

## Threatened, Endangered, & Extinct

### Environment & Ecology Series Quiz

**Directions:** Circle the one correct answer for each question below:

1. What does it mean if an animal is extinct?
  - a. There are a lot of them living
  - b. There are none left living
  - c. There never was such an animal living
  - d. There are only a very few left living
  
2. What does habitat mean?
  - a. The way an animal or plant moves
  - b. What a plant or animal eats
  - c. A place where a plant or animal meets its' needs to survive
  - d. The habits of a plant or animal

**Directions:** Fill in the blanks with the correct answer from the word bank below. Use only one word per blank.

Word Bank

pollution    people    endangered    endangered    other animals    trait  
threatened    diseases    rainforests    elephants    passenger pigeons    snails

3. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a unique shape, size, color, smell, or sound of a plant or animal.

4. Plants or animals become extinct because of \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, or \_\_\_\_\_.

5. The Atlantic Sturgeon is listed as being \_\_\_\_\_ in Pennsylvania because there are only a very few left in Pennsylvania.

6. The number of Bald Eagles has increased, and they changed from being listed as \_\_\_\_\_ to being listed as \_\_\_\_\_.

Quiz Answers (Do not copy onto Student Quizzes): 1) b. 2) c. 3) trait 4) diseases, other animals, pollution, or people (in any order). 5) endangered 6) endangered to being listed as threatened