

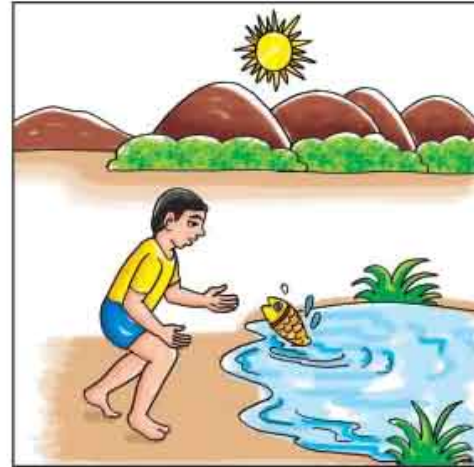
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Wonderful World of Bholu



Read :

Friends, come on, this is Bholu. Bholu has gone for a walk by a pond today. Let us too go along with him for a walk and get to know something new.



Bholu : Wow! What a beautiful fish is this! O....Mintu fish, Please come and play with me.

Fish : No , I cannot come out there. You come into the water to play with me.

Bholu : I cannot come into water.

Fish : I cannot come out of water.

Bholu : Why?

Fish : I cannot breathe on land.

Bholu : Likewise I cannot respire in water.

Fish : Bholu, one has its own place of living.



Write :

Living in water			
Fish			

**Read :**

Bholu : Oh! Chinchu
Squirrel, are you
fine over there?
Would you please
come down to
play with me?

Squirrel : Yes, certainly.

Bholu : Can you get down
from the tree and
live on land?

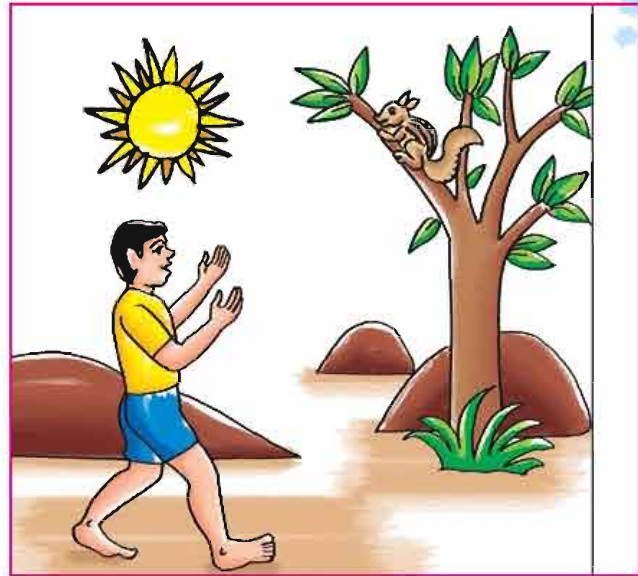
Squirrel : Sure, why not! I can live on land. I make nest on tree.

Bholu : Wow! You are very good. See, Mintu fish tells that it can
live in water only.

Squirrel : It's true about fish. She can only live in water as the water
is the home for it.

Bholu : So, can you not live in water?

Squirrel : No Bholu, I cannot live in water. We live on land so we
cannot breathe in water hence we cannot live in water.

**Write :**

Which are the other animals like Chinchu squirrel?

Squirrel			

**Read :**

Bholu walked ahead and met Dagmag tortoise.

Bholu : Aah....Dagmag, where are you going?

Tortoise : It's too hot here, Bholu, I shall go into the pond and take rest there. It would give me relief from the heat.

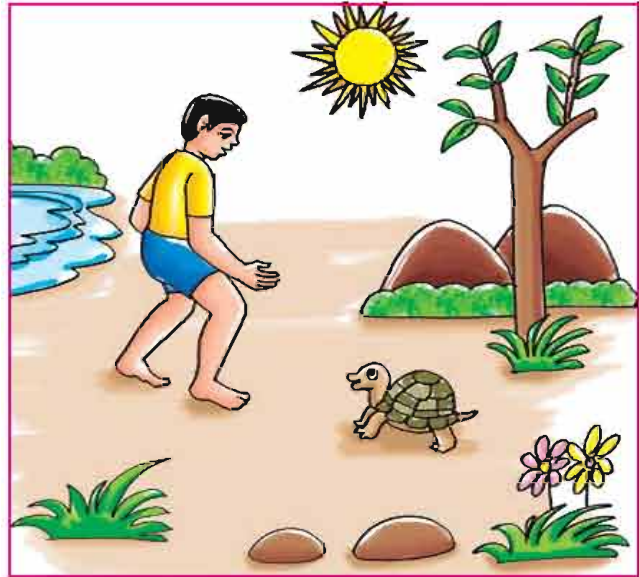
Bholu : You walk on land, then how can you live in water?

Tortoise : Why? Can I not live in water?

Bholu : Chinchi tells that those who live on land cannot live in water.

Tortoise : Chinchi is correct but there are some exceptional animals like me which can live both, on land and in water.

Bholu : Oh! It's really amazing!

**Write :**

There are many such animals like tortoise in our surroundings which can live in both places, in water as well as on land.

Tortoise			

**Read :**

While Bholu was walking ahead brooding, he met Kitu pigeon on the way.

Pigeon : Hey ! Are you fine, Bholu? Where are you going?

Bholu : How may I say. I am confused.

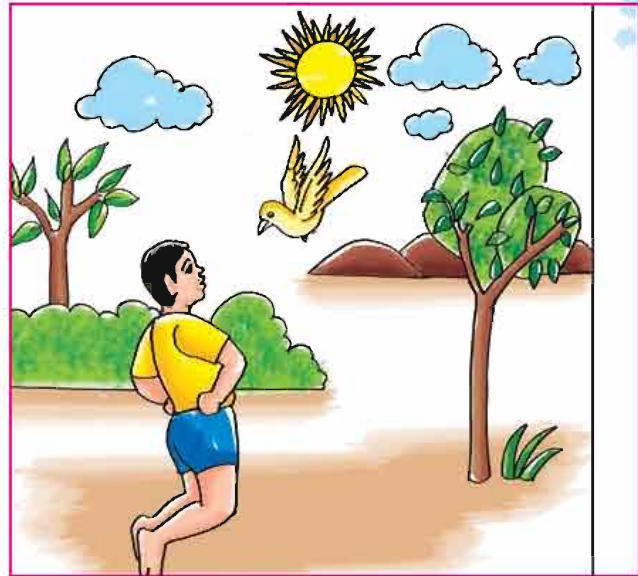
Pigeon : What is the confusion?

Bholu : See, the fish says that she can live in water only. Likewise tells the Squirrel that she can live only on land not in water. But Dagmag tortoise claims that it can live both, in water and on land.

Pigeon : There is nothing to get confused with, Bholu. Some walk on the land, some fly in the sky and some may walk and swim as well.

Bholu : Where do you live? Do you walk or swim?

Pigeon : See dear, I am a flying bird and come on ground to pick grains. I usually live in the nest which I make in the hollows of well, houses or wall.

**Write :**

Note the birds that fly and which are living around us.

Pigeon			

**Read :**

Elephant : Bholu, O Bholu where do you go ?

Bholu : Hathidada, its good that you have met. I am very much confused.

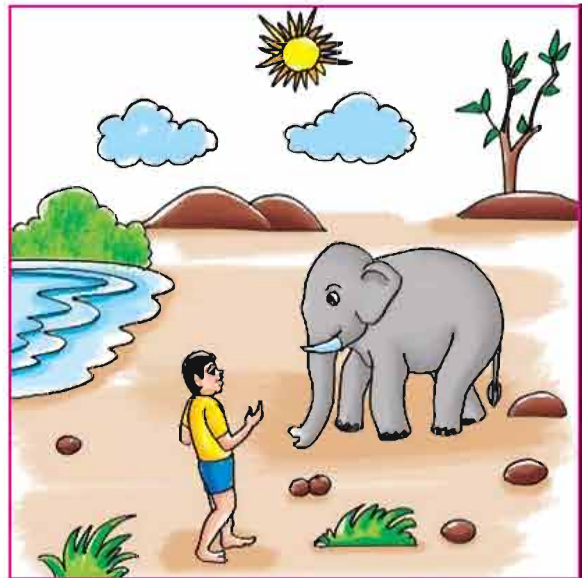
Elephant : What happened ?

Bholu : Dada, the fish lives in water, the squirrel lives on land and the tortoise lives on land as well as in water. How wonderful is this?

Elephant : What is so strange in this ? Every one has habitat according to their adaptation.

Bholu : Is it so?

Elephant : Yes , the one which lives on land is a terrestrial, lives in water is an aquatic, flies in sky is an avian and lives on land and in water as well is identified as an amphibian.



Bholu : Oh, is it ?

**Write :**

Names of animals and birds that have been noted by you. Classify the animals-birds as per their habitats.

Terrestrial	Aquatic	Avian	Amphibian



Fill in the colours :

Terrestrial	Aquatic	Avian	Amphibian



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**Read :**

Bholu : Elephant dada now I have understood very well.

Elephant : Dear son Bholu, in many ways diversities can be seen among animals and plants.

Bholu : Yes Dada, How much variation is seen in the appearance, habitat and in all ?

Elephant : Not only with respect to the appearance and habitat but with respect to the importance also there is diversity among us.

**Discuss :**

Name of the things useful in our daily life	From whom are these things obtained	
	Plant	Animal
Chapati/Bread		
Fruit		
Wooden table		
Wool		

**Discuss :**

- **Importance of Plants**
- **Importance of Animals**

There were two friends. They have decided to grow neem tree in the school. They brought and planted it. One day they saw that a goat was going to eat it. Immediately, both the friends made a fence around it. This is called protection of a plant. For the growth of a plant fertilizer, watering, ploughing is done which is called breeding.

Elephant: Bholu, now have you understood the meaning of conservation and breeding ?

Bholu : Yes Elephant Dada , now I have understood properly.

Elephant: Now say : What will you do for our conservation and breeding ?

Bholu : Tell Dada, What should we do?

Elephant: Discuss with your friends and make a note yourself.

Bholu : Yes, Bye-bye Elephant Dada.

**Write :**

- What will you do?

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____



**Think and Say :**

- Which plants have you sown in the school?
- What is to be done to sow the sapling?
- Which animals are kept in zoo?

**Discuss :**

- Sanctuaries, zoo and nursery.

**Activity :**

- Come on friends, make a puppet with the help of your teacher and perform puppet show.

- Make the impression of a leaf of a plant of your choice.



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