



ANIMALS OF THE WORLD

Miniature Schnauzers and Other Terriers

When and where did the miniature schnauzer breed first appear? What kind of personality might a miniature schnauzer have? How did breeds of terriers develop? Read *Miniature Schnauzers and Other Terriers* to find out!

What did you learn?

QUESTIONS

- The miniature schnauzer was developed in ...
 - England
 - Austria
 - Germany
 - France
- Airedale terriers were first bred in ...
 - France
 - Scotland
 - Germany
 - England
- Bedlington terriers were first used to hunt badgers and ...
 - Gnats
 - Rats
 - Bats
 - Cats
- One example of a food that may be harmful to dogs is ...
 - Chocolate
 - Chicken
 - Celery
 - Carrots
- What is a *purebred*?
- What is a *pedigree*?

TRUE OR FALSE?

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| _____ 1. Dogs need different nutrients than people do. | _____ 4. The West Highland white terrier is sometimes called Westie. |
| _____ 2. There is no advantage to having the dog sleep in its own bed. | _____ 5. Terriers are at a higher risk of diabetes than some other dogs. |
| _____ 3. There are special organizations for miniature schnauzer owners. | _____ 6. Dogs need vaccines just like people do. |

ANSWERS

- 1. c. Germany.** According to section “When and Where Did the Miniature Schnauzer Breed First Appear?” on page 10, we know that “The miniature schnauzer was developed in Germany in the 1800’s.” So, the correct answer is C.
- 2. d. England.** According to section “What Is an Airedale Terrier?” on page 44, we know that “Airedale terriers are named for the place they were first bred — the valley, or dale, of Aire — in Northern England.” So, the correct answer is D.
- 3. b. Rats.** According to section “What Is a Bedlington Terrier?” on page 46, we know that “Bedlingtons were used to hunt badgers, and they were also very useful for ridding a mine of rats.” So, the correct answer is B.
- 4. a. Chocolate.** According to section “Are There Dangers to Dogs Around the Home?” on page 54, we know that “Certain foods, such as chocolate, are poisonous to dogs.” So, the correct answer is A.
- 5.** According to page 63, a *purebred* is an “animal whose parents are known to have both belonged to one breed.”
- 6.** According to page 63, a *pedigree* is a “record of an animal’s ancestors.”

TRUE OR FALSE? ANSWERS

- 1. True.** According to section “What Does a Miniature Schnauzer Eat?” on page 24, we know that “Dogs need different nutrients, or nourishing things, than people do.” So, the correct answer is True.
- 2. False.** According to section “Where Should a Miniature Schnauzer Sleep?” on page 26, we know that “The advantage to this is that the dog can establish a bedtime routine — that is, doing the same thing every night.” So, the correct answer is False.
- 3. True.** According to section “Are There Special Organizations for Miniature Schnauzer Owners?” on page 38, we know that “In the United States, the main organization for people who love miniature schnauzers is the American Miniature Schnauzer Club.” So, the correct answer is True.
- 4. True.** According to section “What Is a West Highland White Terrier?” on page 50, we know that “Some call the breed by its nickname, Westie.” So, the correct answer is True.
- 5. False.** According to section “Where Should a Miniature Schnauzer Sleep?” on page 56, we know that “Miniature schnauzers are at higher risk for diabetes than some other dogs.” So, the correct answer is False.
- 6. True.** According to section “What Routine Veterinary Care Is Needed?” on page 58, we know that “Your dog may be due to have vaccinations (shots). A vaccine is a special medicine that protects people, dogs and other animals from certain serious diseases.” So, the correct answer is True.