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Baboons

Baboons are large monkeys that can be found on the

ground and in trees in Africa. They spend most of their

time on the ground, but they sleep in high

places, like trees. Baboons live and travel in

very large groups called troops. Each troop

has a male leader. This leader helps guard

the group. Baboons have different calls they

use to talk to each other. If a baboon is

scared, their call sounds like a dog bark. A

baboon can live to be about 30 years old in

the wild.

A baboon in the wild.

1. According to the text, what is a troop?

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3. In what continent are baboons found in nature?

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4. Can any baboon be the troop leader? Explain.

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