

White- Tailed Deer

Name: _____

Directions: Read through the following statements and circle the appropriate answer.

1. The Native Americans of Pennsylvania depended on white-tailed deer for all of the following except:
a. food
b. shelter
c. clothing
d. pets
2. The original predators of white-tailed deer did not include:
a. people
b. mountain lions
c. rattlesnakes
d. wolves
3. Europeans who came to Pennsylvania:
a. raised deer as livestock
b. seldom hunted
c. used deer hides for trading
d. didn't eat venison
4. By the end of the 1800's the deer population in Pennsylvania was greatly decreased due to:
a. railroad expansion
b. deer brain worm
c. strict enforcement of wildlife regulations
d. extensive hunting and lack of game law enforcement
5. One indicator of biological diversity in a forest is:
a. two types of flowers
b. a variety of living organisms
c. diversity of rock formations
d. three types of tree species
6. Deer are known as 'browsers' because they tend to :
a. drink out of small creeks
b. use saltlicks
c. eat acorns and berries
d. eat leaves and shoots of young trees

Directions: Answer the following question to the best of your ability.

1. What do you think is the best way to maintain the white-tailed deer population in balance with Pennsylvania's habitat?