

African Animals

Explore our Africa section to see some of the amazing animals that live there!

How many lions do we have here at Whipsnade Zoo?

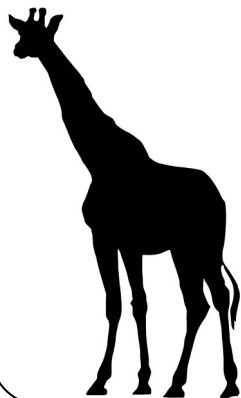
Can you spot our Pygmy hippos?
How many are there?

Match the rhyme to the picture of the African animal here at ZSL Whipsnade Zoo.

My body is Spotty,
My legs are too!
I can run really, really fast,
But can you see me hiding in the grass?

I am a tall bird, but I cannot fly
So you wont find me soaring in the sky.
My feathery body and long legs
Are better for running and sitting on eggs.

Giraffe



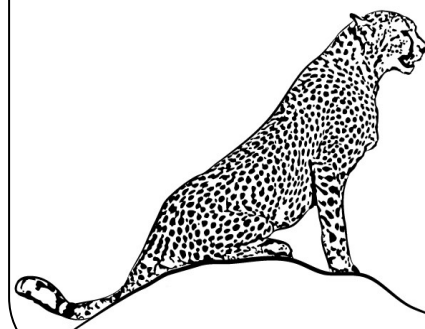
Ostrich



Meerkat



Cheetah



I am the tallest animal you will see
So I can nibble at leaves from the very tops of trees.

In the sunshine I stand and stare
Checking for something up in the air.
Sleeping in burrows we call home,
Searching for bugs, we like to roam.