Dear Parent,

Welcome to Monterey Zoo's walking "ZOO QUIZ", a tool we feel will make your child's experience at Monterey Zoo much more fun, challenging, entertaining and best of all, educational.

All the answers to this quiz are located on the signage in front of our habitats or within the animal's habitats themselves but all are also welcome and encouraged to ask the keepers for a clue if it helps. Depending on your child's age, your help could be necessary on some questions or to read and explain some of the verbiage on the signs.

Be sure to share this activity with your schools curriculum coordinator as your visit coupled with this quiz might very well fulfill some if not several of your child's curriculum requirements in a subject.

If you and/or your child have a mobile device, BE SURE TO LOOK for the QR Codes on some of the signs. They will enable you and yours to watch a fun-informative video about the animal you are seeing. Ask a keeper for help if you need it.
1. Where do Sulcata Tortoises come from? (circle one)
   - Africa
   - China
   - Hawaii
   - Los Angeles

2. Where do Red Footed Tortoises come from? (circle one)
   - Africa
   - South America
   - Canada

3. How far will a Sulcata Tortoise travel in search of food and water? (circle one)
   - 500 feet
   - 2000 feet
   - two football fields
   - 2-3 miles

4. How do Red Footed Tortoises mainly navigate? (circle one)
   - Smell
   - Touch
   - Sight
   - Road Signs
5. Where can Parrots be found in the wild? (circle one)
   - South America
   - Africa
   - Australia
   - All of the above

6. Parrots can live up to (circle one)
   - 20 years
   - 50 years
   - 80 years
   - 100 years

7. How many different species of Parrots are there? (circle one)
   - Roughly 102
   - Roughly 393
   - Roughly 1000

8. Seagulls are... (circle one)
   - sorta smart
   - not so smart
   - very intelligent
   - smarter than humans

9. What's another word for birds that steal their food? (circle one)
   - kleptoparasitic
   - carnivorous
   - hungry
   - cannibalistic

10. How do Turkey Vultures get their name? (circle one)
    - Their heads look like turkeys
    - They make turkey noises
    - We eat them at Thanksgiving
    - From their mothers

11. What sport are Red-Tailed Hawks commonly used in. (circle one)
    - Archery
    - Falconry
    - Ornithology
12. Do we have Red Tailed Hawks in Monterey County? (circle one)
   - Yes we do
   - No we do not
   - Only on weekends

13. Great Horned Owls are also called ___ because of the noise they make. (circle one)
   - Screaming Owls
   - Hoot Owls
   - Singing Owls

14. When are Owls most active? (circle one)
   - During the day
   - At night
   - On Saturday nights

15. Owls will eat? (circle one)
   - Rodents (mice-rats)
   - Rabbits
   - Birds
   - All of the Above

16. What skill are pied crows "excellent" at? (circle one)
   - Construction
   - Mimicking words and sounds
   - Hunting

17. Where is our Pied Crow’s wild cousins from? (circle one)
   - China
   - Africa
   - South Carolina
18. What year was the American Bald Eagle removed from the Endangered Species list? (circle one)
   - 1972
   - 1988
   - 2007
   - 2020

19. The American Bald Eagle is found in what country? (circle one)
   - North America
   - Russia
   - Australia
   - All of the Above

20. The Latin word "lemurs" means what? (circle one)
   - Spirits
   - Small monkey like animal
   - Noisy monkey
   - Soft Fur

21. All Lemurs are from where? (circle one)
    - Madagascar ~ Africa
    - Rome ~ Italy
    - Tokyo ~ Japan

22. What do Lemurs eat in the wild? (circle one)
    - Fruit
    - Insects (Bugs)
    - Plants
    - All of the above

23. How many species of Lemurs are there? (circle one)
    - 5
    - 52
    - around 100
24. Where do American Badgers live in the wild? (circle one)
   - South America
   - North America
   - China
   - All of the above

25. Badgers are considered "solitary" therefore they prefer to live ___? (circle one)
   - With a mate
   - With lots of other badgers
   - Alone
   - With their parents

26. Where do Baboons live in the wild? (circle one)
   - South America
   - Africa
   - China
   - All of the above

27. Baboons will eat ___? (circle one)
   - Fish
   - Birds
   - Small animals
   - All of the above

28. Baboons prefer to live in places with lots of ___? (circle one)
   - Water
   - Safe places to sleep
   - All of the above

29. How long can a Capuchin Monkey live? (circle one)
   - 10 years
   - 25 years
   - 50 years

30. Where do Capuchin Monkeys get their name from? (circle one)
   - A coffee drink
   - Their mothers
   - Capuchin Monks
   - All of the above
31. Why is a Squirrel Monkey called a Squirrel Monkey? (circle one)
   - It looks like a squirrel
   - It eats nuts like a squirrel
   - It smells like a squirrel

32. Where do wild Squirrel and Capuchin Monkeys live? (circle one)
   - South America
   - New York
   - The United States

33. How long can an American Alligator Live? (circle one)
   - 10-25 years
   - 30-50 years
   - 50-100 years

34. Male American Alligator makes what noise to attract female alligators? (circle one)
   - Sing
   - Roar
   - Purrrrr

35. How large are American Alligators when they hatch? (circle one)
   - 2 to 3 inches
   - 6 to 8 inches
   - 10 to 12 inches

36. Where do all wild Kangaroos live? (circle one)
   - America
   - Africa
   - Australia

37. How do Kangaroos travel best? (circle one)
   - Running
   - Walking
   - Hopping

38. How many different species of Kangaroos are there? (circle one)
   - Two
   - Four
   - Six
   - Eight
39. When Kangaroos are born, they are ... ? (circle one)
   - ... fully Developed.
   - ... not fully developed.
   - ... ready to party.

40. A Patagonian Cavy is a ...? (circle one)
   - ... rabbit.
   - ... rodent.
   - ... kangaroo.

41. Cavys communicate by...? (circle one)
   - ... grunting.
   - ... screaming.
   - ... both of the above

42. A Binturong is also called a ...? (circle one)
   - ... long tailed dog.
   - ... long clawed monkey.
   - ... bearcat.

43. What does a Binturong smell like? (circle one)
   - Hotdogs
   - Candy
   - Popcorn

44. A Binturong is most closely related to a ...? (circle one)
   - ... Bear.
   - ... Cat.
   - ... Civet.

45. A Cougar is also called a ...? (circle one)
   - ... Mountain Lion.
   - ... Puma.
   - ... Panther.
   - ... All of the above
46. A Cougar is the ___ biggest cat in North America? (circle one)
   - First
   - Second
   - Third
   - Fourth

47. Do wild Cougars live in Monterey County? (circle one)
   - Yes they do.
   - No they do not.
   - Only in the summer months
   - Only in the winter months

48. Where are leopards found (circle one)
   - Africa
   - Asia
   - Monterey Zoo
   - All of the above

49. What do a leopard's spots best help them do? (circle one)
   - Run fast
   - Sleep
   - Hide

50. Leopards can be born ___? (circle one)
   - ... Orange and Black spotted.
   - ... Black
   - ... Either of the above

51. How fast can a Leopard run? (circle one)
   - 15 mph
   - 25 mph
   - 36 mph
   - All of the above
52. What is a Caracal? (circle one)
   - A rodent
   - A cat
   - A monkey

53. A Caracal is the ____ for its size? (circle one)
   - Fastest
   - Slowest
   - Smartest

54. Do we have wild Bobcats in Monterey County? (circle one)
   - Yes we do.
   - No we do not.
   - Only at Monterey Zoo

55. Why do Siberian Lynx have large feet? (circle one)
   - To help them swim
   - To help them run in the snow
   - To swat flies with

56. The Lynx was named after the Greek word "lunx" which means what? (Circle one)
   - Big footed to describe their feet
   - Light Brightness - to describe their eyes
   - Soft haired - to describe their fur

57. Where are wild Servals from? (circle one)
   - India
   - Florida
   - Africa

58. Servals have very long...? (circle one)
   - ... hair.
   - ... tails.
   - ... legs.
59. What are Spotted Hyenas also called? (circle one)
   - Spotted Dogs
   - Laughing Hyenas
   - Both of the above

60. A Hyena's only true enemies are ...? (circle one)
   - ... Lions
   - ... Humans
   - ... Both of the above

61. Which animal is a Hyena most closely related to? (circle one)
   - ... Dog
   - ... Cat
   - ... All of the above

62. How many sub-species of African Elephants are there? (circle one)
   - Two
   - Four
   - Six
   - None

63. How many years do an Elephant's tusks continue to grow? (circle one)
   - Only five years
   - Only ten years
   - Only twenty years
   - Forever throughout its lifetime

64. What kind of Elephants do we have at Monterey Zoo? (circle one)
   - Asian
   - African

65. How do the Elephants' ears help them? (circle one)
   - To hear planes landing
   - To wave at other Elephants
   - To deal with heat in Africa
66. How do Water buffalo travel? (circle one)
   - In a large circle
   - In a single-file line
   - In stampedes
   - Only where they can swim

67. Water Buffalo are very dependent upon what? (circle one)
   - Other water buffalo
   - Fish
   - Water and mud holes

68. How fast can a zebra run? (circle one)
   - Up to 20mph
   - Up to 40 mph
   - Up to 100mph

69. How soon can a baby Zebra walk after being born? (circle one)
   - 24 hrs.
   - 2 hrs.
   - 20 min

70. How many sub-species of zebras are there? (circle one)
   - Two
   - Four
   - Six

71. How did Warthogs get their name? (circle one)
   - Because you can get warts if you touch them
   - Because they make wart like noises
   - Because they have wart like thingys on their head
72. How fast can a Warthog run? (circle one)
   - Up to 105 mph
   - Up to 34 mph
   - Up to 5 mph

73. Warthogs live in holes usually dug by what? (circle one)
   - Weasels
   - Badgers
   - Aardvarks

74. Water Buffalo are considered ___ in the wild? (circle one)
   - Threatened
   - Endangered
   - Extinct

75. A Bactrian Camel has how many humps? (circle one)
   - One
   - Two

76. A Dromedary Camel has how many humps? (circle one)
   - One
   - Two

77. What is stored in a Camel's hump(s)? (circle one)
   - Food
   - Hair
   - Fat

78. What is LARGER, an alpaca or a Llama? (circle one)
   - An alpaca
   - A Llama

79. How many Bears does Monterey Zoo have? (circle one)
   - One
   - Two
   - Three
   - Four

80. Monterey Zoo's Bears are what kind of bear? (circle one)
   - American Brown Bear
   - Grizzly Bears
   - American Black Bears
81. Do we have Bears in Monterey County? (circle one)
   - Yes we do
   - No we do not
   - Only in North Salinas

82. How many Tigers does Monterey Zoo have? (circle one)
   - One
   - Two
   - Three
   - Four

83. Do we have Tigers in Monterey County? (circle one)
   - Yes we do
   - No we do not
   - Only at Monterey Zoo

84. How many African Lions does Monterey Zoo have? (circle one)
   - Two
   - Three
   - Four

85. Lions in Africa live in groups called what? (circle one)
   - Families
   - Prides
   - Flocks

86. What’s the biggest difference between male Lions and female Lions? (circle one)
   - Male Lions are meaner
   - Female Lions are meaner
   - Male Lions grow a large hairy "mane"
87. At what age do young Lions start hunting? (circle one)
   - 3 months
   - 11 months
   - 2 years
   - 5 years

88. How long do Lions typically sleep each day (circle one)
   - 6-8 hours
   - 16-20 hours
   - 2- hours
   - Depends on how long they stayed at a party the night before.

89. Did you have fun today at Monterey Zoo? Yes - No

90. What was your favorite animal at Monterey Zoo and why?

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