# Panda Workbook 熊猫练习册

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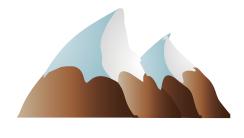
# **ANSWERS**

答案版





#### The habitats



## mountain



desert



river

grassland

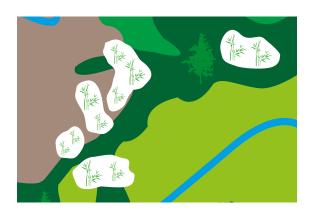


mixed forest



rainforest

The giant panda's habitat is now in small separate areas mainly across mountains and mixed forest. A good way to describe where the giant pandas live is in mountain bamboo forests.



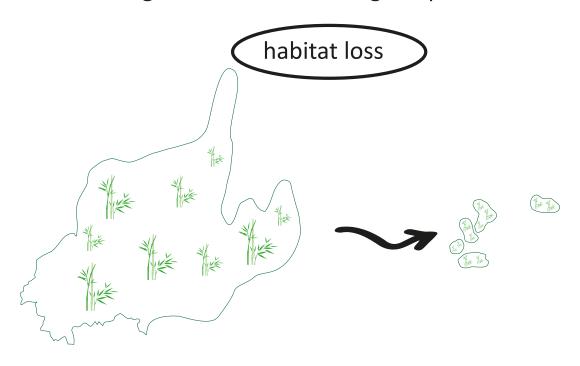
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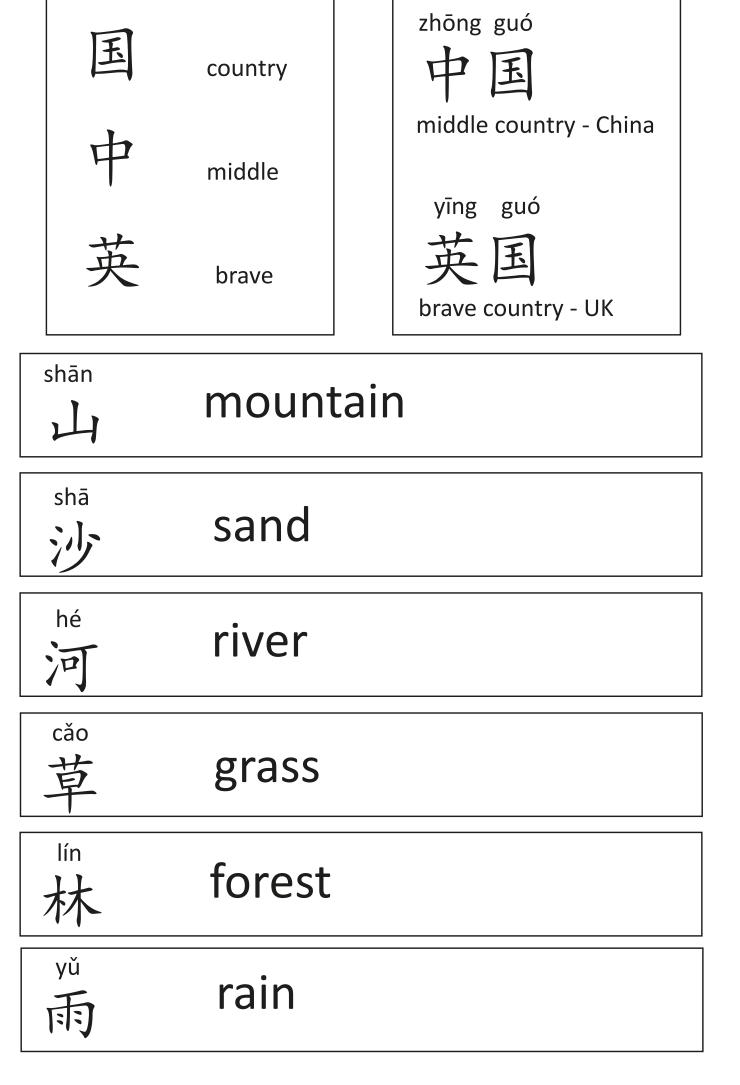
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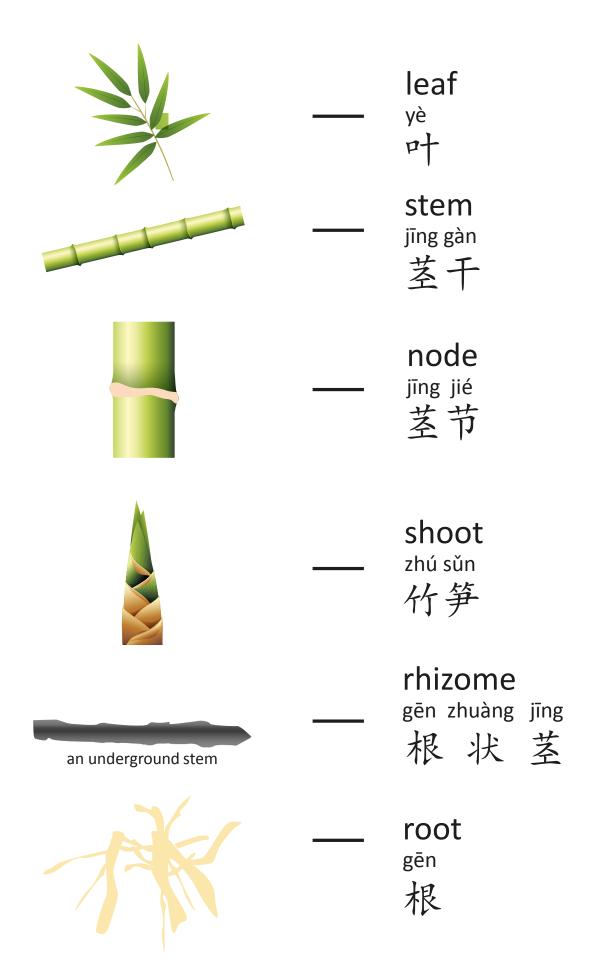
The giant panda's main threat is **habitat loss**. The large white area has been lost over years because of towns, cities, roads, clearing of forests, farmland etc.

In the past giant pandas were also hunted. Pollution and climate change will also affect the giant pandas.





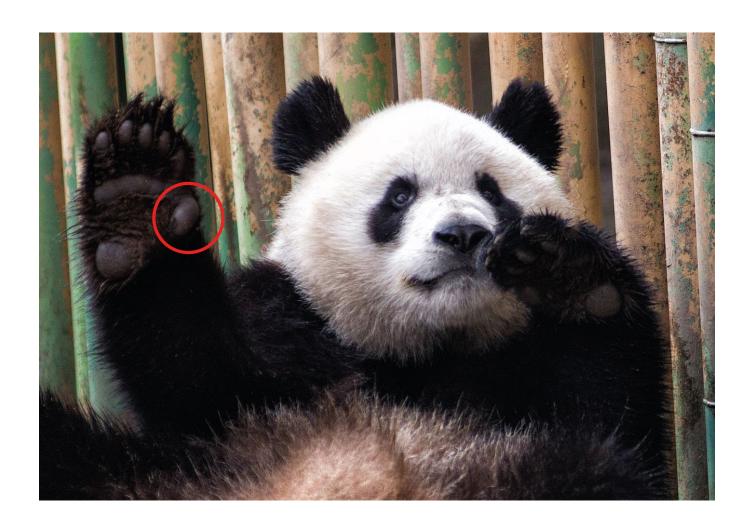
The rhizome is an underground stem, which spreads and sprouts new bamboo shoots.



**Skeleton B** is the giant panda hand. It looks like it has 6 fingers but giant pandas actually have 5 fingers and an overgrown wrist bone that acts like a thumb. This helps them grip their bamboo.

**Skull A** is the giant panda. Giant pandas are bears and do eat a little meat in the wild. They have incisors (biting teeth), canines (killing teeth) and large chewing molars (back teeth) to chew through the bamboo.

Skull B is the black bear. Black bears have incisors, canines and sharp slicing molars (back teeth) to slice through meat.



Giant pandas need trees to climb; a cave or some shelter; rocks and bushes for cover; water to bathe and bamboo for food.

chí táng 池塘

pond

shù

树

tree

dòng xué

洞穴

cave

shí tou

石头

rock

ǎi shù cóng

矮树丛

bush

zhú zi

竹子

bamboo

The **newborn** giant panda is pink and only about 15cm long.

After about 15 days, black and white markings appear.

When the baby is about one **month** old, it starts to look more like a giant panda.

The young giant panda learns from climbing and playing.

When the giant panda is about 18 months to 2 years old, it is time to leave **mum**.

Adult giant pandas will start to have **babies** when they are between 5 and 7 years old.

mum month babies newborn black climbing