

## FICHA 3:

### Instructions:

Look at the photo and read the text. Then complete the fact file about this unusual animal.



## Writing Task

### A liger

A liger is a special animal from the big cat family. It's special because it has got a tiger mother and a lion father – and you can see it. A liger's body is the colour of a lion, but it has got tiger stripes.

Ligers are very big. Their lion and tiger parents usually weigh only 250-300 kilos, but the weight of a liger is usually 400-500 kilos. It eats 20 kilos of food a day!

Hercules is a famous liger from Miami, Florida, in the USA. He is sometimes in films and on TV.

Hercules weighs more than 500 kilos and he runs 35 kilometres an hour. Most lions don't like water, but Hercules loves going swimming.

Type:	
Colour:	
Size / Weight:	
Living:	
Food:	
Interesting Facts:	

Write a report about this animal. Use the details in the chart. Use the singular.

Animal:	Python snake
Colour:	green, brown or white
Size:	about 10 - 12 metres long
Living:	in Africa, Asia and Australia / about 30 years
Food:	small mammals, birds, lizards
Interesting Facts:	swim well / often catch animals in the water Kill animals with its heavy body

