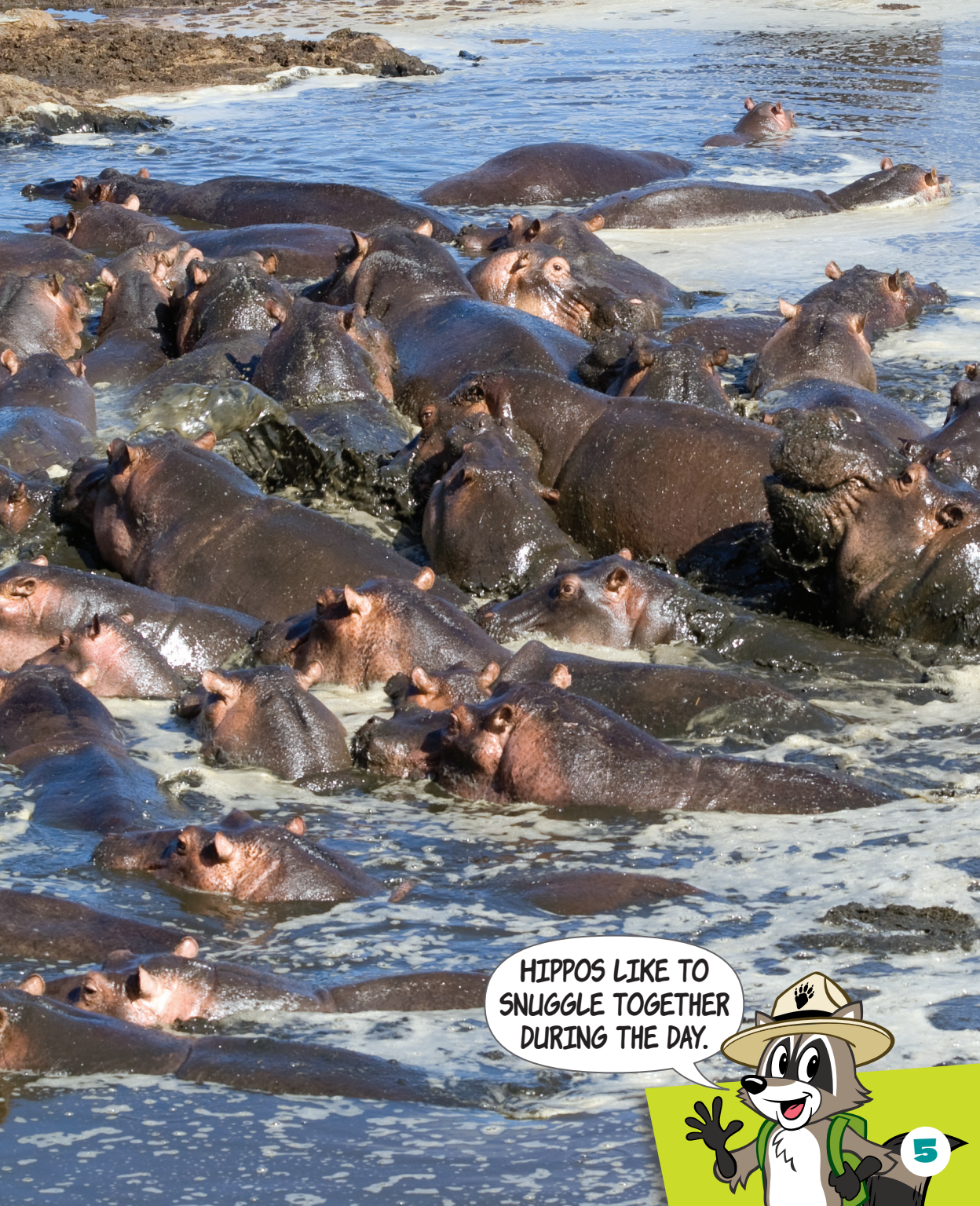


Most hippos live in a hot, **tropical climate**. They keep cool by spending most of their day in lakes and rivers.





HIPPOS LIKE TO  
SNUGGLE TOGETHER  
DURING THE DAY.



A hippo's eyes, ears, and nose are on top of its head. This means it can see, hear, and breathe while most of its body is underwater.



HIPPOS ARE HUGE.  
ONE CAN WEIGH AS  
MUCH AS A CAR.





When a hippo goes completely underwater, its ears and nose **automatically** close. This way, no water can get in!

