

Lions



If you love Disney's *The Lion King*, you probably love lions too. These big cats really do seem royal. Lions are the biggest of the big cats after tigers. Most males weigh around 180 kilograms, while females weigh around 130 kilograms. The biggest lion ever recorded weighed over 360 kilograms! Lions are the only cats that live in groups called prides. A pride has several females, their cubs and a few males.

Male lions have manes. These manes protect them during fights with other lions. The King of the jungle patrol their territory and protect the young cubs. They also make sure cubs get enough food. The females do most of the hunting. They work together to bring down prey. This keeps them safer than if they hunted alone.



You can see the whole lesson from your teacher, please ask them to send it to you before the class.

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