



ZOOBIRANGER RECRUIT PROGRAM

THE WHITE RHINO

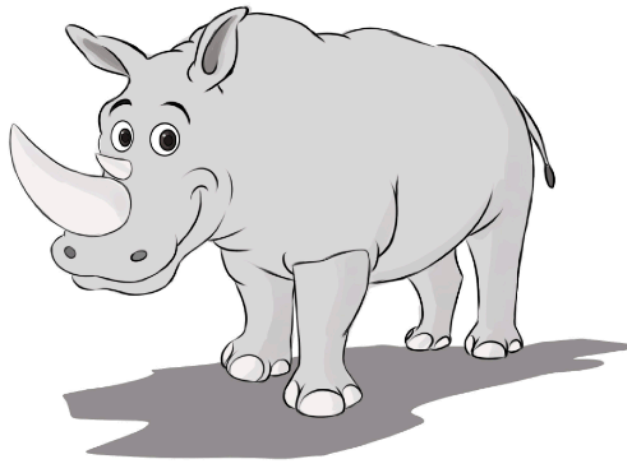
Earn your White Rhino Badge!



WELCOME, ZOOBIRANGER RECRUIT!

With this workbook in your backpack, you're on your way to becoming a Junior ZoobiRanger!

Learn about the White Rhino and the Grassland Habitat in which it lives.



To earn your badge, do the following:

- Watch the Zoobitat Episode:**
 - Look for the one entitled "The White Rhino."
- Complete this Workbook:**
 - Read the information and do your best to complete the exercises.
- Check your Work:**
 - Show an adult the answers you completed.
- Earn your Badge:**
 - At the end of the course, you'll find a Badge you can print out!

LET'S BEGIN!

LEARN THE ZOOBIRANGER SALUTE!

As you've seen in the episode, Junior ZoobiRangers Jolly and Jordy do the ZoobiRanger Salute before going on an adventure. As a ZoobiRanger Recruit, you can learn it, too.

SALUTE MEANING:

With the salute, we are honoring our commitment as ZoobiRangers to:

- be protectors of the planet and the creatures upon it.
- learn what we can about wildlife conservation.
- work together as a team to make the world a healthy home for all.

HOW TO DO THE SALUTE:

First, learn the phrase that lets us all know you're ready for an adventure.

Can you say it out loud?

"ZoobiRangers at the Ready!"

Now, learn the hand actions! While standing tall, with your shoulders back, raise your right hand to your forehead, with a flat palm facing downward. Say the word, "ZoobiRangers," then salute your hand forward and outward, saying "at the ready!"

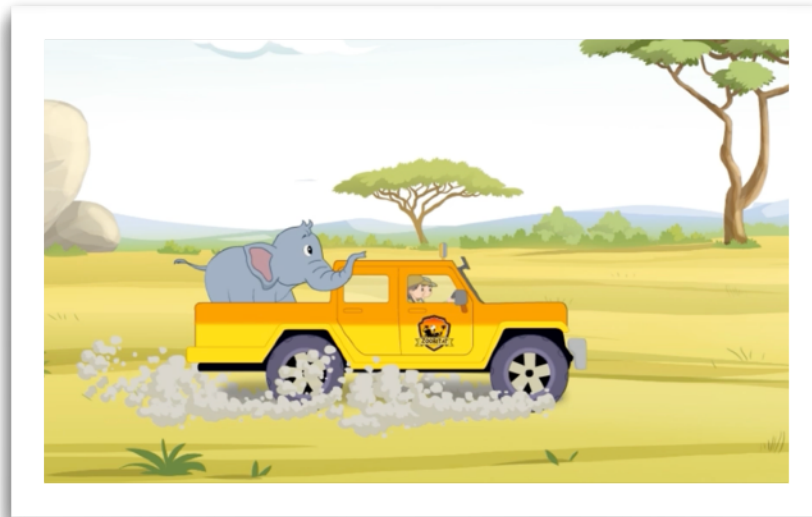
Then fold your arms, so they cross in front of you. Then lean to the side. Great work! Now try it all in one motion while saying the phrase aloud.

"ZoobiRangers at the Ready!"

EXCELLENT! YOU'RE READY FOR ADVENTURE!



RIDE THE ZOOBITRUCK TO THE GRASSLAND HABITAT!



The White Rhino lives in the Grassland Habitat.

The Grassland Habitat is defined as having wide open spaces that are covered in grasses, as opposed to shrubs or forests. While there are often trees within a Grassland Habitat, they tend to be scattered and in isolation.

Grasslands go by various names, depending on where they're located on the planet. Here are some of the names you might hear:

Prairies

- The Grasslands that span large parts of mid-west North America are known as Prairies.

Pampas

- South American Grasslands are often called Pampas. This word comes from an indigenous South American language, known as Quechuan. The literal meaning of the word "pampas" is "plain," given that the lands are generally flat.

Steppes

- In parts of Asia and Eurasia, the Grasslands are known as steppes. This word derives from the Russian language. It means "flat grassy plain."

Velds

- In parts of Southern Africa, Grasslands are known as Velds. This word comes from the Dutch word for "field."

Use the information above to answer the below questions.

1. What are Grasslands commonly called in South America?

- A. Velds
- B. Grassy Fields
- C. Pampas
- D. Pappa's Grass
- E. Prairies

2. What does the word Steppes mean?

- A. Staircase
- B. Stepladder
- C. Hillside
- D. Flat grassy plain
- E. Bump rocky surface

3. From which language does the word "Pampas" originate?

- A. Russian
- B. Quebecois French
- C. Quechuan
- D. Pig Latin
- E. Dutch

**4. Grasslands are known to have which of the following features?
Circle all that apply.**

- A. Lush forests
- B. Steep hillsides
- C. Flat lands
- D. Grassy lands
- E. Isolated trees



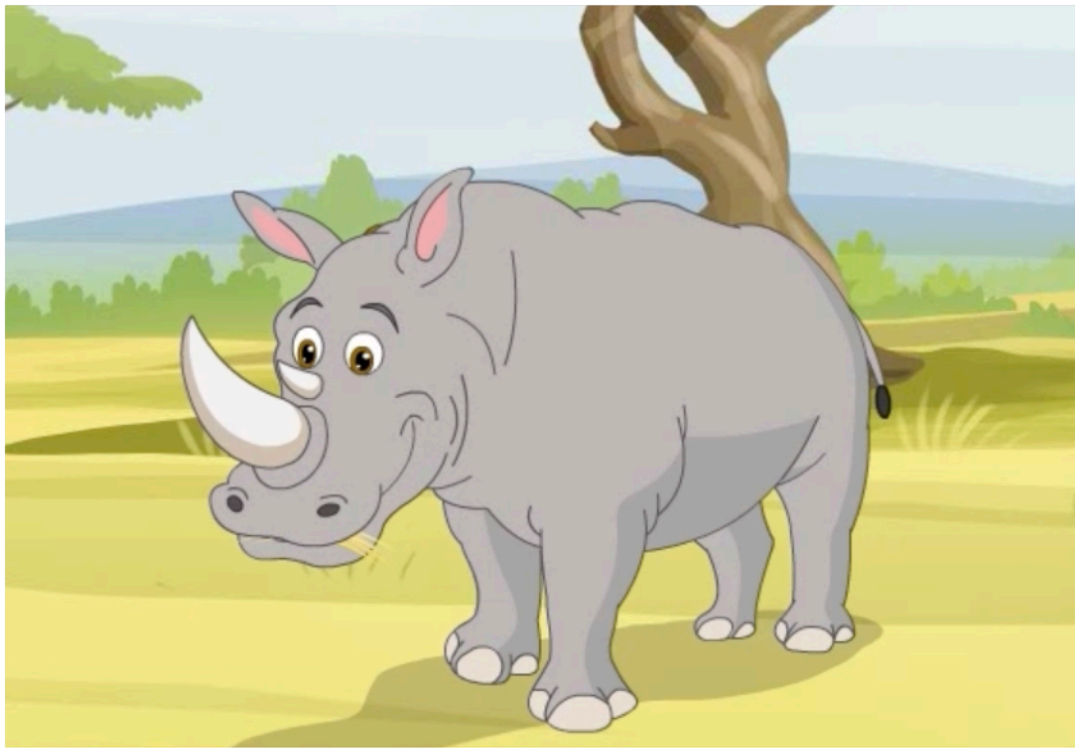
TAKE A WALK WITH THE WHITE RHINO!

White Rhinoceroses are the second-largest land mammal, with a weight ranging from 4000 lbs. to 5,500 lbs.

They are known for the two horns they have on their snout. In fact, the word Rhinoceros comes from two Greek words, “Rhino” and “Ceros.” “Rhino” means “nose,” and “Ceros” means “horn.”

The White Rhino is listed as a Near Threatened Species by the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN). This means that while their population size is low, it is not in immediate danger.

That said, one species of White Rhino, the Northern White Rhino, is in dire straits. It is currently listed as Critically Endangered, nearing extinction. For these reasons, we need to do our best to ensure the safety of those White Rhinos who still roam with us.



White Rhinos look different from other Rhinos, in particular, the Black Rhino. Here's how you can recognize a White Rhino:

- ☑ Despite their name, they are not white in color. They are generally a muddy gray.
- ☑ White Rhinos have a square upper lip, with almost no hair. Their counterparts, the Black Rhinos, have pointier lips.
- ☑ White Rhinos tend to be significantly larger than other Rhinos, such as the Black Rhino.
- ☑ White Rhinos tend to have smaller eyes than Black Rhinos.
- ☑ White Rhinos tend to have longer, tubular ears, as opposed to Black Rhinos, whose ears are smaller and rounder.
- ☑ White Rhinos have a larger front horn and a smaller back horn. On the other hand, Black Rhinos tend to have a larger back horn and a shorter front horn.

Here are some key differences between the White Rhino and the Black Rhino:

WHITE RHINO	BLACK RHINO
Larger Front Horn than Back Horn	Larger Back Horn than Front Horn
Square Jaw/Lips	Pointy Jaw/Lips
Long, Tubular Ears	Smaller, Rounded Ears
Smaller Eyes	Slightly Larger Eyes



Use the information above to answer the below questions.

5. Which species of Rhino has a square jaw?

- A. Pink Rhino
- B. Blue Rhino
- C. White Rhino
- D. Black Rhino
- E. Rainbow Rhino

6. Which subspecies of White Rhino is currently listed as Critically Endangered by the IUCN?

- A. Eastern
- B. Northern
- C. Western
- D. Southern
- E. Central

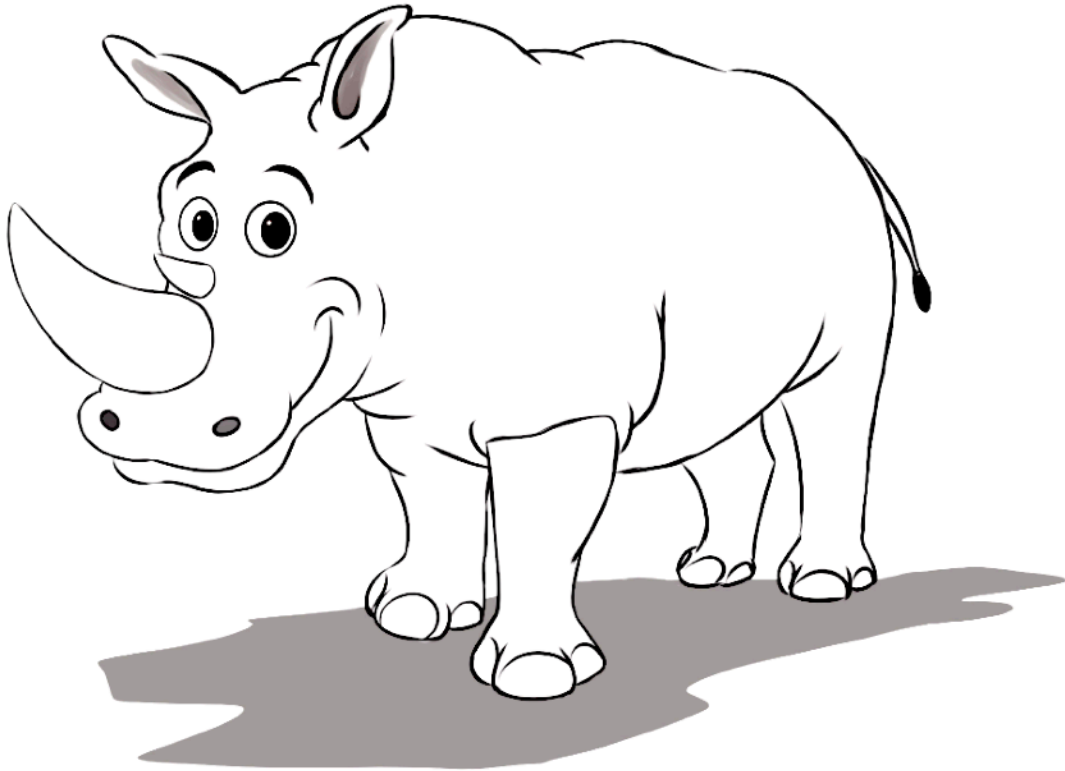
7. What color is a White Rhino?

- A. White
- B. Blue
- C. Black
- D. Gray
- E. Yellow

8. The word “Rhinoceros” derives from two Greek words, “Rhino” and “Ceros.” What do these two words mean?

- A. Big Nose
- B. Pointy Horn
- C. Wide Load
- D. Nose Horn
- E. Car Horn

9. Color in the below image of the White Rhino, so that its body is a muddy gray.



WHAT EPISODE ZOOSBI-FACTS DO YOU REMEMBER?

10. What do you call a group of Rhinos?

- A. A rumble of rhinos
- B. A crash of rhinos
- C. A club of rhinos
- D. A coup of rhinos
- E. A squad of rhinos

11. What object do Jolly and Jordy use to pull Riley from the mud?

- A. Elastics
- B. A pogo stick
- C. A sponge
- D. A stick
- E. Rope

12. What do we call a rhino's foot?

- A. A foot
- B. A hoof
- C. A flipper
- D. A sneaker
- E. A hoop

**13. Given that Rhinos have hooves,
what family of animals are they part of?**

- A. The Joneses
- B. The Ungulates
- C. The Umbrellas
- D. The Under Mates
- E. The Big Feet Family



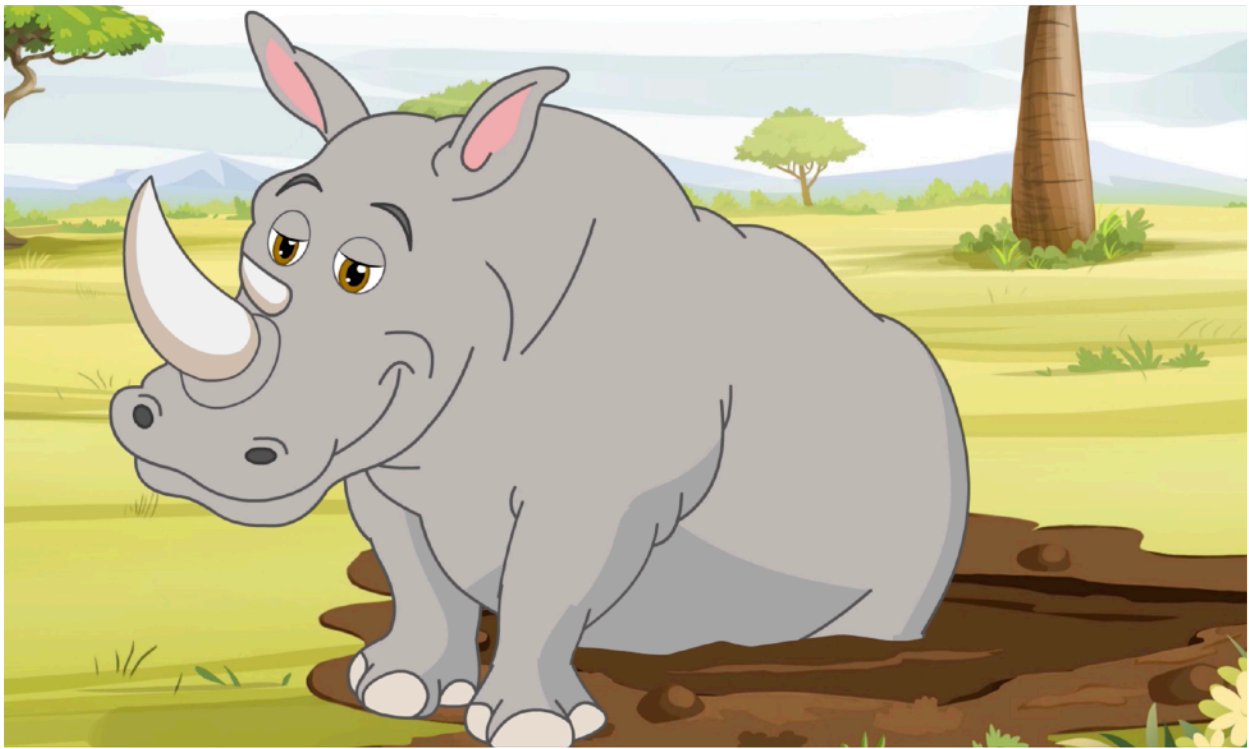
HOW TO HELP THE WHITE RHINO!

There are many ways to help the White Rhino and the Habitat in which they live.

Firstly, you can do your part to keep our Grasslands Habitats clean and free from harm.

We can do this by reducing our waste in the environment.

Reduce, Reuse and Recycle!



By reducing our waste, fewer harmful items will end up in the Grassland Habitat.



CONSERVATION ORGANIZATIONS!

One particular organization is working hard to ensure the safety of the White Rhino:

The World Wildlife Fund's "Adopt a Rhino" Program:

www.worldwildlife.org

From the above website, you can contribute financially to Rhino conservation efforts via a symbolic "adoption." Your support goes directly to keeping endangered animals safe from harm.

You can also help by volunteering with or contributing to other Wildlife Conservation Organizations. Here are some websites to check out!

<https://www.nature.org/en-us/>

<https://www.nrdc.org>

<https://www.sierraclub.org/>

<https://www.wcs.org/>

<https://oceana.org/>

Another great way to help is to look in your local area for volunteer opportunities. Ask the adult in your life how you can spend some time with a local zoo, animal sanctuary, wildlife club, or environmental group. There's always a way to lend a helping hand.

And most importantly, you can help by doing your part to be a protector of wildlife and our planet. Continue learning about the amazing creatures of Earth and the unique environments in which they live.

**You're on your way to becoming a
Junior ZoobiRanger.**

WE HOPE TO SEE YOU AGAIN SOON!



CONGRATULATIONS!!

**By completing this workbook, you have earned your
White Rhino Badge!**

Fill out the below info. and enjoy your badge!

Congratulations, ZoobiRanger Recruit _____
(write your name here)

As of this date _____,
(write today's date)

you have earned an official ZoobiRanger White Rhino Badge.



Cut out the badge and put it on display!

Earn your next badge with a new workbook at www.zoobitat.com

ANSWER KEY:

1. C
2. D
3. C
4. C, D, E
5. C
6. B
7. D
8. D
9. N/A
10. B
11. E
12. B
13. B