

WHAT'S  
WILD 

SPIDER LILY QUIZ



This edition of *What's Wild* is about a unique plant species that requires a special environment to thrive – the Spider Lily!

Test your knowledge!

**Ready?**

**Here We Go!**

**Question 1. What role do South Carolina's rivers play in the ecosystem?**

- A. Providing transportation routes**
- B. Serving as recreational areas for swimming**
- C. Supporting local ecosystems and wildlife**
- D. Generating electricity through hydroelectric dams**



**The correct answer is...**

**C. Supporting local ecosystems and wildlife**

**Question 2. True or False: The Rocky Shoals Spider Lily requires direct sunlight and slow-moving water to thrive.**

True

False



The correct answer is...

True

**Question 3. Fill in the blank: The Rocky Shoals Spider Lily gets its name from \_\_\_\_\_:**

- A. Its unique ability to catch insects**
- B. Its long, delicate tendrils resembling spider legs**
- C. Its bright red color resembling a spider's body**
- D. Its preference for dark, damp habitats**





**The correct answer is...**

**B. Its long, delicate tendrils resembling spider legs**

**Question 4. True or False: The lilies provide sustenance for bird species by catching insects in their delicate tendrils.**

**True**

**False**



The correct answer is...

False

**Question 5. What is the main threat to the survival of the Rocky Shoals Spider Lily?**

- A. Competition from other aquatic plants
- B. Overpopulation of herbivorous insects
- C. Pollution and excess nutrients from runoff
- D. Invasive fish species



**The correct answer is...**

**C. Pollution and excess nutrients from runoff**

**Question 6. True or False: Pollution from agricultural runoff has no impact on the water quality that affects the Spider Lily's survival.**

**True**

**False**



The correct answer is...

False

**Question 7. Which organization partners with Dr. Althea Hagan to preserve the Rocky Shoals Spider Lily?**

- A. South Carolina Wildlife Conservation**
- B. Catawba River Keepers**
- C. National Parks Service**
- D. Clemson University Environmental Club**





**The correct answer is...**

**B. Catawba River Keepers**

**Question 8. True or False: The Catawba River Keepers are solely focused on advocating for water quality and have no involvement in conservation efforts.**

**True**

**False**



The correct answer is...

False

**Question 9. What is the significance of the Rocky Shoals Spider Lily as an indicator species?**

- A. It spins webs that can predict weather changes**
- B. It signals the arrival of migratory birds**
- C. Its presence indicates a healthy river environment**
- D. It warns of potential flooding in the area**



**The correct answer is...**

**C. Its presence indicates a healthy river environment**

**Question 10. True or False: Lilyfest is an annual event that celebrates the preservation of the Rocky Shoals Spider Lily and attracts thousands of visitors.**

**True**

**False**



The correct answer is...

True

How well  
did you do?