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## **Semana de 12 a 16 de abril de 2021**

### **Conteúdo(s) desenvolvido(s): - Verbetes enciclopédico**

#### **Motive-se! Aprenda!**

**Verbetes enciclopédico - é um gênero textual de natureza expositiva, encontrado, como o nome já diz, em enciclopédias. Elas são organizadas em verbetes. Eles têm como objetivo apresentar definições e informações sobre um determinado assunto, utilizando linguagem objetiva e impessoal.**

#### **THE AFRICAN ELEPHANT**



**STATUS:** Vulnerable

**POPULATION:** Approximately 415,000 in the wild

**SCIENTIFIC NAME:** *Loxodonta africana*

**HEIGHT:** Shoulder height is 11 feet

**WEIGHT:** 6 tons

**LENGHT :**19-24 feet

**HABITATS:** Tropical and Subtropical Moist Broadleaf Forests, Flooded Grasslands and Savannahs, Miombo woodlands, Acacia savannahs.

The African elephant is the largest animal walking the Earth. Their herds wander through 37 countries in Africa. They are easily recognized by their trunk that is used for communication and handling objects. And their large ears allow them to radiate excess heat. Upper incisor teeth develop into tusks in African elephants and grow throughout their lifetime. There are two subspecies of African elephants—the Savanna (or bush) elephant and the Forest elephant. Savanna elephants are larger than forest elephants, and their tusks curve outwards. In addition to being smaller, forest elephants are darker and their tusks are straighter and point downward. There are also differences in the size and shape of the skull and skeleton between the two subspecies.

Forest elephants, a distinct subspecies of African elephants, are uniquely adapted to the forest habitat of the Congo Basin, but are in sharp decline due to poaching for the international ivory trade. It is estimated that probably one quarter to one third of the total African elephant population is made up of forest elephants.

<https://www.worldwildlife.org/species/african-elephant>

- RESPONDA ÀS QUESTÕES ABAIXO DE ACORDO COM AS INFORMAÇÕES DO TEXTO:

1- The largest animal walking the Earth:

- a) Giraffe                      b) lion                      c) elephant                      d) tiger

2- Where do they live?

- a) India                      b) Japan                      c) China                      d) Africa

3- What are the two subspecies of African elephants?

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4- What are their scientific name?

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5- Escreva (TRUE) ou (FALSE):

- a) Savanna elephants are larger than forest elephants. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )  
b) Their species are vulnerable. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )  
c) Their herds wander through 39 countries in Africa. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )  
d) Forest elephants are darker. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )  
e) Their large ears don't allow them to radiate excess heat. ( \_\_\_\_\_ )

6-Complete a tabela abaixo com os dados sobre **THE AFRICAN ELEPHANT:**

População:	Altura:	Peso:	Comprimento:
Habitat:			