

DUBLIN ZOO  
ACTIVITY BOOK

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## INTRODUCTION

Welcome to Dublin Zoo's **#DUBLINZOOFUN** series where we will give you and your children a daily activity booklet to work together to complete.

All of the answers you will need to complete this activity booklet can be found on the Dublin Zoo website – [www.dublinzoo.ie](http://www.dublinzoo.ie), or on our social media pages.

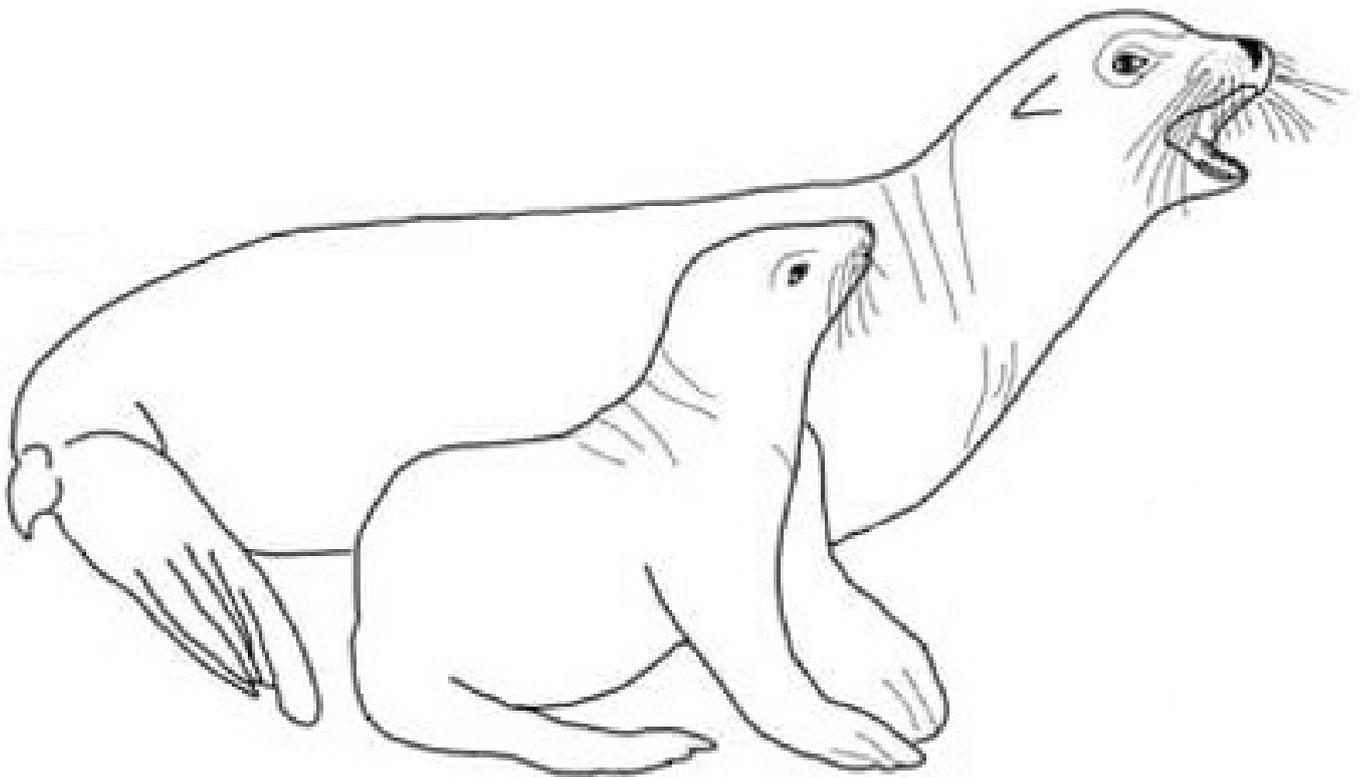
If you and your children are taking part in these activities, don't forget to tag **#DUBLINZOOFUN** in your progress pictures so we can share them on our Instagram and Facebook Stories.

Have fun and stay safe! – **DUBLIN ZOO**

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COLOURING



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## MATCH THE ANSWER

Can you match the species with the word for their babies?  
We've given you a head start and marked the first answer.

Asian elephant		Infant
Humboldt penguin		Calf
California sea lion		Hatchling
Star tortoise		Cub
Western-lowland gorilla		Pup
Asian lion		Chick

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## WORDSEARCH

Dublin Zoo takes part in breeding programmes for over 35 species. Below are some species which have given birth at Dublin Zoo in the past few years, can you find them in the wordsearch?

F U G V G O R I L L A N  
H O I T F X X C E R B X  
I R R U P E N G U I N N  
L Y A R H I N O U L B L  
I X F T I G E R Y M J T  
O G F E L E P H A N T Z  
N N E K L P Q N N E D L  
K A J O S E A L I O N Y

ELEPHANT  
GIRAFFE  
GORILLA  
LION

ORYX  
PENGUIN  
RHINO  
SEALION

TIGER

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## FILL IN THE BLANKS

### Missing Words

reintroduced, lion, EAZA, 50, breeding, 300, oryx

As part of Dublin Zoo's membership of \_\_\_\_\_ (European Association of Zoos and Aquaria), we participate in over 35 \_\_\_\_\_ programmes.

By running these breeding programmes, EAZA can monitor the age structure and genetics of animal populations in over \_\_\_\_\_ zoos in almost \_\_\_\_\_ countries. The success of a number of these programmes has meant that zoo-bred animals have been \_\_\_\_\_ into the wild, such as the scimitar-horned \_\_\_\_\_ and golden \_\_\_\_\_ tamarin.

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TELL US THREE THINGS  
YOU'VE LEARNED TODAY...

1.



2.



3.



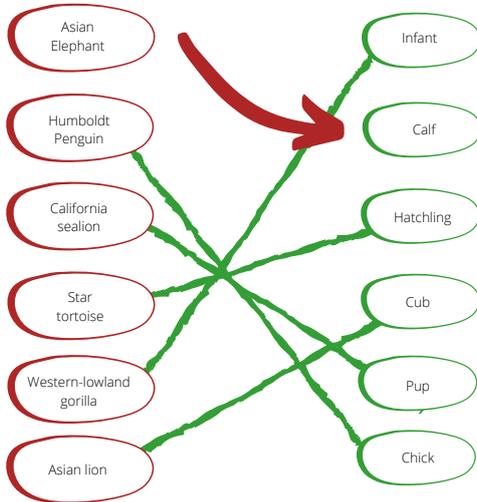
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## ANSWERS

### MATCH THE ANSWER



### WORDSEARCH

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. . G . G O R I L L A .
. O I . . . . . . .
. R R . P E N G U I N .
L Y A R H I N O . . . .
I X F T I G E R . . . .
O . F E L E P H A N T .
N . E . . . . . . .
. . . . S E A L I O N .
    
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As part of Dublin Zoo’s membership of **EAZA** (European Association of Zoos and Aquaria), we participate in over 35 **breeding** programmes.

By running these breeding programmes, EAZA can monitor the age structure and genetics of animal populations in over **300** zoos in almost **50** countries. The success of a number of these programmes has meant that zoo-bred animals have been **reintroduced** into the wild, such as the scimitar-horned **oryx** and golden **lion** tamarin.

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