

Zoo Riddles

Sarah and her family are in a zoo. They are guessing some riddles¹ about animals. Can you help solve² the riddles?



1. It is very heavy³.
Look at its big body.
It eats a lot!
Look at its long trunk⁴.
It is taking a shower⁵!
What is it?

2. It is fierce⁶.
It has sharp teeth.
It kills other animals.
There are stripes⁷
on its body.
What is it?

3. It looks like a horse.
But it is rather⁸ small.
It loves vegetables⁹,
but not meat at all¹⁰.
What is it?



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When the subject (主語) is **third-person singular**¹¹ in the **simple present tense**¹², we add an extra '-s' or '-es' to the verb.

e.g. Sarah **plays** the piano and **watches** TV on Sundays.

For the negative statements, we add '**does not**' to the verb **instead**¹³.

e.g. Tiffany **does not** like coffee.

For the verbs *to be* and verbs *to have*, we change the form to '**is**' and '**has**'.

e.g. The baby **is** happy. She **has** a lot of toys to play with.

Vocabulary:

1. riddle 謎語
2. solve 解開
3. heavy 笨重的
4. trunk 象鼻
5. shower 淋浴
6. fierce 兇猛的
7. stripe 條紋
8. rather 相對
9. vegetable 蔬菜
10. at all 全然
11. third-person singular 第三人稱單數
12. simple present tense 簡單現在式
13. instead 取而代之