

Giant Pandas



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Giant pandas live in forests in China.

They are big, black-and-white bears.

They have thick fur.

A panda has a small tail.

It has a white face.

It has black eyes and black ears.

Draw or paste a picture of a panda.

Label its face, its eyes and its ears.



A panda has ten fingers and ten toes.

It has very sharp claws.

Giant pandas walk and run on four legs.

They can climb trees.

Find and write the three words that tell how a giant panda can move.

Giant pandas eat bamboo.

They grab the bamboo with their sharp claws.

They tear open the bamboo to get the soft part inside.

They also eat flowers and grass and bug, too.



Draw and label some flowers, the grass, and the bugs that you think a giant panda might like to eat.



A giant panda has big, sharp teeth.
The teeth crush and chew the bamboo.
Giant pandas sit down to eat.

Draw a picture of a giant panda sitting down to eat. Write a sentence about your drawing.

Pandas are very rare and are in danger of becoming extinct. (This means there will be no pandas in the wild)

Why?

If the bamboo dies, pandas must walk a long way to find more.

Sometimes they die before they find food.

The bamboo forests are being cut down.

Make a poster asking people to stop cutting down forests where pandas live.

When it is born a panda cub is very small.

It has no fur.

Its eyes are closed.

It can't crawl.

Soon the black fur grows.

Then the white fur grows.

Then the baby panda can crawl.

Draw 4 pictures to show how a baby panda grows. Write a label for each picture.

A panda quiz

Draw a circle around the correct answer.

Pandas live in China. Yes No

Pandas are small bears. Yes No

Pandas hatch from eggs. Yes No

Pandas walk on four legs. Yes No

A panda has a tail. Yes No

A river is a home for a panda. Yes No

People hunt pandas. Yes No

Pandas can climb trees. Yes No

If bamboo dies, pandas die. Yes No

Write another true sentence about pandas.

Write the answers:

1. What do pandas eat?

2. How do pandas eat?

3. How many fingers and toes does a panda have?

4. Why are pandas in danger?



Here's a design for a stamp about pandas.
Draw a design for another stamp about pandas.

Read more about pandas

<https://www.kidcyber.com.au/giant-panda>

<https://www.kidcyber.com.au/p-is-panda>

Some links for other panda activities

<https://www.pinterest.com.au/preschoolplanetus/panda-craft-idea-for-kids/>

Watch a video from National Geographic

See a tiny cub with its mother.

<https://www.nationalgeographic.com/animals/mammals/g/giant-panda/>

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