



Incredible Invertebrates: Pre-Questionnaire

Full Name: _____
School: _____

Date: _____
Age: _____

Part One: Please circle ALL the correct answers to each question. There may be more than one correct answer. If you do not know the answer, please circle D, "I don't know".

What is an invertebrate?

- A. An animal with a hard shell
- B. An animal that lives on a coral reef
- C. An animal without a backbone
- D. I don't know

Which of these animals are invertebrates?

- A. Sea slugs
- B. Squid
- C. Sharks
- D. I don't know

On planet earth, _____ make up the majority of animal species.

- A. Invertebrates
- B. Vertebrates
- C. Humans
- D. I don't know

What evolved first: invertebrates or vertebrates?

- A. They evolved at the same time
- B. Invertebrates
- C. Vertebrates
- D. I don't know

What is a keystone species?

- A. A species that has invaded an ecosystem
- B. A species that is really colourful
- C. A species that has a crucial role in an ecosystem
- D. I don't know

How can sea urchins keep coral reefs healthy?

- A. By using their spines to keep fish away
- B. By eating algae overgrowth
- C. By absorbing pollution in the water
- D. I don't know

What threats are marine invertebrates facing?

- A. Overfishing
- B. Climate Change
- C. Pollution
- D. I don't know



Which website has information on the lobster and conch fishing laws of the Cayman Islands?

- A. National Trust
- B. CCMI
- C. The Department of Environment
- D. I don't know

How can you help marine invertebrates?

- A. Fish sustainably
- B. Reduce your carbon footprint
- C. Pick them up underwater
- D. I don't know

Part Two: Following are statements concerning how you feel about different things and people. You will see that there is no right or wrong answer for each of these statements; we are only interested in your honest opinion. Please indicate how you feel about each statement by circling the number that best represents your feeling.

- 0 - I don't understand
- 1 - I definitely disagree
- 2 - I disagree
- 3 - I neither agree or disagree
- 4 - I agree
- 5 - I definitely agree

I would like to go snorkeling and look at all the different fish and corals.	0	1	2	3	4	5
I want to discover new marine life.	0	1	2	3	4	5
I am happy when I see lots of animals in the ocean.	0	1	2	3	4	5
I want to protect coral reefs.	0	1	2	3	4	5
I want to protect mangroves forests and seagrass beds.	0	1	2	3	4	5
I would like to know what fish I can eat without harming the ocean.	0	1	2	3	4	5
I would like to take part in beach clean ups.	0	1	2	3	4	5
I would like to help stop climate change.	0	1	2	3	4	5
I want to discover more about the ocean.	0	1	2	3	4	5
I would like to be a marine scientist when I grow up.	0	1	2	3	4	5