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# Endangered animals



## Elephant

- **Herbivore:** grass, leaves, shrubs, fruits, and roots
- A baby elephant is called a calf.
- A group of elephants is called a herd, memory or parade.
- Elephants keep themselves clean by taking dust and mud baths.
- An elephant uses its trunk like a snorkel when swimming.



## Giant panda

- **Herbivore:** bamboo shoots, leaves, roots, and stems
- A baby panda is called a cub.
- A group of pandas is called an embarrassment, cupboard or bamboo.
- Pandas are good swimmers.
- Pandas poo up to 40 times a day.



## Orangutan

- **Omnivore:** mangoes, figs and lychees, as well as young leaves, flowers, insects, and, occasionally, small mammals
- A baby orangutan is called an infant or baby.
- Orangutans often live alone. When they form a group, it is called a buffoonery.
- The durian fruit is a favourite food, but it smells like sweaty socks.
- Orangutans can eat with their feet.



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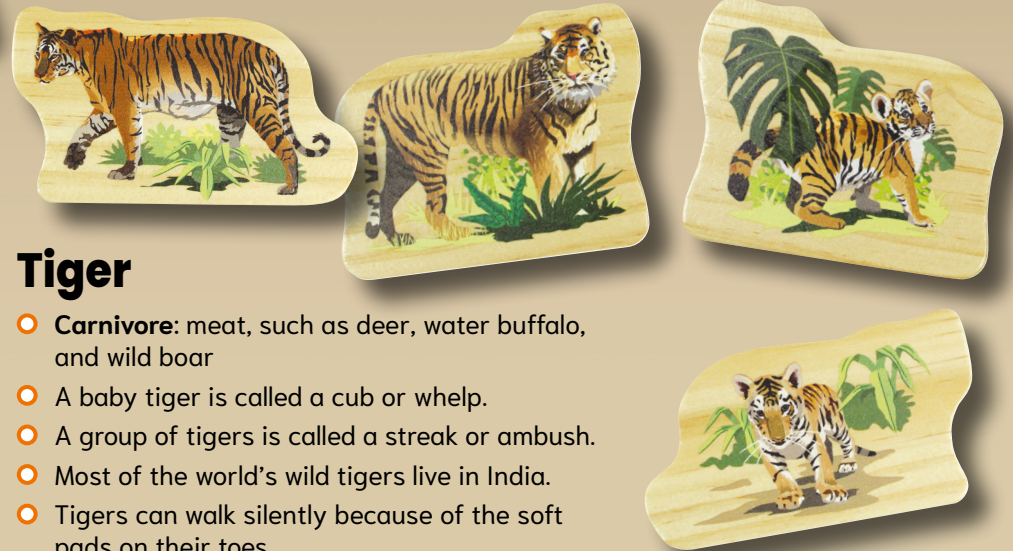
## Rhinoceros

- **Herbivore:** grass and leaves
- A baby rhinoceros is called a calf.
- A group of rhinoceros is called a crash, herd or stubbornness.
- Rhinoceros horn is made of keratin, which is part of human hair and nails.
- Rhinoceros like to roll in mud, which helps to keep them cool and gets rid of insects.



## Snow leopard

- **Carnivore:** wild goats and sheep
- A baby snow leopard is called a cub.
- Snow leopards are solitary animals, so there is no group name for them.
- Their long tails help them to balance.



## Tiger

- **Carnivore:** meat, such as deer, water buffalo, and wild boar
- A baby tiger is called a cub or whelp.
- A group of tigers is called a streak or ambush.
- Most of the world's wild tigers live in India.
- Tigers can walk silently because of the soft pads on their toes.



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