



YIPES, ZEBRA STRIPES



Name _____

Zebras are members of the horse family and live on the open grasslands of Africa. There are three main species of zebras. Each has a different kind of stripe pattern. Some even have brownish stripes between the black and white stripes.

When zebras are out in the open, the stripes are not a good camouflage. But when they're standing in shadowy bushes or are on the run as a herd, the stripes help confuse their enemies.

Look at the stripe patterns of the three main species of zebras. Then, write the name of the species under each picture to help you decide, which two zebras are exactly alike.



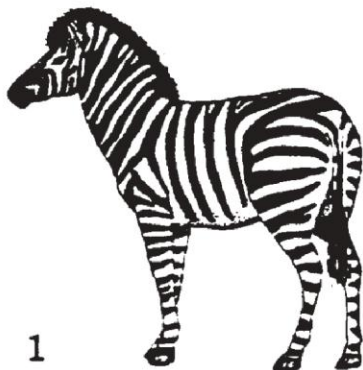
Plains Zebra



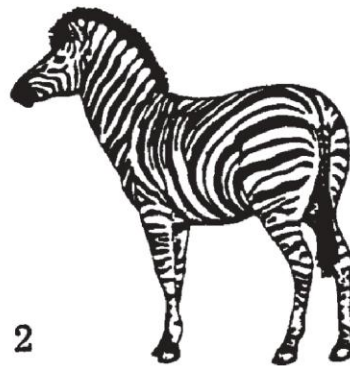
Grevy's Zebra



Mountain Zebra



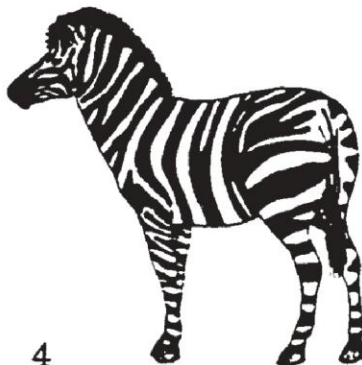
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