

E for Elephant

Elephants are the largest mammals in the world that live on land.

They have a gentle personality and are very sensitive and clever.



Elephants live in families. All the babies and females follow the oldest and the largest female elephant.

Elephants eat leaves, grass and tree barks. They spend as much as twenty hours a day eating!

A grown elephant may weigh as much as 80 people. It may be as tall at the shoulder as 8 to 10 stacked up dogs.

The most amazing feature on an elephant is its long nose. The elephant uses its nose to eat and drink.

Asian elephants have smaller ears and tusks than African elephants. The tusks are made of ivory, which is very valuable.

The ears of an African elephant are about 1,5 metres long. Elephants flap their ears to cool themselves.

The elephant goes
Like this, like that.
He is very big,
He is very fat.

He has no fingers,
He has no toes.
He has four legs
And one long nose!

