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## ***Everglades National Park Webquest!***

### **A Beginning for a Park**

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When did the Everglades become a national park? (Month, Day, Year)

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What name did Marjory Stoneman Douglas give to the Everglades?

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Bonus: How long did Marjory live? \_\_\_\_\_

### **What is in a name?**

What did the Native Americans who lived in the Everglades call it? \_\_\_\_\_

What does Glades mean in old English? \_\_\_\_\_

### **Wildlife**

Why do reptiles prefer warmer climates? \_\_\_\_\_

What kind of water would you find an alligator? \_\_\_\_\_

What is one example of a nonnative species in the Everglades?

List the basic features of mammals:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

How much space could a male panther have in its territory? \_\_\_\_\_

What did explorers mistake West Indian Manatee for? \_\_\_\_\_

The word amphibian comes from two Greek words amphis and bios, which means double life. Why would amphibians be considered to have a double life?

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\_\_\_\_\_

What do amphibians eat? (list 3) \_\_\_\_\_

### **Habitats**

What are the four things that a habitat provides?

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_

What is the name of the plant that is considered living mud? \_\_\_\_\_

What are the two ways fires are started in the pinelands?

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

### **Everglade Seasons**

What season do birds come to the Everglades to lay their eggs? \_\_\_\_\_

Why? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### **Water**

How much rain does the Everglades get on average per year? \_\_\_\_\_

Define aquifers:

\_\_\_\_\_  
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