

Quiz: Reading Comprehension

Cat in the Ghat Story

Date: ____/____/____

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Read the questions and answer choices
and choose the correct answer!



1. Which detail from the story helps you understand why Deepa and Tim wanted to find the white tiger?

- A. Deepa had a new invention she wanted to use.
- B. Tim's first photo of the tiger came out fuzzy.
- C. Pom-Pom was a rare white tiger.

2. What was the problem all the animals were talking about?

- A. Pom-Pom prowled the forest at night hunting animals.
- B. People were cutting down all the trees in the forest.
- C. None of the animals wanted Tim to take their photograph.

3. How did the team get the monkey to give them information about the white tiger?

- A. They promised to take the monkey's photo.
- B. They gave the monkey a compliment.
- C. They pleaded with the monkey for help.

4. Why does Pom-Pom decide to let the team take his photo?

- A. Because they promised to tell people cutting down trees was hurting the animals.
- B. Because Pom-Pom was glad they found him and thought he was famous.
- C. Because they found him when he was drinking water from the stream.

5. What is the central message the author wants you to take away from this story?

- A. There are not very many white tigers in the world today.
- B. There are many kinds of animals that live in the Western Ghats.
- C. People need to speak up for animals because they can't speak up for themselves.

6. How is the word *rare* used in the story of the Cat in the Ghat?

- A. to describe how the white tiger looks
- B. to describe how unusual a white tiger is
- C. to describe how fast a tiger moves