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Light Pollution Drawing with Animals: Ideas Featuring Owls, Turtles & Bats

1. What is light pollution?

- A. Noise created by cities at night
- B. Excessive or misdirected artificial lighting
- C. Pollution found in lakes and rivers
- D. Heat released by light bulbs

2. Which of the following animals is NOT nocturnal?

- A. Owl
- B. Bat
- C. Sea turtle
- D. Squirrel

3. Artificial lights can mislead sea turtle hatchlings away from the ocean. (True / False)

4. What type of light is considered more wildlife-friendly?

- A. Bright white lights
- B. Red-spectrum shielded lights
- C. Blue LED lights
- D. Flashing neon lights

5. How does light pollution affect owls' hunting behavior?

- A. It helps them hunt more efficiently
- B. It has no effect
- C. It disrupts their night vision and prey detection
- D. It makes their feathers brighter

6. Which technique can be used in art to simulate light on dark paper?

- A. Reverse drawing
- B. Watercolor blending
- C. Perspective sketching
- D. Cross-stitching

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7. What does 'sky glow' refer to?

- A. Light reflecting off water
- B. The color of sunset
- C. Brightening of the night sky over populated areas
- D. Lights seen from airplanes
- 8. Bats are always attracted to street lights. (True / False)
- 9. Which of these is an example of conservation-friendly action?
 - A. Leaving bright lights on all night
 - B. Using motion sensors and warm-colored lights
 - C. Lighting up the entire beach at night
 - D. Installing unshielded floodlights
- 10. Name one artistic method mentioned in the article that helps depict artificial lighting.

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Answer Key

- 1. B
- 2. D
- 3. True
- 4. B
- 5. C
- 6. A
- 7. C
- 8. False
- 9. B
- 10. Example answers: reverse drawing, stippling, glow effects, sgraffito, etc.