Desert Tortoise *Gopherus agassizii*

The tortoise is a quiet, gentle creature who has walked the earth for millions of years.

What you can do

- Stay on established trails, keep dogs on leash, and keep OHV travel to designated routes.
- Don't pick up or disturb tortoises that you find in the wild.
- Never release a pet tortoise into the wild.
- To adopt or place a tortoise contact a local California Turtle and Tortoise Club or an animal rescue group.
- Pack out garbage and place into covered trash containers.

Learn

Tortoise Trunks are environmental education kits that provide teachers and students with an assortment of materials and classroom lessons. Trunks available for grades 3-4 and 5-6. Contact us to check out these kits.

For more information

www.deserttortoise.gov or *www.livingdesert.org*

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