

The Fire Unicorn (example of shaking hands with the text)

Did you know there is a rare type unicorn with fire in its belly and flames in its horn? You probably have not heard of it because there has only ever been one sighting of this beast in its natural habitat. But, after reading this page, you will know all about this rare, combustible creature, The Fire Unicorn.

Smaller than most unicorns, the Fire Unicorn has a burnt-orange coat, an ashy mane of smoke and a horn that looks like a thousand flames dancing in the wind. When it gets too close to water, a hissing sound begins and the unicorn's hoofs sizzle and smoke.

Unsurprisingly, the Fire Unicorn lives on the sides of rocky volcanoes, close to falling ash and pouring lava. But you might be surprised to learn that they prefer the cool of the shade, especially for sleeping. In fact, the Fire Unicorn's favourite spot to fall asleep is under the branches of a burnt tree. These spots are cool enough to groom themselves carefully, and maintain their delicate hooves which have been adapted for the rocky habitat. The Fire Unicorn is as sprightly on an incline as a mountain goat!

Typically, the Fire Unicorn's power lies mainly in its horn. It is thought that, due to the toxic atmosphere, the horn is full of deadly poison. For centuries, this has been highly sought after by prince and poor man alike, for the purposes of enemy eradication. In addition to the horn's power, the Fire Unicorn's hair can grant humans immortality. For this reason, it is often used to make wands for powerful witches and wizards.

The most fascinating thing about the fire unicorn is its ability to set things alight. It need only point its horn at something - or someone - for that thing to spontaneously combust. Many believe that more than one person has spotted a Fire Unicorn in the wild, but only one survived.

That one lucky survivor is the author of this page. How did I survive? Well, that's a story for another time.

I hope you have enjoyed finding out about this wonderful, deadly, animal.