

Fascinating Facts!

Fact 1

Weirdly their babies are determined by temperature. Less than 87 fahrenheit is a female and more than 93 fahrenheit is male. Intermediate temperature is both genders.

Fact 2

How fascinating, They weigh up to 1000 pounds crazy right? They can also grow up to 10 to 15 feet long!

Did You Know?

Did you know that they mostly feed on mammals? By mostly I mean they also eat fruit. Did you also know that alligators have two types of walks: they have a low walk and a high walk.

The Amazing American Alligator

The American Alligator is one fascinating creature. Roaming the earth for centuries, the scientific name for this beast is *Alligator Mississippiensis*. This monster has been on earth for years in fact more than 150 million! This muscly reptile roams in rivers and lakes. They have well-camouflaged scales and life-threatening teeth. Unsurprisingly, this creation is a carnivore (a meat eater). If you want to know more about this intelligent land emperor, keep on reading to hear more!



Beautiful appearance

“Omg... I'M BEAUTIFUL!” That's what an Alligator said. Well not really but I bet they would if they could. American Alligators are beautiful! They have chocolate-brown and banana-yellow like eyes! They have yellow and black stripes when they are born! They are scaly-skinned and have dagger-tooth teeth! They lose about 3000 teeth a lifetime! Traditionally, the American Alligator is indistinguishable to dinosaurs but only smaller! The amber eyes of the American gator stared into the bottom of the lake waiting to dive!



There's no place like water

Lurking just beneath the surface, the American Alligator is found in: the United States from North Carolina to the Rio Grande in Texas. Alligators are usually found in: freshwater; and slow-moving rivers. The deadly, irascible-gator, sometimes roam around in: swamps; marshes; and lakes. The reason why they do not live in saltwater, it's because they do not have salt glands.



What do alligators eat?

Alligators are carnivores so they will only eat meat. Furthermore American Gators diets include, prey species that are abundant and easily accessible. As well as this, Juvenile American Alligators eat primarily: insects; amphibians; small fish; and other invertebrates. As a result, adult American Alligators eat: rough fish; snakes; turtles; small mammals; and even birds!



Getting off the endangered list!

It's unbelievable! The United States Fish and Wildlife Service placed them on the endangered list in 1967! This moving meat grinder has got off the endangered list over 20 years after it was put on! American Alligators once faced extinction. American Gators was brought back from the brink of extinction

