

B2 – Fossils and Speciation Quiz

1. Why do scientists only find fossilised skeletons of extinct animals?
2. What is a fossil?
3. How do fossils form?
4. How do fossils show that animals evolved from simpler organisms?
5. Describe different causes of extinction.
6. Why are scientists uncertain about how life began?
7. Why can't scientists be certain what early animals looked like?
8. How do fossilised foot prints form?
9. What does the word extinct mean?
10. Describe how different species of the same animal develop.
11. What is a species?
12. How has the mammoth evolved from its ancestor?

13. What does the word endemic mean?

14. What is the meaning of the word speciation?

15. What is the difference between geographic and environmental isolation?