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National Geographic Readers: Lions: Criss Cross

Answer clues based on the content and vocabulary words from National Geographic Readers: Lions. Look for hints in the Word Bank. Print the puzzle or use on your tablet, phone, or computer.



Across

- **4.** Lions _____ trees to find a breeze.
- **5.** Males lions have a ____.
- **6.** A lion's body is built for ____.
- **9.** Lions need to _____ to stay cool.
- **10.** Lions live in a family group called a ____.

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- **1.** Most lions live on the ____ in Africa.
- 2. Lions eat other animals, or ____.
- **3.** Lions often ____ over food.
- 7. Lions, ____, leopards, and jaguars are all a part of a group called, "big cats."
- 8. Lions keep their claws sharp by scratching ____.

Word Bank

TIGERS	MANE	SAVANNA	REST
CLIMB	PRIDE	PREY	HUNTING
FIGHT	TREES		

Answer Key

