

Fun and interesting facts (Some facts about the bat)

1. Are you familiar the smallest and largest species of bat?

The [bumblebee bat](#) is the most minuscule species of bat. Among all, the [flying foxes](#) are the largest species.

2. Did you know about the predators of bats?

Owls, hawks and snakes are the predators of bats.

3. Did you know about the disease that occurs in bats?

Just like humans, bats can suffer from a disease. The “[white-nose syndrome](#)” is a deadly disease that affects hibernating bats . [The disease](#) is identified with the development of a white fungus on body parts, mainly the mouth, nose, and wings. Certain species of bats have been decimated because of this deadly disease.

4. Do you think about the habitat of bats and where they reside during the daytime?

Bats occupy every part of the world, except the extreme [desert](#), some of the isolated islands, and [the polar region](#). When talking about bat species, many species live in [tropical rain forests](#). Very few species live in [grassland](#), [woodland](#), and [wetland](#). They also reside in dark caves, aged tree holes, and buildings with aged roofs. Bats float from their feet at the time of sleeping. It is helpful for bats to escape from predators.

5. Did you know some bats are blood suckers?

A very few species of bats suck the blood of animals like cattle and horses. They rarely attack humans. Mexico and the countries of Central and South America are their native land. Vampire bats are blood suckers.

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