

Kincaid Creatures Magic Squares

Directions: At the Kincaid Shelter in central Texas, we know that many different animals visited the site over the last 13,000 years. Use the website to correctly identify nine of these animals.

In each square, write the number of the description that describes the animal named in that square. Write the sum of the numbers from each row on the line outside the grid. Numbers in all rows, horizontal and vertical, should add up to the same “magic” number.

Camel _____	Sloth _____	Dire Wolf _____	_____
Horse _____	American lion _____	Deer _____	_____
Bison _____	Mammoth _____	Alligator _____	_____

1. Reptile that lived in and around the ancient Sabinal River
2. Mammal whose remains came from the oldest layer at Kincaid
3. Also called Mylodon

4. Its African relative is sometimes called "King of the Jungle."
5. Ancient relative of today's dogs
6. Modern version of this mammal was hunted by plains Indians such as the Comanche.
7. Hump-backed mammal with modern relatives in Middle Eastern deserts
8. Related to today's elephant
9. Animal remains found in the youngest (most recent) layer at Kincaid site

The magic number is _____.