## Endangered Animals Answers



**Find** and **copy** one phrase which is an expression that means 'to cover a broad category of things'.

umbrella term

Give one piece of evidence which you think shows that Javan rhinos may become extinct in the near future.

There is lots of evidence in this text to support the idea that the Javan rhino may be extinct soon. For example, they only live in one small area of Java, their habitat is at risk from natural disasters and the text tells us they are in the highest risk category on the 'Red List'.

Where do Javan rhinoceros live?

Javan rhinoceros live in one small area of protected parkland called Ujung Kulon National Park in Java Indonesia.

What does IUCN stand for?

IUCN stands for International Union for the Conservation of Nature.

Thinking about what you have learnt from this text, what predictions can you make about the Javan rhinos' future?

Pupils' own responses, such as: I predict that the Javan rhino will soon become extinct. Even though conservationists are doing their best to protect the remaining few creatures, I think that as they are already on the brink of extinction it may already be too late. Hopefully, there will be some creatures remaining in captivity such that the species is not lost altogether. Perhaps in time, enough creatures could be bred to introduce them back into the wild.

