

DID YOU KNOW?

Fun facts about science...

The David M. Rubenstein Family Giant Panda Habitat at the Smithsonian National Zoo is home to four giant pandas: Tian Tian (adult male), Mei Xiang (adult female), Bao Bao (juvenile female), and a male cub named Bei Bei. Visitors can often catch a glimpse of these bears on the [Panda Cam](#).

- As few as [1,864 giant pandas](#) live in their native habitat, while another 300 pandas live in zoos and breeding centers around the world. Wild pandas are only found in remote, mountainous regions of central China.
- A typical giant panda eats for a [full twelve hours per day](#), and it can take 28 pounds of bamboo to satisfy a panda's daily dietary needs!
- When pandas are born, the cubs are blind, hairless, and unable to move. They are unable to crawl until about three months of age, and do not develop their black and white coloring until later in their development.

