

KALAHARI DESERT

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- 1) Kalahari Desert is located in which countries?
 - a) Part of Botswana, south Africa and Namibia
 - b) Namibia and south Africa
 - c) Botswana

- 2) What is the landscape of the Kalahari?
 - a) mostly flat
 - b) Uneven surface
 - c) None of the above

- 3) What is the only permanent surface water area in or around the Kalahari?
 - a) Lake Xau
 - b) Makgadikgadi Pan
 - c) Boteti River

- 4) Which kind of climatic atmosphere does the Kalahari Desert has?
 - a) semiarid climate
 - b) arid climate
 - c) warm climate

- 5) Droughts are frequent in the Kalahari Desert.
 - a) True
 - b) False

- 6) The Kalahari contains a mix of acacia woodland, acacia scrub, savanna grasslands, and palm trees.
 - a) True
 - b) False

- 7) Are Wildlife in the Kalahari able to survive without a permanent water supply?
 - a) Yes
 - b) No

- 8) What are the names of some animals which you can find in the Kalahari Desert?
 - a) Lion, Tiger, cat
 - b) Antelope, giraffe, Jackal
 - c) Monkeys, Rabbits, Rats

- 9) What's the surface area of the Kalahari Desert?
 - a) 310,799 sq km
 - b) about 260,000 sq km
 - c) 450,000 sq km

- 10) The Kalahari area consist of rich plants and different species of birds?
 - a) True
 - b) False

- 11) What are the largest protected areas in Kalahari?
- a) Central Kalahari Game Reserve in Botswana and the Kgalagadi Transfrontier Park, shared by Botswana and South Africa
 - b) Central Kalahari Game Reserve in Botswana
 - c) the Kgalagadi Transfrontier Park,
- 12) Kalahari is sparsely inhabited with which group of people?
- a) The San, Bantu-speaking Tswana, Kgalagadi, and Herero, and a small number of European settlers.
 - b) European settlers
 - c) The Herero and the Bantu-speaking Tswana
- 13) Kalahari is a place which is
- a) Populated
 - b) Over populated
 - c) sparsely populated
- 14) what is the name of the Scottish explorer and missionary who crossed the desert in 1848, finding Lake Ngami?
- a) John Doh
 - b) Charlemagne the great
 - c) David Livingstone
- 15) Which group of people have lived in Kalahari Desert for more than 30,000?
- a) Bantu-speaking Tswana
 - b) Kgalagadi
 - c) The San

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