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Worksheet - VIII

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A. Guess the names of these plants having fascinating facts.



The first type of aspirin, pain killer, came from the tree bark of

Baseball bats are made out of the wood of Peaches,
pears,
apricots,
apples are the
member of

The tallest tree ever was an Australian The fastest growing woody plant in the world is

This is one of the oldest living tree species



B. Know some facts about these animals that will surprise you. Guess their names.

It uses its tail for balance. So if you lift its tail off the ground, it can't hop.



The only mammal that can fly.



Research shows that the number of this species is declining making it the most



endangered marine animal to the verge of extinction.

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These are the most abundant terrestrial animals by species count.



This is considered to be the most endangered large mammal in the world with only



two population existing in the wild. They are highly prized as a commodity in traditional Asian medicine.

It is the source of highestgrade sushi. Due to the unsustainable fishing practices these fish are getting extinct.



They runs faster than horses and their males roar like lions.



C. Browse the Internet and write one strangest thing about them.



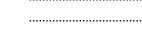
Cork Tree

Bois Dentelle



Monkey Puzzle

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Baobab Tree



Dragon Tree



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D. Name these flowers. Take help of clues in their description.



This plant gets its name after the striking brown and yellow patterns resembling tiger stripes. This is the largest and heaviest orchid.



This plant has the biggest flower in the world. The only part that can be seen outside its host plant is its five-crowned flower.



It is Indonesia's national flower. It was first discovered in Maluku. Its petals are pink and white coloured.

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This plant has the largest unbranched inflorescence of all flowering plants. Its flower can reach heights of 7-12 feet.

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This flower looks like a pocket. It can be found in southeast Asia region, especially Indonesia. It closes its carnivorous bag when it is digesting its prey.



One of the Indonesian orchids which is popular in world being black in colour. It is found in Kalimantan and Papua region.

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E. Name these bird species. The information about them and their pictures are given for your ready support.

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It is the rare and world's largest bird weighing 4.2 kg and is one metre in height.



This critically endangered mysterious species of New Caledonia has not been seen since 1998.

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Were one time seen in flight over the Grand Canyon. In 1981, their population was reduced to just 21 birds after a century of persecutions.

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This bird is white and is mainly found in the dense, humid forest of New Caledonia and is locally known as the 'Ghost of the Forest'.

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It is one of the world's largest and most powerful birds of prey. It is the national bird of Philippines.

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It's the forest-dwelling bird of the Indonesian island of Sumatra. There are 70 – 400 individuals in the wild left now.