

# Redwood Giants

WildCare came and taught about the redwood forest. Use the knowledge you learned to decide if the statements below are true or false.



- True** or **False** A redwood tree is the tallest living thing in the world.
- True** or **False** A redwood cone is as big as a basketball.
- True** or **False** Redwood trees only live to be 50 years old.
- True** or **False** Tannin is a chemical inside redwood trees that protects them from fire, insects, and fungus.
- True** or **False** The Little Brown Bat lives in the redwood forest and can eat up to 1,200 insects in 1 hour.
- True** or **False** Striped Skunks live in the canopy of the redwood forest.
- True** or **False** Banana Slugs do not have an important role in the redwood forest ecosystem.
- True** or **False** Only 5% of historical old-growth redwood forests still exist today.
- True** or **False** Redwood forests can be found all over North America.
- True** or **False** The Northern Spotted Owl prefers to live in old-growth redwood forests.
- True** or **False** Inside a tiny redwood cone are even smaller redwood seeds.
- True** or **False** Redwood trees hold each other up by having connected root systems.



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## Answers

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- True** or **False** A redwood tree is the tallest living thing in the world.
- True** or **False** A redwood cone is as big as a basketball.  
**Redwood cones are small - only about an inch long!**
- True** or **False** Redwood trees only live to be 50 years old.  
**Redwood trees can live over 2,000 years!**
- True** or **False** Tannin is a chemical inside redwood trees that protects them from fire, insects, and fungus.
- True** or **False** The Little Brown Bat lives in the redwood forest and can eat up to 1,200 insects in 1 hour.
- True** or **False** Striped Skunks live in the canopy of the redwood forest.  
**Skunks live on the forest floor of the redwood forest.**
- True** or **False** Banana Slugs do not have an important role in the redwood forest ecosystem. **Banana Slugs are decomposers, breaking down dead leaves and returning the nutrients back to the soil.**
- True** or **False** Only 5% of historical old-growth redwood forests still exist today.
- True** or **False** Redwood forests can be found all over North America.  
**Their range is only from Central California to Southern Oregon.**
- True** or **False** The Northern Spotted Owl prefers to live in old-growth redwood forests.
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