Wisconsin Forest Wildlife Quizzer

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8. Q. *Name three foods that a bobcat likes to eat.*
A. *Rabbits, mice, squirrels, mink, muskrat, skunk, fox, porcupine, birds, bats, snakes, frogs, carrion (dead animals)*

1. Q. *This Wisconsin animal gets its name from a certain body part, which it raises like a flag when alarmed.*
A. *White-tailed deer*

7. Q. *Which is larger, the male or female Barred owl?*
A. *The female is slightly larger than the male.*

2. Q. *How did the snowshoe hare get its name?*
A. *Its large back feet help them walk in deep snow (just like snowshoes help us).*

6. Q. *Which Wisconsin animal can chew down hundreds of trees a year and can hold its breath under water for 15 minutes?*
A. *American beaver*

3. Q. *Commonly found throughout Wisconsin, this is our state bird.*
A. *American robin*

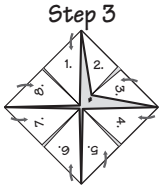
5. Q. *This bird beat out the wild turkey to become our nation's symbol in 1782.*
A. *Bald eagle*

4. Q. *A porcupine's quills are actually hard, pointed hairs. About how many quills does a porcupine have on its body?*
A. *30,000*

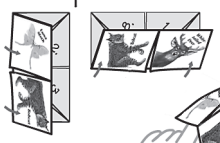
Step 1
Color photos and cut around outside border to make your paper square.

Step 2
Start on plain side. Fold outside corners in to the middle along dotted lines, so animals show.

Step 3
Turn square over. Fold new outside corners in to the middle.



Step 4
Fold top edge to bottom edge. Crease along middle. Open back up. Fold one side to other side. Crease along middle. Open back up.



Step 5
Turn square over. Put your thumbs and pointer fingers into the four pockets on back. Do you see Wisconsin's wildlife? You're ready to play the game!

How to play:

1. *Have a friend select an animal from the Forest Wildlife Quizzer and count the number of letters in its name. Open and close the Quizzer that number of times.*
2. *Have the player pick one of the numbers showing. Open and close the Quizzer that number of times. Open another number and* ***give the quiz!***

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