

# TEXAS WILD! SCAVENGER HUNT



## HIGH PLAINS & PRAIRIES

1. What are the six regions of Texas? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How fast can a roadrunner run? \_\_\_\_\_
3. How fast has the swift fox been known to run? \_\_\_\_\_
- \*Bonus: What does *Vulpes velox* mean? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What are the four phases of antlers? \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_
5. How many eggs does the sandhill crane lay? \_\_\_\_\_

## PINEYWOODS & SWAMPS

6. The red wolf is a mid-size canine. How does it compare with the coyote and gray wolf? List in order of size, smallest to largest: \_\_\_\_\_
- \*Bonus: On average, how many wolves are in a pack? \_\_\_\_\_
7. What is the longest recorded length of an alligator in Texas? \_\_\_\_\_
8. How long can a North American river otter stay underwater? \_\_\_\_\_

## GULF COAST

9. What are the four major rivers of Texas? \_\_\_\_\_
10. How many tons of trash gets washed ashore from the gulf each year? \_\_\_\_\_
11. A nest that is 20 feet deep and 10 feet wide belongs to which bird? \_\_\_\_\_
12. Which species of feline is the biggest cat in the western hemisphere? \_\_\_\_\_
13. Which vulture species is the only vulture able to find food by smell? \_\_\_\_\_
14. What is your wingspan? \_\_\_\_\_
15. Where does the Swainson's hawk migrate to when it leave North America? \_\_\_\_\_
- \*Bonus: How far can this species travel in one day? \_\_\_\_\_

