



# The animal says...



Did you know?.....

## 1. Elephants

- Elephants are the largest land animals on Earth. Their trunks have over 40,000 muscles!

## 2. Giraffes

- Giraffes have the longest necks of any animal, which can be up to 6 feet long. They use their long tongues to reach leaves high up in trees.

## 3. Ducks

- Ducks have waterproof feathers. They spread oil from a special gland all over their feathers to keep dry.

## 4. Monkeys

- Monkeys are very smart and can use tools. Some monkeys even wash their food before eating it!

## 5. Lions

- Lions are the only big cats that live in groups called prides. A lion's roar can be heard up to 5 miles away.

## 6. Penguins

- Penguins can't fly, but they are excellent swimmers. They can dive underwater for up to 20 minutes!

## 7. Kangaroos

- Kangaroos can jump up to three times their own height in one leap. They carry their babies, called joeys, in a pouch.

## 8. Butterflies

- Butterflies taste with their feet! They use their feet to find out if a leaf is good to lay eggs on.

## 9. Dolphins

- Dolphins are very playful and can communicate with each other using a series of clicks, whistles, and other sounds.

## 10. Bats

- Bats are the only mammals that can fly. They use echolocation to find their way in the dark by listening to the echoes of their own sounds.

## Bonus Fun Facts

- **Cats** can rotate their ears 180 degrees to hear better.
- **Dogs** have an incredible sense of smell and can detect scents 40 times better than humans.
- **Turtles** have been around for over 200 million years, even surviving the dinosaurs!