

Giant Weta II

This task is about knowing which information is important so you get the main idea of a text. Read "Wetas with Backpacks", by Pat Quinn, Junior Journal 13, pages 22 to 25.

a) Choose the **three** pieces of information below that are most important to this text.

- Giant weta are endangered.
- Rats and mice eat weta.
- Scientists study weta.
- You need a special aerial to listen for the beeps.
- The backpacks are taken off the weta after about three weeks.
- Radio backpacks are used to track weta.

b) What is the main idea of this text?

- Radio backpacks are used to count giant weta.
- Scientists are finding out about giant weta to help them survive.
- Giant weta are rare.