## 3 COUSINS - Species of Elephants in the World.

There are three species of elephant: African Savanna (Bush), African Forest and Asian.

You can tell the three species apart by their ears.

The ears of African elephants are much larger than their cousins and are described as being shaped like the African continent, whereas the ears of Asian elephants are shaped like the Indian subcontinent. There's also a trunk difference - African elephants have two 'fingers' at the tip of their trunks, whereas Asian elephants have one.

The African Savanna (Bush) elephant is the world's largest land animal – with adult males, or bull elephants, standing up to 3m high and weighing up to 6,000kg and can live for up to 60-70 years.



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