?
- 10 Is a crustacean's skeleton usually on the inside or on the outside?
- 11 When is it thought work began on the world's largest beaver dam?
- 12 In which country would one find the volcano called "Eyjafjallajökull"?
- 13 Which year is International Year of Biodiversity?
- 14 Which layer of soil has the most nutrients?
- 15 In New Zealand, what did the octopus try to steal from the diver?
- 16 In which year were Irish waters declared a whale and dolphin sanctuary?

Answers: (1) Test; (2) Summer; (3) Salmon, trout & mackerel; (4) 2.7kg (6lb); (5) 1.5 million; (6) 11,000 years; (7) Sandwiches; (8) Five; (9) Biological & Diversity; (10) Outside; (11) In the mid-1970s; (12) Iceland; (13) 2010; (14) Topsoil; (15) A camera; (16) 1991.

What am I saying....?

Have fun with your friends making up a caption for this picture of an Eel.



Courtesy of Andrew Davis, NOAA/NMFS/SEFSC Panama City & Lance Horn, UNCW/NURC-Phantom II ROV operator.

Nature Jokes

What do you get if you cross a toadstool with a full suitcase?
Not mushroom for your clothes.



What did the bee say to the other bee in summer?
Swarm here isn't it.

What do you get if you cross a cow with a grass cutter?
A lawn mooer.



Why don't centipedes play football?

Because by the time they've got their boots on it's time to go home.

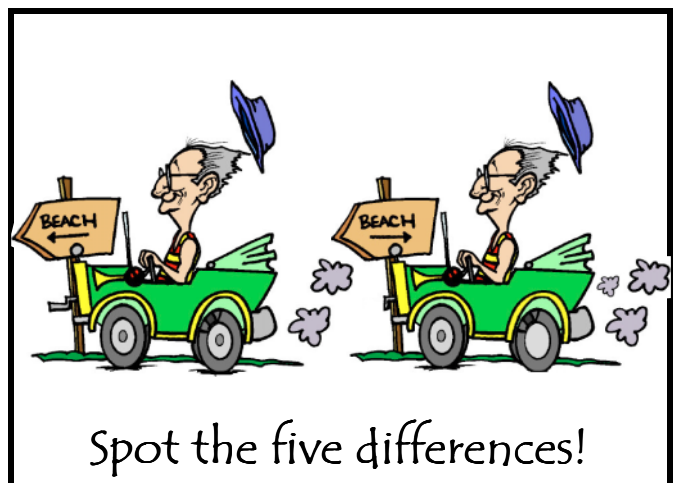
What's the difference between a tiger and a lion?
A tiger has the mane part missing.



What do you get if you cross a sheep with a holiday resort?

The Baaahaaaamaas!

What's the biggest moth in the world?
A mammoth.



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