

How Do You Measure Up to an Elephant?

An elephant can weigh 16,000 pounds!

How much do you weigh? _____

How many of you would weigh as much as an elephant?

A newborn elephant can weigh 250 pounds!

How much did you weigh when you were born? _____

An elephant can drink 50 gallons of water in one day!

How much do you drink in one day?

Measure and find out _____

An elephant can eat 600 pounds of food in one day!

Elephants eat grasses trees, roots, bark, fruit and shrubs.

List everything you eat in one day:

How many pounds do you eat in one day?

Try to weigh your food and find out! _____

An elephant can run the 100 yard dash in about 8 seconds!

How fast can you run the 100 yard dash?

This is the length of a football field. Time yourself and find out _____

An elephant can be 13 feet tall!

How tall are you? _____

How many of you would be as tall as an elephant? _____

An elephant's ear is up to 59 inches long!

How long is your ear? _____

An elephant can live over 60 years!

How old is the oldest person you know? _____

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