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Gross! You fart at a rate of about fourteen times a day. Worse yet, your farts can travel as fast as seven miles per hour.



How many times do you fart in a day?

One of dynamite's not-so-secret ingredients is peanut—but you won't be able to blow up anything using just peanuts!



How do you make dynamite?

There is a 2,200-acre fungus living in Oregon today as the world's largest living organism.



What is the world's largest organism?

Kangaroos are actually unable to walk backwards. No moonwalking for these critters!



What is a fun fact about kangaroos?

There is a pill specifically made to turn your poop smells into the sweet aroma of chocolate.



How do I get my poop to smell good?

Think of all the things you can do in 38 minutes—including the world's shortest war in history, apparently.



How long was the shortest war in history?

Sea lions could potentially play music as the only animal known to clap rhythmically.

Which animal could play music?



Nothing but sweet dreams for you! Your sense of smell turns off when you're sleeping, even if there is a horrible smell near you.



Can I smell something bad while I'm sleeping?

A tumor can grow almost any type of cell, including hair, skin, bones, and fingernails.



What can a tumor do?

Your brain runs on ten watts of energy to process your environment. Bonus: your brain is incapable of experiencing pain.



How does my brain think?

Rubber balls are actually not the way to go if you want to get that high bounce. Instead, try bouncing glass balls.



What kind of ball is better at bouncing?

At 0.2 square miles, the Vatican City has claimed the title of the world's smallest city.

What is the world's smallest city?



When hippopotamus mothers are nursing their babies, their milk is pink.

What is a fun fact about hippopotamuses?



Shiver away! If you are cold, your fingernails will grow faster.

What can make my fingernails grow faster?



Astronauts chose applesauce as their first food in space.

What was the first food eaten in space?



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What animal takes the longest naps?



Zzz. At around three years in length, snails can take the longest naps of any animal.

How long do I spend stuck at the traffic light?



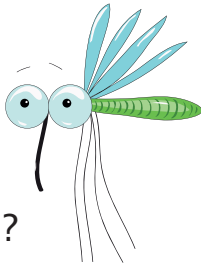
You're not imagining that slow light. Each person will, on average, spend two weeks at traffic lights throughout their lifetime.

Children beware! Parents could ship their children to their family members through the postal service until 1913.



What did the postal service used to ship?

If you want to get rid of those pesky mosquitos, hire a bat. Bats can consume up to 3,000 insects nightly.



How do I get rid of mosquitos?

Antidiphobia is when a person is afraid of being watched by ducks.

You may consider your cough at 60 miles per hour to be fast, but your sneezes are even quicker at 100 miles per hour.



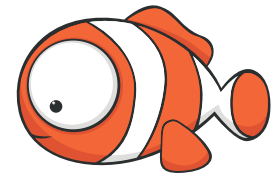
How fast do I sneeze and cough?

Goats' pupils are not a normal circle—they're actually rectangular in shape.



Why do goats' eyes look strange?

Fish can do more than just swim; some fish can even cough.



What can a fish do besides swim?

A year is made of 31,556,926 seconds.



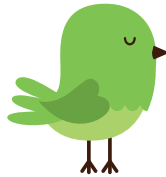
How many seconds are in a year?

While your regular soda could sink in the water, your diet soda can will float.



What soda cans can float in water?

Unfortunately, there will be no natural bird astronauts. A bird needs gravity to swallow and would not survive in space.



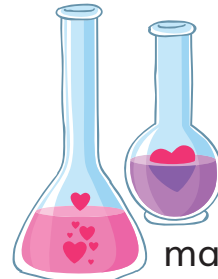
Can a bird live in space?

Venus has metal rain for its precipitation.



What weather does Venus have?

Your perfume may be made out of whale poop.



What are perfumes made out of?

In order to better digest leaves as an adult, baby koalas must first eat poop.



What do baby koalas eat?

Your feet tend to sweat heavily at the rate of a pint a day.



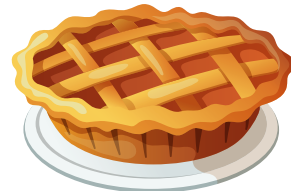
How much do my feet sweat?

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What does oxygen get used for in my body?



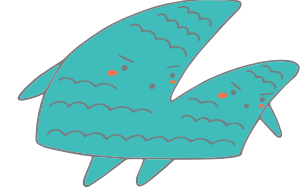
20% of your oxygen that you breathe in every day will be used by your brain.



What is a fast way to cut a pie?

You can easily cut into that apple pie with just three cuts for eight full slices.

Jet planes have found their competitor. A tsunami matches a jet plane in speed.



How fast is a tsunami?

What happens when you mix a donkey and a zebra?



Mixing a donkey and a zebra will get you a Zonkey.

What is the hardest to pronounce town name?



Wales takes pride in the hardest to pronounce town name with their Llanfairpwllgwyngyllgogerychwyrndrobwllllanysiliogogoch.



What are the odds that two people have the same birthday?

If you are surrounded by 23 other people, there will be a 50% chance that someone will share a birthday.

What color eyes do babies have when they are born?



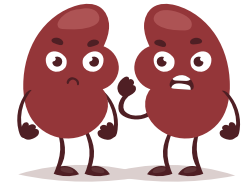
You may have brown, green, or even hazel eyes now, but everyone starts off with blue eyes when they are born.

Why do I see spots in my eyes when I'm looking at the sky?



If you see white spots in your eyes while looking at the sky, don't be alarmed! You are just seeing white blood cells.

What is the largest organ in my body?



Your body's largest organ is the small intestine.

What happens if I eat a lot of carrots?



What's up, Doc? If you're like Bugs Bunny and love your carrots, be careful—you may just turn orange!

Can a cow take the stairs?



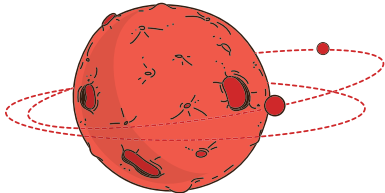
A cow cannot walk down a set of stairs but is able to walk up a flight or two.

Do baby sharks fight each other?



In their mother's womb, baby tiger sharks are known to spar each other.

Mars looks as though it is red due to the amount of rust on the planet.



Why is Mars red?

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