

ENGLISH SUMMER GUIDE

5th GRADE

Name: _____

Study the tables.

Present simple		five. ten. happy.	Past simple		five. ten. happy.
I	'm (am)		I	was	
You	're (are)		You	were	
He She It	's (is)		He She It	was	
We They	're		We They	were	

I. Look at the images and complete using the corresponding form of the verb “to be” in the present simple. Then, match the number with the image.



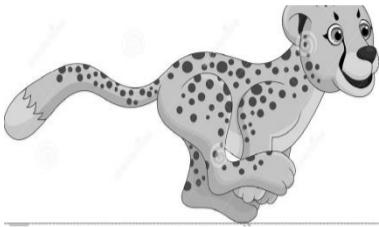
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| 1 Hi! I _____ Jacob. | 4 'We _____ happy.' |
| 2 She _____ my sister Kate. | 5 We _____ in the jungle. |
| 3 It _____ the beach. | 6 They _____ tired. |

II. Complete.

- When I was five, my favourite hobbies were singing and dancing. **past**
- He _____ nine last year. **past**
- They _____ my favourite hobbies. **present**
- When she _____ seven, my sister's favourite hobby _____ reading. **past**
- It _____ my favourite toy. **present**
- He _____ ten. **present**
- They _____ my favourite hobbies. **past**
- Now I _____ ten, my favourite food _____ spaghetti. **present**

III. Match the adjective with the corresponding animal. There are two animals that match with two adjectives.

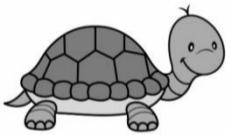
Big Small Slow Fast Heavy Light



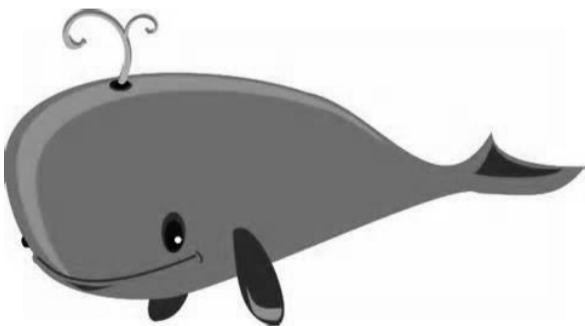
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Comparatives and Superlatives RULE

The dog is **faster** than the elephant.
 The horse is **the fastest**.
 The horse is **bigger** than the dog.
 The elephant is **the heaviest**.
 The dog is **more energetic** than the elephant.



	ADJECTIVE	COMPARATIVE	SUPERLATIVE
ONE syllable	fast young	-ER faster younger	-EST the fastest the youngest
ONE syllable Ending in -E	nice late	-R nicer later	-ST the nicest the latest
ONE syllable Consonant + Short Vowel + Consonant	big hot	Double the last consonant and add -ER bigger hotter	Double the last consonant and add -EST the biggest the hottest
TWO syllables Ending in -Y	happy crazy	Remove the -Y and add -IER happier crazier	Remove the -Y and add -IEST the happiest the craziest
TWO or MORE syllables	famous beautiful	MORE + more famous more beautiful	THE MOST + the most famous the most beautiful
Common Exceptions	good bad	better worse	the best the worst

IV. Write the COMPARATIVE form of the adjectives given to complete the sentences.

- The spider is _____ (small) than the hippo.
- The hippo is _____ (big) than the turtle.
- The turtle is _____ (slow) than the cheetah.
- The cheetah is _____ (fast) than the kangaroo.
- The panda is _____ (heavy) than the koala.
- The gorilla is _____ (light) than the whale.

V. Write the SUPERLATIVE form of the adjectives given to complete the sentences.






- The spider is the _____ (small) animal in the jungle.
- The cheetah is the _____ (fast) animal on earth.
- The turtle is one of the _____ (slow) animals.

VI. Write T (TRUE) or F (FALSE). Correct the false sentences.

1. _____ Koalas are smaller than kangaroos. _____
2. _____ Hippos are heavier than cheetahs. _____
3. _____ Spiders are bigger than pandas. _____
4. _____ Gorillas are lighter than spiders. _____
5. _____ Cheetahs are slower than koalas. _____

VII. Read and answer.

Amazing Animals

 <p>Do you know that some animals are extinct? They lived a long time ago and now there aren't any in the world. This is a picture of a dodo. It is extinct. It lived 400 years ago.</p>	 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Indian Elephant is about 2.5 metres tall.• It lives in India and other parts of Asia.• It's grey with small ears.• It uses its long nose (called a <i>trunk</i>) to put food and water in its mouth.• It's a herbivore.
 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The woolly mammoth was a prehistoric elephant.• It was about three metres tall.• It lived in Africa, Asia, Europe and North America.• It was brown with small ears and big tusks.• It used its tusks for protection and for digging in the snow for grass and food.• It was a herbivore.	
 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The great white shark is about four metres long.• Its teeth are the size of a person's finger.• It lives near the USA, South America, Australia and New Zealand.• It's a carnivore. It likes to eat fish and sea lions.	 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The megalodon was a prehistoric shark.• It was about 20 metres long.• Its teeth were the size of a person's hand!• It lived in North America, South America, Europe, Australia, New Zealand and Asia.• It was a carnivore. It liked to eat whales.

1. Which animal lived in four continents?

2. Which animal only lives in Asia?

3. Which is bigger: the woolly mammoth or the Indian elephant?

4. Which is smaller: the great white shark or the megalodon?
