

Eggs & Owlets

10 questions · Ages 6+ · Circle the right answer!



Name: _____ Class: _____ Date: _____

1 How many eggs does a Barn Owl typically lay?

A 1

B 5

C 10

D 20

2 Barn Owl eggs are white.

True

False

3 Newly hatched owlets can fly.

True

False

4 What is a young Barn Owl called?

A Owlet

B Kit

C Cub

D Fawn

5 Male Barn Owls bring food to the female.

True

False

6 Barn Owls usually raise one brood a year.

True

False

7 When do most Barn Owls in the UK lay eggs?

A Winter

B All year round equally

C Autumn

D Spring

8 Who sits on the eggs?

A The male

B Both take equal shifts

C The female

D The chicks

9 Do Barn Owls build twig nests?

A Yes, small ones

B No

C Only in winter

D Yes, huge ones

10 The male Barn Owl usually sits on the eggs.

True

False

My score: ____ / 10



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Answer key with fun facts · Ages 6+



1 How many eggs does a Barn Owl typically lay?

Answer: B. 5

A clutch is usually 4 to 6 eggs.

2 Barn Owl eggs are white.

Answer: True

They look dull and matt.

3 Newly hatched owlets can fly.

Answer: False

They are helpless for weeks.

4 What is a young Barn Owl called?

Answer: A. Owlet

Owlet or chick are the usual names.

5 Male Barn Owls bring food to the female.

Answer: True

He feeds her during breeding.

6 Barn Owls usually raise one brood a year.

Answer: True

A second brood is sometimes possible.

7 When do most Barn Owls in the UK lay eggs?

Answer: D. Spring

Most eggs are laid between March and May, though some pairs lay later.

8 Who sits on the eggs?

Answer: C. The female

The female incubates while the male brings food.

9 Do Barn Owls build twig nests?

Answer: B. No

They lay eggs on bare floor.

10 The male Barn Owl usually sits on the eggs.

Answer: False

The female does the incubating.