

Owls on the Farm

10 questions · Ages 9+ · Circle the right answer!



Name: _____ Class: _____ Date: _____

1 What is the safest way to watch a Barn Owl nest?

A From a distance

B By touching the eggs

C By tapping the box

D Right beside the box

2 You can safely move a Barn Owl nest.

True

False

3 Which type of road is most dangerous to owls?

A Fast roads with grassy verges

B Narrow lanes only

C Motorways only

D Roads in cities

4 Rough grass margins are good for Barn Owls.

True

False

5 What happens to Barn Owl numbers in a poor vole year?

A They double

B They fall

C They stay the same forever

D They vanish worldwide

6 Nest boxes can help Barn Owls.

True

False

7 What kind of habitat loss hurts Barn Owls?

A Too many stars

B Too many puddles

C Loss of rough grassland

D Too much snow

8 What can a nest box camera help with?

A Watching without disturbing

B Feeding chicks

C Making noise

D Catching voles

9 What can drivers do to help Barn Owls?

A Drive only at night

B Speed up

C Honk louder

D Slow down on rural roads at dusk

10 Who is allowed to ring Barn Owls in the UK?

A Anyone

B Only farmers

C Licensed ringers

D Only children

My score: ____ / 10



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Answer key with fun facts · Ages 9+



- 1** What is the safest way to watch a Barn Owl nest?
Answer: A. From a distance
Distance protects the birds.
- 2** You can safely move a Barn Owl nest.
Answer: False
Active nests are protected by law.
- 3** Which type of road is most dangerous to owls?
Answer: A. Fast roads with grassy verges
Verges attract voles and owls.
- 4** Rough grass margins are good for Barn Owls.
Answer: True
Voles thrive there.
- 5** What happens to Barn Owl numbers in a poor vole year?
Answer: B. They fall
Breeding drops when food is short.
- 6** Nest boxes can help Barn Owls.
Answer: True
They provide safe places to breed.
- 7** What kind of habitat loss hurts Barn Owls?
Answer: C. Loss of rough grassland
Less rough grass means fewer voles.
- 8** What can a nest box camera help with?
Answer: A. Watching without disturbing
A well-placed camera avoids opening the box.
- 9** What can drivers do to help Barn Owls?
Answer: D. Slow down on rural roads at dusk
Owls fly low across roads.
- 10** Who is allowed to ring Barn Owls in the UK?
Answer: C. Licensed ringers
Special training and a licence are required.