The AhaBulb Party Game

STUFF EVERY REPTILE OWNER SHOULD KNOW

How to play (30 seconds)

1. The reader reads a card and its three answers out loud.
2. Everyone says "One, two, three, Goldilocks!" and holds up 1, 2, or 3 fingers.
3. The reader flips the card and reads the answer and the Why.
4. Everyone who was right takes a point.
5. The reader reads the joke with a straight face. Anyone laughs or groans? The reader takes a point. Nobody got it right? The reader takes a point.
6. Pass the deck left. Most points when the points run out wins.

What you need

These cards and the point tokens on the last two pages. No tokens? Use coins, buttons, pebbles, or marshmallows. 3 to 10 players, ages 8 and up.

Expert rule: Bet It

Before the reader flips the card, you may put one of your points on your answer. Right: take your normal point plus one extra. Wrong: your bet goes back to the pile. That's it.

Printing

Print single-sided, on cardstock if you have it. Cut on the dashed lines. Each card is a 3.5 x 5 inch index card. The answer half is upside down on purpose, so the table can't peek.

Cards 1 to 50 of 93. More cards and the free daily online game at sesk.info. Built 2026-10-14.

REPTILES

Which two lizards does a Texas A&M vet tech call good beginner lizards?

- **A** Bearded dragons and leopard geckos
- **B** Green iguanas and savannah monitors
- **C** Chameleons and water monitors

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A Bearded dragons and leopard geckos

WHY A Texas A&M veterinary technician names bearded dragons and leopard geckos as beginner lizards. Beginner does not mean maintenance-free, so research the habitat, diet, and adult care each species needs.

STRAIGHT FACE
What do lizards put on their bathroom floor? Reptiles.

SESK.INFO #7077

REPTILES

Which snake does a Texas A&M vet tech call docile, curious, and a good pet for teenagers?

- **A** Reticulated python
- **B** Corn snake
- **C** Green anaconda

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B Corn snake

WHY Corn snakes stay a moderate size, are usually calm, and eat well. A Texas A&M vet tech calls them a good pet for teenagers. Reticulated pythons and anacondas are giant snakes, not beginner pets.

STRAIGHT FACE
What do you call a snake that builds houses? A boa constructor.

SESK.INFO #7078

REPTILES

Why are ball pythons often suggested as a beginner snake?

- **A** They never need heat or a vet
- **B** They only eat once a year
- **C** They are typically docile

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C They are typically docile

WHY A Texas A&M veterinary technician places ball pythons in the beginner group and calls them typically docile. They still need species-appropriate heat, food, housing, and veterinary care.

STRAIGHT FACE
What do you call a snake that loves math? A python.

SESK.INFO #7079

REPTILES

Who are Argentine tegus and savannah monitors best suited for?

- **A** Experienced reptile keepers
- **B** First-time reptile owners
- **C** Families wanting a small, simple pet

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A Experienced reptile keepers

WHY Tegus and savannah monitors grow to about two to three feet, eat meat, and need large enclosures, warm temperatures, and special lighting. A Texas A&M vet tech says they are not for beginners.

STRAIGHT FACE
What do snakes do after an argument? Hiss and make up.

SESK.INFO #7080

REPTILES

What does a Texas A&M vet tech call the worst reason to buy a lizard?

- **A** Because it is colorful
- **B** Because it is cheap
- **C** Because it is calm

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B Because it is cheap

WHY Texas A&M warns that a low price is a bad reason to choose a lizard. Some inexpensive species can be hard to handle. Research the care first and be ready for the animal's whole life.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the lizard go on a diet? It weighed too much for its scales.

SESK.INFO #7081

REPTILES

Per the Merck Veterinary Manual, reptiles are pets best suited to whom?

- **A** Toddlers who want a cuddly pet
- **B** Kids who want a pet to play with all day
- **C** Adults or older children who like to watch

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C Adults or older children who like to watch

WHY Most reptiles cannot tolerate much handling and need special diets, heat, and light. Merck says they suit adults or older children who enjoy watching their pets behavior rather than playing with it.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the gecko sit by the window? It was a great people watcher.

SESK.INFO #7082

REPTILES

Compared with a dog or a bird, how much commitment does a pet reptile take?

- **A** Just as much
- **B** Almost none, they care for themselves
- **C** Only a little on weekends

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A Just as much

WHY Reptiles can look inactive, but they need the right habitat, food, cleaning, and veterinary care throughout their lives. Merck says they take just as much commitment as birds or dogs.

STRAIGHT FACE
How do snakes sign their letters? With love and hisses.

SESK.INFO #7083

REPTILES

Which pet reptile is more likely to be stressed when touched or picked up?

- **A** Bearded dragon
- **B** Chameleon
- **C** Box turtle

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B Chameleon

WHY Merck lists bearded dragons and box turtles among reptiles that are more open to handling. Chameleons are more likely to be stressed when touched or picked up, so they suit owners who mostly want to watch.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why was the chameleon a great party guest? It always blended in.

SESK.INFO #7084

REPTILES

Before getting a pet snake, what food should you be ready to handle?

- **A** Whole prey such as frozen mice
- **B** Lettuce and fruit
- **C** Dry dog kibble

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A Whole prey such as frozen mice

WHY Pet snakes eat whole animals, usually thawed frozen mice or rats. Merck warns that this is not for the squeamish, so think about it before you buy. Lizards like leopard geckos eat live insects instead.

STRAIGHT FACE
What is a snake's favorite board game? Snakes and ladders.

SESK.INFO #7086

REPTILES

Does a pet reptile usually need a buddy of its own kind?

- **A** Yes, they get lonely alone
- **B** Yes, keep them in groups of three
- **C** No, many prefer to live alone

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C No, many prefer to live alone

WHY Unlike guinea pigs or rats, most reptiles are not highly social. Merck says many prefer solitary cages. Its veterinary overview warns that groups with more than one male can show aggression.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why can't you trust a snake? It speaks with a forked tongue.

SESK.INFO #7085

REPTILES

How long can a pet leopard gecko live, per the Merck Veterinary Manual?

- **A** 1 to 2 years
- **B** About 5 years
- **C** 20 years or more

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C 20 years or more

WHY Merck's lifespan table lists the leopard gecko at 20+ years. A gecko bought for a 10-year-old could still be around when that child is 30, so the whole family should plan for it.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the leopard gecko get good grades? It stuck to its studies.

SESK.INFO #7088

REPTILES

If you buy a tiny hatchling reptile, what size home should you plan space for?

- **A** Just the hatchling's size today
- **B** The fully grown adult's cage
- **C** None, reptiles stay hatchling size

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B The fully grown adult's cage

WHY Baby reptiles grow, and many grow a lot. Merck says to make sure your home has room for the cage of the fully grown animal before you buy the tiny one.

STRAIGHT FACE
What kind of photos do turtles take? Shell-fies.

SESK.INFO #7087

REPTILES

About how long does a pet corn snake live, per the Merck Veterinary Manual?

- **A** 1 to 3 years
- **B** 10 to 15 years
- **C** 50 to 80 years

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B 10 to 15 years

WHY Merck lists corn snakes at 10 to 15 years in captivity. Even a beginner snake is a pet you will care for through middle school, high school, and beyond.

STRAIGHT FACE
What kind of snake is good at math? An adder.

REPTILES

About how long does a pet ball python live, per the Merck Veterinary Manual?

- **A** 15 to 20 years
- **B** 2 to 3 years
- **C** 5 to 7 years

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A 15 to 20 years

WHY Merck lists ball pythons at 15 to 20 years in captivity. That is longer than most dogs live, so a ball python is a commitment that can last into adulthood.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the snake cross the road? To get to the other sssside.

REPTILES

Which pet reptile on Merck's lifespan table can live 50 years or more?

- **A** Green anole
- **B** Leopard tortoise
- **C** Bearded dragon

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B Leopard tortoise

WHY Merck lists leopard tortoises at 50+ years, longer than any other pet on its table. That can make one a family commitment across generations, so plan for its future care.

STRAIGHT FACE
What do you call a famous turtle? A shell-ebrity.

REPTILES

How long can a pet eastern box turtle live, per the Merck Veterinary Manual?

- **A** 25 to 50 years
- **B** 3 to 5 years
- **C** 8 to 10 years

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A 25 to 50 years

WHY Merck lists eastern box turtles at 25 to 50 years. A box turtle bought for a child could still need care when that child has kids of their own, so plan who will look after it.

STRAIGHT FACE
How do turtles talk to each other? With shell phones.

REPTILES

How long can a pet red-eared slider live in captivity, per California wildlife officials?

- **A** About 2 years
- **B** Up to 5 years
- **C** Up to 40 years

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C Up to 40 years

WHY The California Department of Fish and Wildlife says red-eared sliders can live up to 40 years in captivity. The tiny turtle sold as a cute baby can become a decades-long job.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the turtle cross the road? To get to the Shell station.

SESK.INFO #7093

REPTILES

Which of these pet reptiles has the shortest typical lifespan on Merck's table?

- **A** Old World chameleons
- **B** Leopard gecko
- **C** Ball python

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A Old World chameleons

WHY Merck lists Old World chameleons at 3 to 8 years. That is shorter than its 20+ years for leopard geckos and 15 to 20 years for ball pythons.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the chameleon get a job at the paint store? It was great at matching colors.

SESK.INFO #7094

REPTILES

How long can an adult male green iguana grow, including its tail?

- **A** About 1 foot
- **B** Over 6 feet
- **C** About 2 feet

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B Over 6 feet

WHY University of Florida experts say male green iguanas can grow over 6 feet long including the tail, and females just over 5 feet. Plan space and housing for the adult, not the hatchling.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why are iguanas good at climbing? They always take things to new heights.

SESK.INFO #7095

REPTILES

Why do so many pet green iguanas end up given away or released?

- **A** They lose their bright color
- **B** They stop eating plants
- **C** They get harder to keep as they grow

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C They get harder to keep as they grow

WHY University of Florida experts say iguanas are fairly easy when small but become more difficult to keep, with tougher cage needs, as they grow. That makes owners more likely to give them up, which is why Florida has wild iguanas today.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the iguana need a bigger room? It was having growing pains.

SESK.INFO #7096

REPTILES

About how long is a typical adult corn snake?

A About 1 foot

B About 3 to 4 feet

C About 12 to 15 feet

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B About 3 to 4 feet

WHY University of Georgia says adult corn snakes typically measure 3 to 4 feet. Some can exceed 5 feet, so owners should plan for the adult rather than assuming every snake stays typical.

STRAIGHT FACE
What do you get if you cross a snake and a kangaroo? A jump rope.

SESK.INFO #7098

REPTILES

About how long is an adult ball python, per UF/IFAS?

A About 2 to 4 feet

B About 8 to 10 feet

C About 18 to 20 feet

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A About 2 to 4 feet

WHY UF/IFAS lists ball pythons at 2 to 4 feet. That is much shorter than the large constrictors in the same guide, but owners still need a secure, species-appropriate enclosure.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why don't snakes need measuring tapes? They come with their own scales.

SESK.INFO #7097

REPTILES

About how big does an adult red-eared slider get?

A About 5 to 11 inches long

B About 1 to 2 inches long

C About 3 feet long

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A About 5 to 11 inches long

WHY California wildlife officials say adult red-eared sliders range from about 5 to 11 inches. Plan for the adult turtle's space and care needs before bringing home a small juvenile.

STRAIGHT FACE
What is a turtle's favorite playground ride? The slider.

SESK.INFO #7100

REPTILES

How long can a reticulated python grow?

A About 3 feet

B About 6 feet

C Over 23 feet

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C Over 23 feet

WHY US Fish and Wildlife says reticulated pythons and green anacondas can top 7 meters, over 23 feet. A snake that size is far beyond what almost any family can safely house.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why was the reticulated python a great storyteller? All its tales were long.

SESK.INFO #7099

REPTILES

If you keep a pet turtle in a small tank, will it stay small?

- **A** Yes, it grows to fit the tank
- **B** No, it does not stay small
- **C** Only if you feed it less

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B No, it does not stay small

WHY It is a myth that turtles grow only to fit their tank. Merck says they do not remain small in a small container, and fishbowl-type tanks are not good enough for turtles of any age or size.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the turtle hire a moving van? It finally outgrew its apartment.

REPTILES

How much can a male sulcata tortoise weigh, per Illinois veterinarians?

- **A** About 2 pounds
- **B** About 10 pounds
- **C** More than 100 pounds

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C More than 100 pounds

WHY The University of Illinois College of Veterinary Medicine says male sulcatas weigh more than 100 pounds. Owners need enough space for a full-grown tortoise, ideally with indoor and outdoor enclosures.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the tortoise go to the gym? To work on its shell-f esteem.

REPTILES

Per US Fish and Wildlife, why do many pet boa constrictors escape or get released?

- **A** They outgrow their owners' ability or interest
- **B** They are too small to see in the cage
- **C** They must hibernate outdoors each winter

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A They outgrow their owners' ability or interest

WHY US Fish and Wildlife says boas often outgrow their owner's ability, or outlive their owner's interest, which leads to escapes and releases. Choosing a giant snake means planning for a difficult, long-term responsibility.

STRAIGHT FACE
What did the boa say to its owner? I've got a big hug for you.

REPTILES

Do pet reptiles need yearly vaccines like dogs do?

- **A** Yes, shots every year
- **B** No, but a yearly checkup is a good idea
- **C** Only if they live outdoors

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B No, but a yearly checkup is a good idea

WHY Merck says no vaccines are required for reptiles. An annual health check still helps make sure your pet is well fed and free of disease and parasites, so budget for a vet visit every year.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why was the iguana calm at its checkup? It knew the vet had great scales.

REPTILES

When should a newly bought reptile first see a vet?

- **A** Only once it stops eating
- **B** Never, reptiles don't need vets
- **C** Soon after you get it, for a checkup

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C Soon after you get it, for a checkup

WHY Merck says a prompt first exam is a good idea, because not every reptile has been cared for since hatching. That first visit also records what your pet looks like when healthy.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the bearded dragon wear a tie? It had an important first appointment.

SESK.INFO #7105

REPTILES

Why should you find a reptile vet before you bring a reptile home?

- **A** Most vets do not treat reptiles
- **B** Reptiles never get sick
- **C** Pet stores handle all vet care

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A Most vets do not treat reptiles

WHY The CDC says most veterinarians do not treat reptiles or amphibians. Find a vet with reptile experience near you before you buy, not during an emergency.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the snake bring a map to the vet? It wanted to find a scale-ified expert.

SESK.INFO #7106

REPTILES

Why are captive-bred reptiles usually better pets than wild-caught ones?

- **A** They are always cheaper
- **B** They bite less, eat better, and have fewer parasites
- **C** They never need heat or light

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B They bite less, eat better, and have fewer parasites

WHY Merck says captive-bred animals make the best pets. They are less likely to bite, more likely to accept the food you give them, and less likely to carry parasites than wild-caught animals.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the snake bring its family tree to the pet store? To prove it was captive bred.

SESK.INFO #7107

REPTILES

Should you catch a wild turtle, snake, or lizard to keep as a pet?

- **A** Yes, if it looks healthy
- **B** Yes, if it is native to your area
- **C** No, leave wild reptiles in the wild

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C No, leave wild reptiles in the wild

WHY The CDC says don't catch wild reptiles or amphibians and keep them as pets. Wild animals can carry parasites and struggle to eat in captivity. Corn snakes are protected in Georgia and South Carolina.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the lizard stay in the woods? It was a wild child.

SESK.INFO #7108

REPTILES

Can a seller legally sell you a baby turtle under 4 inches if it is 'certified Salmonella-free'?

- **A** Yes, with the certificate
- **B** No, it is still illegal to sell
- **C** Yes, at tourist shops

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B No, it is still illegal to sell

WHY Merck says even baby turtles certified free of Salmonella are illegal to sell in the US, because they can pick up the germs later. Tiny turtles are still sold illegally, especially in tourist areas.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why don't turtles ever lose arguments? They have a shell-proof case.

SESK.INFO #7110

REPTILES

Since 1975, US law bans selling pet turtles with shells shorter than what?

- **A** 4 inches
- **B** 1 inch
- **C** 12 inches

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A 4 inches

WHY Since 1975 the FDA has banned selling turtles with shells under 4 inches as pets. The CDC says small turtles pose a higher risk of spreading disease, especially to children.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the turtle bring a ruler? To make sure it measured up.

SESK.INFO #7109

REPTILES

In which US state is it illegal to possess a pet snake?

- **A** Hawaii
- **B** Texas
- **C** Arizona

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A Hawaii

WHY Snakes have no natural predators in Hawaii. They could harm native birds, so Hawaii makes it illegal to transport or possess them. The state provides an amnesty option for surrendering illegal animals.

STRAIGHT FACE
What is a snake's favorite island dance? The hula-hiss.

SESK.INFO #7112

REPTILES

Under which federal law did the US list the reticulated python as 'injurious' in 2015?

- **A** The Clean Water Act
- **B** The Endangered Species Act
- **C** The Lacey Act

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C The Lacey Act

WHY In 2015 US Fish and Wildlife listed the reticulated python and three anacondas as injurious under the Lacey Act. That bans importing them into the United States without a permit, to stop more giant snakes from getting loose.

STRAIGHT FACE
What did the snake say at the border? Ssorry, I'm not on the list.

SESK.INFO #7111

REPTILES

Can you legally keep a ball python as a pet in New York City?

- **A** Yes, any snake is allowed
- **B** No, the city bans all pythons
- **C** Only if it is under 4 feet

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B No, the city bans all pythons

WHY New York City's Health Code bans keeping any member of the python family, which includes ball pythons. Always check your own city or county rules before buying a reptile.

STRAIGHT FACE
What do you call a snake in a big city? A city slither.

SESK.INFO #7113

REPTILES

Since 2021, what is the rule for getting a new pet green iguana or tegu in Florida?

- **A** Anyone may buy one
- **B** Only children may own one
- **C** They can no longer be acquired as pets

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C They can no longer be acquired as pets

WHY On April 29, 2021, Florida listed green iguanas, tegus, Burmese pythons, and other high-risk reptiles as Prohibited species. People who already had them as pets needed a free permit and a microchip tag to keep them.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the tegu get a microchip? It wanted to be a smart lizard.

SESK.INFO #7114

REPTILES

Before bringing a reptile home to an apartment or rental, what should you check?

- **A** Whether your lease and landlord allow it
- **B** Whether a pet store approved it
- **C** Whether reptiles are exempt from pet rules

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A Whether your lease and landlord allow it

WHY The CDC warns that some reptiles might not be allowed in apartments or rental homes. Read the lease and ask the landlord first, and check state and local laws too.

STRAIGHT FACE
What do you call a gecko that rents an apartment? A rep-tenant.

SESK.INFO #7115

REPTILES

Is it OK to release a pet reptile outdoors if its species is native to your area?

- **A** Yes, it will find its way home
- **B** No, never release a pet reptile
- **C** Only during the summer

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B No, never release a pet reptile

WHY Merck says never release a pet reptile, even a native species. The CDC says most released reptiles die, and some harm wildlife. Rehome it through a humane society, rescue, or pet store instead.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why do turtles never move out? They're always at home.

SESK.INFO #7116

REPTILES

How did Burmese pythons become established in Everglades National Park?

- **A** They swam over from Asia
- **B** A zoo hatched them there on purpose
- **C** Pet pythons escaped or were released

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C Pet pythons escaped or were released

WHY The National Park Service says Burmese pythons are established in the Everglades because captive pets escaped or were released. Studies link them to sharp drops in mammals, and once established they are very hard to remove.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why do snakes love swamps? Everything there is ssssso soggy.

SESK.INFO #7117

REPTILES

In California, released pet red-eared sliders compete with which native animal?

- **A** Western pond turtles
- **B** Sea turtles
- **C** Bald eagles

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A Western pond turtles

WHY California wildlife officials say released red-eared sliders compete with native western pond turtles for food, egg-laying spots, and basking sites. They can also spread parasites and Salmonella.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why do turtles love sunny days? They finally get some shell-f care.

SESK.INFO #7118

REPTILES

What does the CDC say about keeping venomous reptiles as pets?

- **A** They are fine for beginners
- **B** Do not keep venomous animals as pets
- **C** Keep them only in pairs

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B Do not keep venomous animals as pets

WHY The CDC says do not keep venomous animals as pets. Venomous bites need immediate medical attention, and New York City bans front-fanged venomous snakes.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the rattlesnake join the band? It already had a rattle.

SESK.INFO #7119

REPTILES

What feature is essential on a pet snake enclosure?

- **A** A properly latched lid
- **B** An open feeding hatch
- **C** A loose mesh cover

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A A properly latched lid

WHY Snakes can push through surprisingly small or weak openings. Check every door, vent, and lid before the snake moves in.

STRAIGHT FACE
What do snakes use to measure doors? Inch vipers.

SESK.INFO #7120

REPTILES

What temperature range does BGSU list for a corn snake?

A 55 to 65 F

B 90 to 100 F

C 75 to 85 F

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C 75 to 85 F

WHY BGSU lists 75 to 85 F for corn snakes. Arrange heat across one end so the snake can choose warmer or cooler areas.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the snake check both ends? It liked to stay current on temperatures.

REPTILES

What enclosure volume does the BGSU guide list for a corn snake?

A Five gallons

B 20 to 30 gallons

C At least 100 gallons

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B 20 to 30 gallons

WHY BGSU lists a 20 to 30 gallon aquarium in its corn snake care summary. A secure lid, hide, and soaking bowl still need to fit inside.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the corn snake redecorate? It wanted more hiss-toric charm.

REPTILES

How should corn snake humidity change during shedding?

A Keep it below 10 percent

B Increase it during the shed

C Remove every water source

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

B Increase it during the shed

WHY Merck lists 30 to 70 percent for corn or rat snakes and notes that humidity needs rise during shedding. A humid retreat can add moisture without soaking the whole enclosure.

STRAIGHT FACE
What does a snake say after shedding? That's a wrap.

REPTILES

What humidity range does Merck list for ball pythons?

A 50 to 80 percent

B 10 to 20 percent

C Always 100 percent

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A 50 to 80 percent

WHY Ball pythons need more moisture than some dry-habitat reptiles. Measure humidity with a hygrometer and keep it within the species range.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the python carry a hygrometer? It liked the atmosphere.

REPTILES

What should you never do with live rodent prey?

- **A** Leave it unattended
- **B** Offer fresh water
- **C** Check the enclosure latch

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

A Leave it unattended

WHY A rodent may bite a snake that does not eat immediately. Remove live prey rather than leaving predator and prey together unsupervised.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why did the keeper supervise dinner? It was a no-bite policy.

SESK.INFO #7126

REPTILES

What prey type is safer for most pet snakes?

- **A** Unattended live rodents
- **B** Only pieces of muscle meat
- **C** Frozen-thawed whole prey

FLIP FOR THE ANSWER

C Frozen-thawed whole prey

WHY Frozen-thawed prey cannot fight back and injure the snake. Whole prey also supplies nutrients from bones and organs, not just muscle.

STRAIGHT FACE
Why are snakes good at math? They are great adders.

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