

ZOO FRIENDS *at* HOME: LION PRIDELANDS

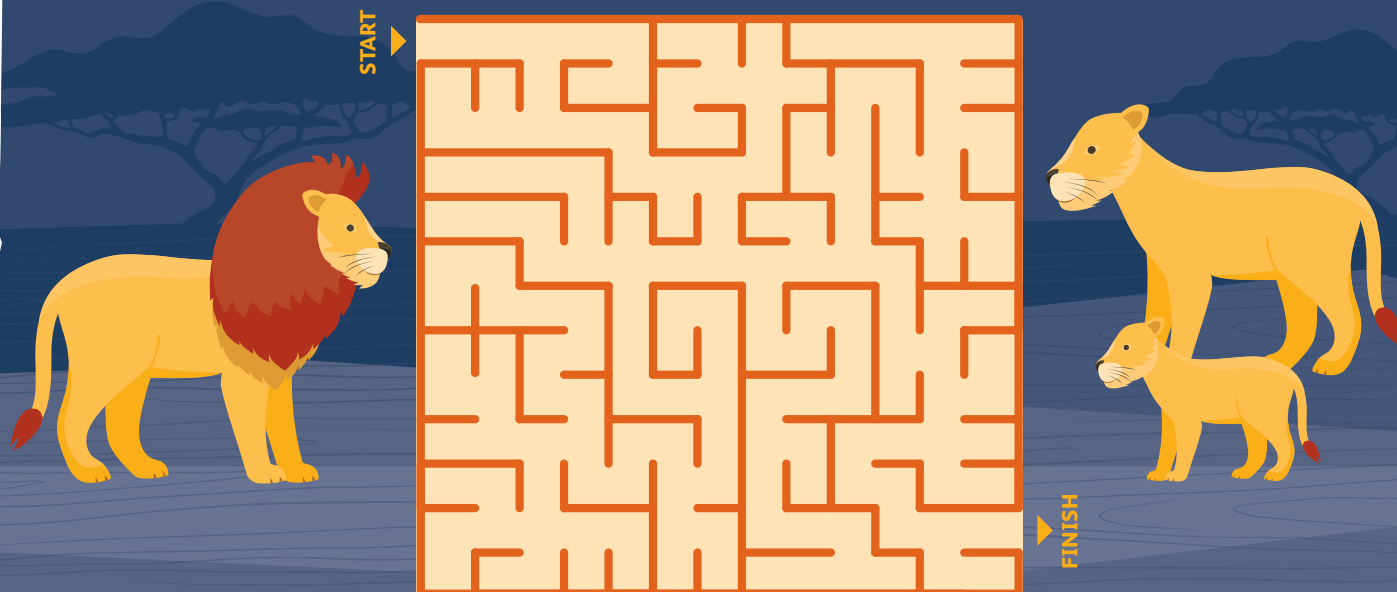
At Taronga Western Plains Zoo in Dubbo, our Lion Pride Lands habitat transports you to the African plains, where the Lion is king. Lions are the second largest cat in the world, and are mostly found living in groups called prides in grasslands, savannahs and woodlands across Sub-Saharan Africa. Learn more about these majestic creatures, and make an African Lion at home!



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LION MAZE

This lion has been separated from his pride! Can you help him navigate his way back?



Head to taronga.org.au/lion-pridelands-answers for the solution



Roar-some

Did you know, an adult male's roar can be heard up to 8km away?



King of the?

Lions are often called the King of the Jungle, but most lions actually live in savannahs or grasslands.



A Roar-ing Appetite

Lions generally eat between 5kg and 7kg of meat a day, but on a big day, can consume up to 15% of their body weight.



A Need for Zzzzz's

Lions can sleep for up to 20 hours a day!



Leaping Lions

Lions can leap up to 12 meters, and can run up to 60km/hr at top speed.



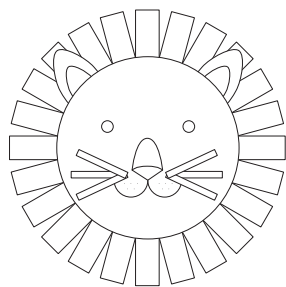
Mane Man

A male lion's mane may start to become noticeable when they're around 2 years old, but it takes a number of years to develop fully. A thick and dark mane is a symbol of strength and health!

MAKE AN AFRICAN LION

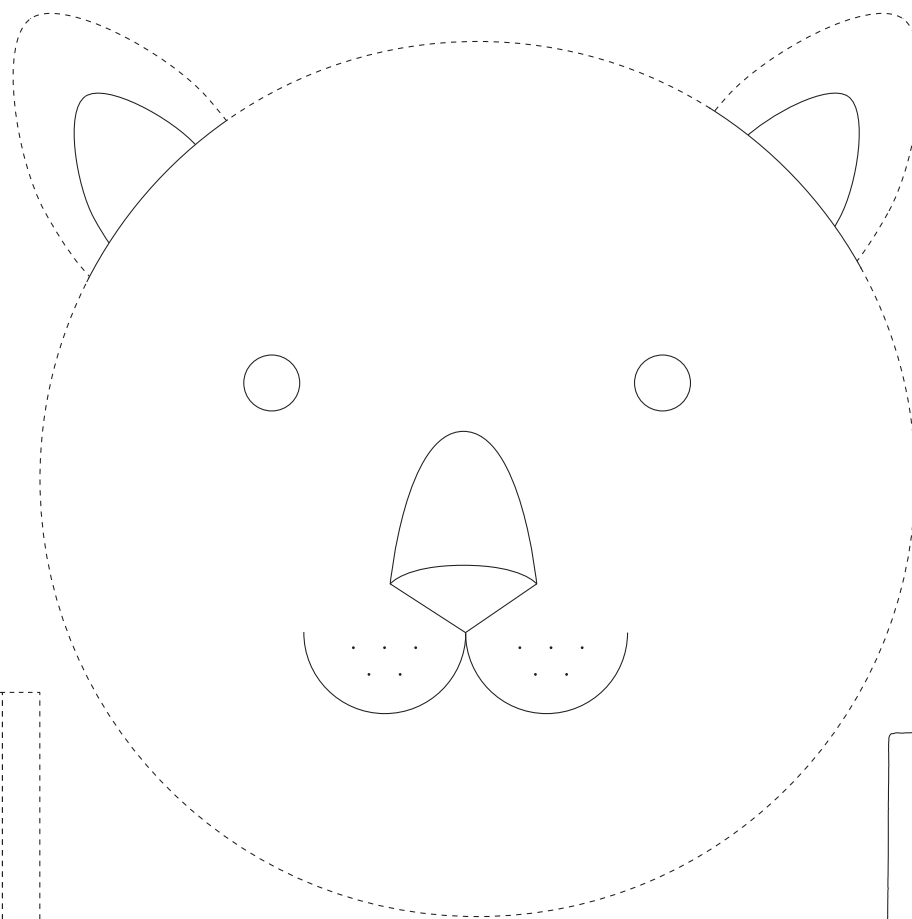
What you need:

- Coloured pencils or crayons
- Scissors
- Glue



Instructions:

1. Print out this sheet at home.
2. Colour in your lion's face, and each individual strip. The wide strips will make the lion's mane and the skinny ones will make the whiskers.
3. Cut along the dotted lines around your lion's face and strips.
4. One at a time, glue the end of each wide strip on the back of your lion's face to make a mane. Glue the skinny strips on the lion's face to make the whiskers.



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