

Discovering a Lost World: Monster Snake!

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CCSS: reading informational text

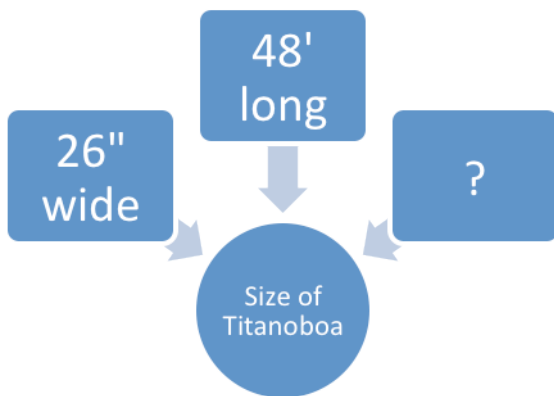
This week's essential standard: Students understand the characteristics and life cycles of organisms. (Science: Life Science)

1. Which best completes the graphic organizer?

The prey breathes out.	>	?	>	The prey dies.
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- A The boa constricts.
- B The boa eats the prey.
- C The boa traps the prey.
- D The boa poisons the prey.

2. Which best completes the graphic organizer?



- A 6' long
- B 20' long
- C 500 pounds
- D 2500 pounds

3. Where was Titanoboa discovered?

- A in a cave
- B in the desert
- C in a mine
- D in the ocean

4. Where would one most likely find an anaconda today?

- A floating in salt water
- B hanging in a tree
- C resting in a mine
- D swimming in a river

5. What remains a mystery about Titanoboa?

- A how it killed prey
- B what it measured
- C where it lived
- D why it vanished

Ans:

- 1a
- 2d
- 3c
- 4b
- 5d

Use the News:

What are the animals you find in the news? Are any similar to an anaconda? Explain.

Animals:

Which are wild? Which are domestic? Explain. Which measures small, medium or large? Explain.

Where would each likely to be found? Why?

What more do you learn about animals?