

**WHEN SLEEPING BIRDS FLY:
365 AMAZING FACTS ABOUT THE ANIMAL KINGDOM**

Multiple-Choice Quiz

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1. A female zebra finch chooses a mate that:
 - (a) builds the most beautiful nest
 - (b) sings the most complex song
 - (c) blushes the deepest colour of orange when he sees her
 - (d) brings her the biggest gift.

2. The caterpillar of the giant swallowtail butterfly looks like a:
 - (a) pink snake
 - (b) striped sock
 - (c) frosted donut (when it curls up)
 - (d) a bird dropping.

3. When the veined octopus senses danger, it:
 - (a) climbs into a coconut shell half and pulls another one on top
 - (b) hides in an underwater cave
 - (c) scares away the predator by bleating like a lamb
 - (d) stands on its head and waves its arms around.

4. Grebe young, which ride on their parents' backs, learn to swim when the parents:
 - (a) tip them over into the water
 - (b) take off suddenly rolling them down their back
 - (c) dive and resurface a distance away, forcing them to swim towards them
 - (d) leave

5. Opossums are immune to:
 - (a) bee stings
 - (b) rattlesnake venom
 - (c) rabies
 - (d) infections.

6. The smiley face on the back of the happy face spider:
 - (a) fools its prey into thinking it is a friend
 - (b) turns to a frown as it gets older
 - (c) disappears when it is angry
 - (d) scares away predators.

7. Tiger beetles run so fast that they:
 - (a) take off into the air
 - (b) break their legs
 - (c) temporarily blind themselves

- (d) start a fire.
8. To attract a female, the male great crested newt:
- (a) turns bright blue
 - (b) puffs out his valentine-like red throat pouch
 - (c) does a handstand
 - (d) sings her a love song.
9. Dolphin babies are born:
- (a) without fins
 - (b) while the mother is leaping out of the water
 - (c) blind
 - (d) tail first.
10. The creature with the largest eyes is:
- (a) the giant squid
 - (b) the blue whale
 - (c) the sun fish
 - (d) the barreleye fish

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