CREATURE ATLAS

Animal Fact Sheet

Name: _____ Date: _____



Great Apes Chimpanzee

Pan troglodytes

Chimpanzees (Pan troglodytes) are one of our closest living relatives, sharing approximately 98.7% of their DNA with humans. These highly intelligent primates inhabit the tropical forests and savanna…

Quick facts

Classification: Mammal
Family: Hominidae
Habitat: Tropical rainforest and woodland savanna
Diet: Omnivore
Conservation status: Endangered
Lifespan: 33-40 years in the wild, up to 60 years in captivity
Weight: 32–60 kg (70–130 lbs)
Scientific name: Pan troglodytes

Did you know?

- Chimpanzees and humans share about 98-99% of their DNA, making them our closest living relatives alongside bonobos.
- Chimpanzees have been observed using medicinal plants to treat illnesses, indicating a rudimentary understanding of pharmacology. They display a wide…

What I learned

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