



New Jersey Pinelands Kid Quiz

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Instructions: If you explore the New Jersey Pinelands Commission's [website](#), you will learn lots of facts about the Pinelands National Reserve. After you have looked around, come here and see if you can answer the questions on this page. The answers can be found at the bottom of the page, but make a promise not to peek at them until you try to answer the questions first.

1.) The 1.1 million acre Pinelands National Reserve is located in what State?

- A. Oklahoma
- B. California
- C. New Jersey
- D. Florida

2.) Which kinds of berries grow on farms in the Pinelands?

- A. Mulberries
- B. Frogberries
- C. Pineapples
- D. Blueberries and cranberries

3.) What is the name of the creature that is said to live in the Pinelands?

- A. Bigfoot
- B. Godzilla
- C. The Jersey Devil
- D. Moby Dick

4.) What is under the sandy soils of the Pinelands?

- A. A swimming pool
- B. Caves
- C. Solid rock
- D. An underground water supply

5.) What is the name of the government agency that helps protect the Pinelands?

- A. The Pinelands Commission
- B. The Conservation Group
- C. Pinelands Animal League
- D. Jersey Devil, Incorporated

6.) What color is the water in Pinelands streams? (Careful, this is a hard one)

- A. Blue
- B. Green
- C. Brown (like dark tea)
- D. Purple

7.) Besides being our country's first National Reserve, what else is the Pinelands?

- A. A Biosphere Reserve
- B. The future site For Disney World
- C. The location of the tallest mountain in the U.S.
- D. The home of the Dallas Cowboys

8.) What is the name of a threatened species that lives in the Pinelands?

- A. The Florida Panther
- B. The Pine Barrens Treefrog
- C. The Giant Panda
- D. The Saber-toothed Tiger

9.) How would you best describe the Pinelands?

- A. Mostly developed with houses
- B. Mostly covered with forests
- C. Mostly deserts
- D. Mostly mountains

10.) What do many people use the Pinelands for?

- A. Gold mining
- B. Camel riding
- C. Recreation and nature study
- D. Growing coconuts

11) What are some responsible recreational activities in the Pinelands?

- A. Hiking
- B. Fishing
- C. Bike riding
- D. Bird watching
- E. All of the above

12) What are some irresponsible activities in the Pinelands?

- A. Driving vehicles off roads into important habitats like ponds and meadows
- B. Dumping trash in the woods
- C. Destroying plants and trees
- D. All of the above

ANSWERS:

- 1. New Jersey
- 2. Blueberries and cranberries
- 3. The Jersey Devil
- 4. An underground water supply
- 5. The Pinelands Commission
- 6. Brown (like dark tea)
- 7. A Biosphere Reserve
- 8. The Pine Barrens Treefrog
- 9. Mostly covered with forests
- 10. Recreation and nature study
- 11. All of the above
- 12. All of the above

How Many Did You Get Right?