

Scarlet's Adventure Mad-Libs!

How to do a Mad-Lib:

1. Have one person call out the types of words needed to fill in the blanks (i.e. noun, adjective, etc.). It doesn't matter what order to call them out in, as long as they can keep track of what goes where! And if you can't remember what an adjective is, don't worry! We have included a key for words below.
2. The other player(s) will come up with their own words to fill in the blanks. The more creative the words are, the more crazy the mad-lib will turn out!
3. At the end, read the mad-lib that you have created from beginning to end and enjoy a good laugh!

Alternately, you could watch the Scarlet Adventure videos and try to fill out the mad-lib "correctly" based on what you remember from the video.

Key for words:

Adjective (adj) - A word that describes something. Examples of adjectives include: yellow, pretty, friendly, gentle, buttery, etc.

Adverb (adv) - A word that describes a verb, they usually end in "ly". Examples of adverbs include: quickly, morosely, quietly, etc.

Exclamation (exl)- A word that you would say in admiration or surprise. Examples of exclamations include: Wow, eureka, jeepers, etc.

Noun (n) - A person, place, or thing. Examples of nouns include: librarian, shark, spatula, restaurant, etc.

Number (num) – One to a bazillion, or higher.

Plural noun (pn) - More than one of a noun. Examples of plural nouns include: librarians, sharks, spatulas, restaurants, etc.

Verb (v) (ving) - A verb is an action, meaning, something that someone or something does. Examples of verbs include: run, fly, eat, etc. Sometimes verbs end in "ing" (running, flying, eating, etc.) These will specified.

Scarlet's Adventure: Hangin' with Sloths

Scarlet the Macaw is a ____ _____. She goes on adventures with her _____,
(adj) (n) (n)
Michelle. Michelle and Scarlet _____ all around the Loveland Living Planet Aquarium
(v)
together so that they can explore, discover, and learn about earth's diverse ecosystems!

Today they learned about _____ with Lesley, an endotherm keeper.
(pn)

Endotherms include _____ and mammals. This means that Scarlet and sloths are
(pn)
_____. Macaws like Scarlet and sloths also both _____ in _____. But they are still different.
(pn) (v) (pn)
Scarlet has _____ and sloths are _____. The aquarium has a _____ team of _____ that specialize
(pn) (adj) (adj) (pn)
in taking care of these types of _____.
(pn)

When a _____ on the endotherm team takes care of the sloths, that team member
(n)
has to _____ them. The team will _____ and measure the sloth's food to make sure that it is
(v) (v)
_____ and is given to them in the right amount. Endotherm keepers also have to clean up
(adj)
after the sloths. This means that they have to _____ up the poop! _____! They _____ the
(v) (ex!) (v)
sloths, too. The keepers always make sure that they give the sloths a _____ if they show
(n)
the behavior that they were asked for, even if the sloths do it _____. Sloths often get _____
(adv) (adj)
_____ as a reward. Training allows _____ like sloths to get a lot of the _____ vet care that they
(n) (pn) (adj)
need without any _____.
(pn)

Scarlet and Michelle learned that a _____ threat that faces sloths in the wild is
(adj)
deforestation. We can all help the sloths and other rainforest animals by making sure that
the _____ we _____ are made from _____ resources.
(pn) (v) (adj)

Learning about sloths is important because we share the planet with them.

What can YOU do to help the sloths?

Scarlet's Adventure: Hangin' with Sloths

Scarlet the Macaw is a red parrot. She goes on adventures with her friend, Michelle. Michelle and Scarlet travel all around the Loveland Living Planet Aquarium together so that they can explore, discover, and learn about earth's diverse ecosystems! Today they learned about sloths with Lesley, an endotherm keeper.

Endotherms include birds and mammals. This means that Scarlet and sloths are endotherms. Macaws like Scarlet and sloths also both live in trees. But they are still different. Scarlet has feathers and sloths are furry. The Aquarium has a whole team of people that specialize in taking care of these types of animals.

When a person on the endotherm team takes care of the sloths, that team member has to feed them. The team will wash and measure the sloth's food to make sure that it is clean and is given to them in the right amount. Endotherm keepers also have to clean up after the sloths. This means that they have to clean up the poop! Gross! They train the sloths, too. They always make sure that they give the sloths a reward if they show the behavior that they were asked for, even if they do it slowly. Sloths often get yummy treats as a reward. Training allows animals like sloths to get a lot of the simple vet care that they need without any anesthesia.

Scarlet and Michelle learned that a big threat that faces sloths in the wild is deforestation. We can all help the sloths and other rainforest animals by making sure that the products we buy are made from sustainable resources.

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What can YOU do to help the sloths?