

Endangered Animals Answer Key

1. Biodiversity means _____.
 - a. the variety of plants and animals in the world or in a region
2. _____ species can be threatened because they depend on more than one habitat.
 - a. Migratory
3. _____ means a species no longer exists in a place it used to.
 - a. Extirpated
4. The _____ is an endangered California bird whose wingspan reaches up to nine feet.
 - b. condor
5. The _____ is the largest mammal on earth.
 - b. blue whale
6. The _____ has been reintroduced into Yellowstone National Park.
 - b. gray wolf
7. The _____ can run at speeds of up to 60 miles per hour.
 - c. cheetah
8. A major cause of death for Florida panthers in recent years has been _____.
 - c. traffic collisions
9. The _____ was sacred to the Aztecs and the Maya and gave its name to Guatemala's currency.
 - a. resplendent quetzal
10. The _____ spends a lot of its time hanging upside down.
 - b. three-toed sloth