

Crocodiles Alligators

Discusses alligators and crocodiles, including habitat, physical characteristics, reproduction, and conservation.

Alligators and crocodiles are introduced with information provided about their differences, as well as feeding and breeding characteristics.

With accessible text and brilliant, full-color photos, this title presents fascinating and fun facts about alligators and crocodiles.

Silently suspended in water, with only their eyes, nostrils and ears breaking the surface, these members of the crocodilian family play a terrifying sit-and-wait game with their prey, striking with lightning speed, chilling accuracy and a deadly bite stronger than any other living creature. Their victims stand little chance once held in their strong jaws. Land-dwelling prey are equally at risk--crocodilians can walk, gallop and leap at high speed, making them among nature's fiercest predators. The crocodile and alligator families descend from the reptiles that roamed Earth alongside the dinosaurs some 250 million years ago. Today, most of the land-dwelling crocodilians live in tropical lowlands, while the broad-snouted American and Chinese alligators have adapted to cooler temperatures. In Exploring the World of Alligators and Crocodiles, young readers will learn about the crocodilians' life history, physical characteristics, courtship displays, communication strategies and family life. They'll also find out how these semiaquatic reptiles rely on their senses and speed to survive--and why humans should keep their distance. The Exploring the World of... nature series was created for young readers who are eager to learn more about the wild creatures of the world. Each title contains beautiful photographs of the animals in their natural habitats and the highly readable text explores their daily lives and physical characteristics, how they make their homes, how they raise their young and what they eat. -This series has a different approach than typical animal books and goes beyond a basic introduction. The books provide the reader with another perspective and focus on different forms of survival tactics. Diagrams of the animals are presented describing different body parts and their functions. Another chapter discusses the natural talents of the animal... An extensive index is included.

Recommended. --Library Media Connection, of the previous books in the series

The Tao of the Alligator and the Crocodile

Snap!: A Book about Alligators and Crocodiles

American Alligator

Examines the physical characteristics, behavior, and life cycle of crocodiles and alligators, describes the different kinds, and discusses their endangered status.

Gathers unusual facts about the characteristics, behavior, history, and life cycle of alligators.

Covering species of crocodilians around the world, this study examines the three families of crocodilians--alligators, crocodiles, and gharials--and details how they swim, breathe, reproduce, and survive

Text and photographs introduce the characteristics, habits, and environment of crocodiles and alligators.

Crocodiles and Alligators

Crocodiles and Alligators After Dark

Hunters of the Night

Super Facts for Super Kids is a fun, fresh take on animal nonfiction for beginning readers. Filled with engaging photographs, comic-style illustrations, and cool infographics, these Level 2 Ready-to-Reads are sure to flip, float, and fly off the shelves! Alligators and crocodiles are strong enough to bite through bone, but did you know that they can't chew their food? Readers will love learning about what makes alligators and crocodiles “super,” as well as how to tell the two animals apart. The backmatter discusses the conservation success story of the previously endangered American alligator.

"Describes the characteristics, behaviors, and plights of endangered crocodiles and alligators, and what people can do to help"--Provided by publisher.

Describes the physical characteristics and behavior of various members of the family of animals known as crocodilians.

Describes physical characteristics, habits, habitat, and varieties of crocodilians.

Can You Tell an Alligator from a Crocodile?

Killer King of the Swamp

The American Alligator

Provides questions and answers revealing amazing facts about the characteristics, behavior, and life cycle of crocodiles and alligators.

Introduces the crocodilian creatures of the world and discusses some of their habits and peculiar characteristics.

Do you know the difference between alligators and crocodiles...? Alligators and crocodiles are the world's largest reptiles and the closest living relatives of dinosaurs. In this extremely interesting nonfiction picture book, Gibbons compares the two reptiles by giving facts about both--their physical differences, what they eat, where they are found, how fast they swim how they raise their young, and more. Kids will want to read this book again and again to learn all about these crocodilians that have been around for millions of years. A great read-aloud for the interested child or non-fiction resource for older children. Drawings are labeled throughout with additional information.

Provides information about alligators and crocodiles, including their differences and how they live, mate, and raise their young.

Reptiles

Alligator Mississippiensis

Animal Encyclopedia for Kids - Wildlife

Each book focuses on specific animals and describes the way each lives in the wild, and in natural-habitat zoos.

This book explains how alligators & crocodiles are living dragons, how they have morphed into dragons & how & why they are hiding in plain sight.

Decribes how alligators and crocodiles use their hearing, smell, and sight to hunt for food at night.

Looks at the ways that alligators and crocodiles are different, as well as how they are similar, looking at their physical features, behavior, and where they live.

Exploring the World of Alligators and Crocodiles

Love and Adventure among Crocodiles, Alligators, and Other Dinosaur Relations

Crocodiles, Alligators, Lizards, Snakes, Turtles

A born naturalist and a fearless traveler, Vladimir Dinets wrote travel guides, conducted field research, and lived a couple of lives before he was accepted into the PhD program in zoology at the University of Miami. He thought crocodiles were a dead-end research topic—survivors from the age of the dinosaurs but not much else—until he witnessed groups of up to seventy alligators performing mating choruses that included infrasound vibrations—a form of communication extremely rare in nature—and a “dance” unknown in the scientific literature but that resembled a scene from Jurassic Park. To prove his thesis about the language of crocodiles, he spent the next six years traveling around the world on shoestring budgets and in extreme circumstances, studying almost every living species. At the same time, as a man desiring companionship in life, he sought love. With adventures on five continents, Dragon Songs is his account of this quest. It includes an escape from a boiling lava lake in the Afar Desert, being chased up a tree by a tiger in India, hitching a ride with a cocaine smuggler in Bolivia, and diving with giant Greenland sharks—all in the name of studying crocodiles, among which he routinely paddled in his inflatable kayak. Of course, not everything went according to plan. But, in the end, his ground-breaking research helped change the field. And during the course of his adventures, he met and courted his future wife.

Describes the characteristics, habitats, and life cycle of the American alligator. Includes photo diagram.

This handbook provides a resource on the basic aspects of crocodilian biology, resource management, behaviour, anatomy, physiology and ecology. It is aimed at a broad audience of individuals concerned with crocodilians, such as wildlife officers in the field, wildlife researchers, environmental specialists, alligator/crocodile farming and ranching personnel, hunters and herpetologists, including students and generalists who need a thorough yet non-technical background.

Alligators are top of the food chain. This means that they are top predators. Find out all about alligators, their life at the top, links in the food chain and "killer facts"!

Wonders of Alligators and Crocodiles

Alligators & Crocodiles

Crocodiles & Alligators

Covers all 22 species of crocodiles and alligators. Describes their lifestyle, zoology, distribution, and conservation.

Information about these large reptiles and their ancestors is presented.

Long snout. Big teeth. Hard scales. Lives in warm climates. Is it an alligator or a crocodile? Readers will learn how these beasts from the age of dinosaurs are alike and how they differ.

Today there are 6,800 reptile species on earth; the major groups are alligators and crocodiles, turtles, lizards, and snakes. Reptiles are tetrapods and amniotes, animals whose embryos are surrounded by an amniotic membrane. Today they are represented by four surviving orders: crocodilia (crocodiles, caimans and alligators), sphenodontia (tuataras from New Zealand, squamata (lizards, snakes and amphisbaenids - "worm-lizards"), and testudines (turtles).

Crocodiles & Alligators of the World

Alligators and Crocodiles Fun Facts For Kids

Handbook of Alligators and Crocodiles

National Geographic Primary Readers is a high-interest series of beginning reading books that have been developed in consultation with education experts. The books pair magnificent National Geographic photographs with lively text by skilled children's book authors across four reading levels. Level 3: Becoming independentBest suited to kids who are ready for complex sentences and more challenging vocabulary, but still draw on occasional support from adults. They are ideal for readers of Purple and Gold books. A pair of eyes lurks just above the water's surface. Is it a crocodile or an alligator? Packed with beautiful and engaging photos, kids will learn all about these two reptiles - and find out what makes them different. This level 3 reader provides both accessible and wide-ranging text to encourage the scientists and explorers of tomorrow!

What's the difference between a crocodile and an alligator? Where do they live? What do they eat? Find out all about these descendants of dinosaurs, and you'll be ready the next time you see one!

Introduces the physical characteristics, habits, and natural environment of crocodiles and alligators and discusses their relationship to mankind throughout history.

Learn the differences between Mr. Alligator and Mrs. Crocodile in this easy-to-understand book. The pictures are spot-on and are complete with vibrant colors so similarities and differences are easy to distinguish. The use of this educational book is recommended for children below 10 years old, and across all types of learners. Secure a copy today!

Alligator

And Other Amazing Facts (Ready-to-Read Level 2)

Dragon Songs

Examines the life, environment, and endangered status of alligators, crocodiles, and their close relatives.

Describes the physical characteristics, behavior, habitats, and different species of alligators and crocodiles.

Welcome to the World of Alligators and Crocodiles

Alligators and Crocodiles Can't Chew!

Alligators and Crocodiles