Falls of the Ohio State Park
Secondary School Activity Sheet

Name: _____________________________

Gallery 1 - An Ancient Sea

1. List five types of animals that lived in the Devonian sea? What did they eat?
   A. _____________________________ __________________________
   B. _____________________________ __________________________
   C. _____________________________ __________________________
   D. _____________________________ __________________________
   E. _____________________________ __________________________

2. Watch the wall with projection of the Devonian Sea. Describe what you saw in a paragraph with 12 to 36 words.

3. If you could discover one fossil in “The Best of the Best” fossil case, which one would it be? Why?

   Gallery 2 - A Changing Land

4. Describe the difference between an archeologist and a paleontologist.
5. Look at the yellow panel in front of the bison.
   - Which ice age animal could have preyed on bison?
   - If you could be one of these ice age animals, which one would you be and why?

6. Name at least 2 ways that ancient cultures used animals to survive and prosper.

   **Gallery 3 - Converging Cultures**

7. Lift the Kentucky Long Rifle. What advantage would a long barrel have over a short barrel or pistol?

   **Gallery 4 - The Falls Today**

8. List / arrange the 5 different ecosystems from closest to farthest from the Ohio River.

9. Examine the wall of river trash. List 3 items in each category:
   Biodegradable   Non-biodegradable
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10. What can you do to lessen the litter in our rivers and streams?