



5 Reasons to Go Batty for Bats

- 1. There are more than 1,000 species of bats in the world. All of these bats make up about a quarter of all mammals in existence!**
- 2. Bats are the only mammal that can truly fly.**
- 3. Some bat species feast on as many as 1,000 mosquitoes an hour, while others dine on thousands of pest beetles and moths a night!**
- 4. Bats help many plants: Hundreds of plant species rely on the pollinating and seed dispersal services of bats including bananas, avocados and mangos.**
- 5. Bats are the most diverse group of mammals: The smallest weighs less than a penny and the largest has a wingspan of up to six feet!**