



## I am a Gila Monster - Mini Facts

### Instructions for Creating a Fun Book or Poster for Show and Tell

#### **Suggestions on how to use this document:**

##### **Suggestion 1: Ready-to-Print Book**

- ★ Print pages 2 to 4 of this document.
- ★ Add your child's name to the space provided on the title page.
- ★ Staple all pages of your child's book down the left hand side OR attach one staple to the top left hand corner of the book.
- ★ Present to class! (Your child's teacher will assist with reading if needed).

##### **Suggestion 2: Do-it-Yourself Picture Page for Your Book**

- ★ Print pages 2, 3 and 5 of this document.
- ★ Add your child's name to the space provided on the title page.
- ★ Create your own Picture Page on page 5 ie. the framed, blank book page. (Use the ready-to-print Picture Page on page 4 as a guide if needed).
- ★ Staple pages 2, 3 and 5 of your child's book down the left hand side OR attach one staple to the top left hand corner of the booklet.
- ★ Present to class! (Your child's teacher will assist with reading if needed).

##### **Suggestion 3: Do-it-Yourself Poster**

- ★ Print pages 2 and 3 of this document.
- ★ Add your child's name to the title page and paste your title onto the centre of a piece of poster-size cardboard. (You may need to cut the title to a smaller size to fit everything on your poster).
- ★ Cut, arrange and glue all mini facts around the title.
- ★ Draw and glue a matching picture above each mini-fact....OR....Find, cut, and glue matching pictures from the Internet, magazines or your own photograph collection.
- ★ Present to class! (Your child's teacher will assist with reading if needed).



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**Fact 1:** The Gila Monster is a venomous lizard. Its venom is in its saliva.



**Fact 2:** Gila Monsters are very slow so they need to sneak up on their prey.



**Fact 3:** Gila Monsters use their tongues to help them smell things.



**Fact 4:** Gila Monsters do not chew their food. They swallow their prey whole.



**Fact 5:** Baby Gila Monsters can take care of themselves as soon as they hatch.



**Fact 6:** A group of Gila Monsters is called a lounge.



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