



HOME LEARNING

Subject: English Year 9 Miss Poynter – Lesson 1

Time to complete: approximately 50 minutes

Learning Objective: I can find facts in a non-fiction text.

To listen to Miss Poynter say hello at the start of the lesson, click here:

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Task 1: read the information about Tigers aloud or with an adult.

Tigers

Tigers live in Asia. Most tigers live in forests, but some live in swamps.

Tigers are the biggest cats in the world. They are very strong. They have long tails to help them balance. They have orange and black stripes. No two tigers have the same markings. Their markings help them to hide in the forest.

Tigers hunt mainly at night. They eat lots of different animals. Tigers are good swimmers. If the weather gets too hot, they go in the water to cool down.

Tiger cubs are born blind. They drink their mother's milk for six to eight weeks. They live with their mother for about two years. She teaches them how to hunt.



Task 2: Write YES or NO next to each sentence

Tigers live in Africa. _____

Tigers have stripes. _____

Tigers hunt mainly at night. _____

Tigers are not good swimmers. _____

Baby tigers are called cubs. _____

Cubs live with their mother for about two years.

Task 3: Choose the correct word to fill in the gap

orange	milk	swim	black	two	eat
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1. Tigers have _____ and _____ stripes.
2. Tigers _____ lots of different animals.
3. Tigers _____ in water to cool down.
4. Tiger cubs drink _____ from their mother.
5. Tiger cubs live with their mother for _____ years.

Task 4: Try this wordsearch

h	u	m	i	s	h	q	u
u	s	a	s	t	l	u	f
n	w	n	s	r	s	e	o
t	i	i	t	i	g	e	r
g	m	m	r	p	p	k	e
p	m	a	o	e	t	m	s
u	e	l	n	s	n	m	t
e	r	s	g	c	u	b	s

animals	swimmer	strong	stripes
tiger	hunt	cubs	forest

Save your work:

If you are using a computer, open a blank document to do your work. Save work with your name, the subject and the date E.G. T Smith Maths 1st January

If you are doing your work on paper, make sure you write the date at the top.

Send your work (either a photo or an attached document) to hpoynter@glebe.bromley.sch.uk for it to be marked.