



Name: _____

ASI: Animal Skull Investigation - Junior Investigator Worksheet

Eyes to the Front = _____	Plant Eater _____
Eyes to the Side = _____	Meat Eater _____
	Eats Both _____

Skull #1

What size is this animal? (circle one) Small Medium Large

What direction do the eyes face? (circle one) Side Front

This means the animal is a _____. (circle one) Predator Prey

What kind of teeth do you see? (circle one) Canines Molars Both

This animal eats _____. (circle one) Plants Meat Both

What do you think it is? _____ Skull #1 is a: _____

Skull #2

What size is this animal? (circle one) Small Medium Large

What direction do the eyes face? (circle one) Side Front

This means the animal is a _____. (circle one) Predator Prey

What kind of teeth do you see? (circle one) Canines Molars Both

This animal eats _____. (circle one) Plants Meat Both

What do you think it is? _____ Skull #2 is a: _____

Skull #3

What size is this animal? (circle one) Small Medium Large

What direction do the eyes face? (circle one) Side Front

This means the animal is a _____. (circle one) Predator Prey

What kind of teeth do you see? (circle one) Canines Molars Both

This animal eats _____. (circle one) Plants Meat Both

What do you think it is? _____ Skull #3 is a: _____



Name: ANSWER KEY

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Eyes to the Front = <u>HUNT</u>	Plant Eater <u>HERBIVORE</u>
Eyes to the Side = <u>HIDE</u>	Meat Eater <u>CARNIVORE</u>
	Eats Both <u>OMNIVORE</u>

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What do you think it is? _____ Skull #1 is a: COYOTE

Skull #2

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This means the animal is a _____. (circle one) Predator Prey

What kind of teeth do you see? (circle one) Canines Molars Both

This animal eats _____. (circle one) Plants Meat Both

What do you think it is? _____ Skull #2 is a: RACCOON

Skull #3

What size is this animal? (circle one) Small Medium Large

What direction do the eyes face? (circle one) Side Front

This means the animal is a _____. (circle one) Predator Prey

What kind of teeth do you see? (circle one) Canines Molars Both

This animal eats _____. (circle one) Plants Meat Both

What do you think it is? _____ Skull #3 is a: PORCUPINE

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Animal Skull Investigation
CASE # 123
Wrap-up for Junior Investigators

Herbivore: An animal that eats mostly plants

Carnivore: An animal that eats mostly meat

Omnivore: An animal that eats both plants and meat

YOUR ASSIGNMENT:

Read the list of Texas wildlife suspects below and think about what each animal might eat.

Write "H" next to animals that are Herbivores

Write "C" next to animals that are Carnivores

Write "O" next to animals that are Omnivores

_____ Coyote

_____ Badger

_____ Rattlesnake

_____ Porcupine

_____ Pronghorn Antelope

_____ Opossum

_____ Skunk

_____ Mountain Lion

_____ Bobcat

_____ Raccoon

_____ White-tailed Deer



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 O Badger

 C Rattlesnake

 H Porcupine

 H Pronghorn Antelope

 O Opossum

 O Skunk

 C Mountain Lion

 C Bobcat

 O Raccoon

 H White-tailed Deer

