

The Great Britannica® Information Scavenger Hunt



Scavenger Hunt 2014 is here! Two lucky students will win a seven-volume set of Learn & Explore books from one of the most trusted names in reference: Encyclopaedia Britannica! (The winning students' school libraries will also receive Learn & Explore books!) Eighteen lucky runners-up will each receive a Britannica Learn & Explore book of their choice.

Based on your grade, select the appropriate information scavenger hunt below, and have fun exploring a world of information on Britannica School.

Scavenger Hunt for Grades K-5

Answer the questions below using Britannica School, Elementary Level, on the web at school.eb.com/levels/elementary. If you have trouble finding Britannica, ask your teacher or librarian. When you've finished the scavenger hunt, turn your answers into your teacher or librarian by March 5 for a chance to win a prize!

1. Where are the most famous pyramids located?

(hint: run a keyword search)

- A. Mexico
- B. Central America
- C. Egypt
- D. South America

2. Where does the Giant Panda live?

3. How many players compete on a basketball team?

4. How many stars are on the Texas state flag?

(hint: use the Tour the USA feature)

- A. 10
- B. 28
- C. 13
- D. 1

5. Name an animal that lives in the mountains.

(hint: use the Animal Kingdom feature)

Scavenger Hunt for Grades 6-8

Answer the questions below using Britannica School, Middle School Level, on the web at school.eb.com/levels/middle. If you have trouble finding Britannica, ask your teacher or librarian. When you've finished the scavenger hunt, turn your answers into your teacher or librarian by March 5 for a chance to win a prize!

1. Is the life expectancy longer for a woman in Aruba or a woman from the United States?

2. Prairie Dogs are a member of what family classification?

- A. Weasel Family
- B. Raccoon Family
- C. Squirrel Family
- D. Bear Family

3. Name a Modern Era Dancer

4. Mitosis cell division involves how many phases?

- A. 2
- B. 4
- C. 6
- D. 9

5. What's the first step in writing a research paper?

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