



BITING AND STINGING INSECT SAFETY QUIZ

Use what you have learned about biting and stinging safety to determine which of the below statements are true or false:

- Symptoms of anaphylaxis include itching and hives, difficulty breathing, dizziness, excess sweating, nausea, swelling of the tongue or throat, and loss of consciousness.
 True False
- If you experience an insect sting or bite, using your mouth to quickly suck the venom out will prevent itching or soreness.
 True False
- Before placing your hands on rock outcrops or trees or picking up plants, leaves, or stones, it is a good practice to look closely for insects or insect activity.
 True False
- Insect repellants are used to kill insects on contact.
 True False
- Biting and stinging insects only occur in favorable habitat such as wetlands, along streams, lakes, or oceans, and moist shaded portions of wooded, brush-covered, or grassy areas.
 True False
- If you suspect you are experiencing severe venom allergic reaction symptoms, you should immediately notify your project leader.
 True False
- If you accidentally disturb a wasp nest, run towards the sun to escape because wasps become disoriented when flying directly into sunlight.
 True False
- A prudent safety practice is to inform your project leader if you are allergic to insect bites or stings.
 True False

Answer Key: T, F, T, F, F, T, F, T, F, T