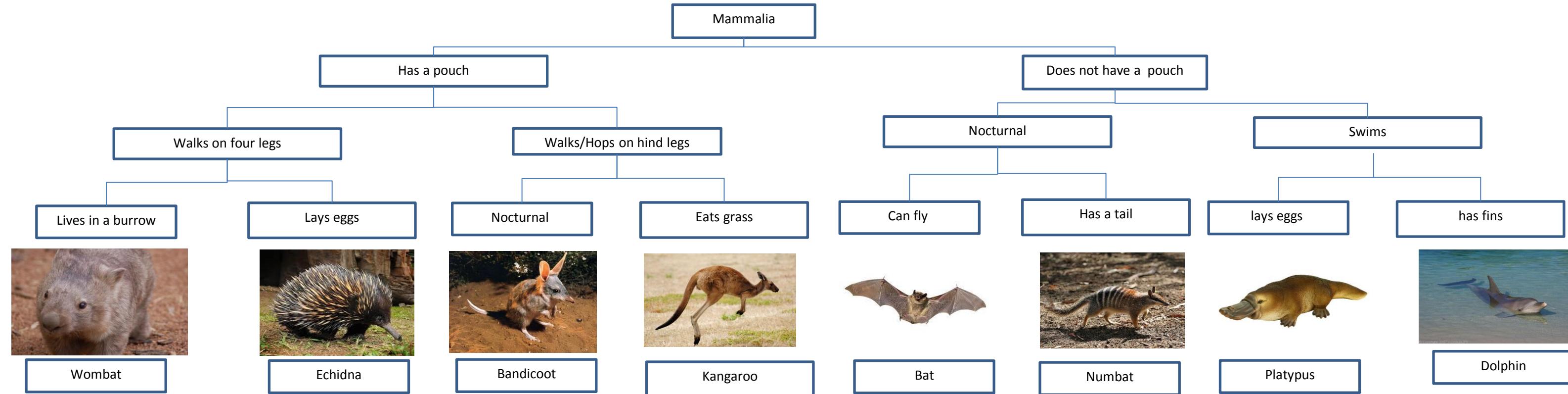


Example Mammalia Dichotomous Key



Q1) Using the mammalia dichotomous key describe the characteristics of:

eg) Wombat: Has a pouch, walks on four legs and lives in a burrow

a) Echidna

b) Kangaroo

c) Dolphin

d) Bat

Q3) Using the key below identify the following

1A Has claws, Go to 2

B Has fins, Go to 5

2A Has a tail go to 3

B Has protruding ears, go to 4

3A lays eggs, Platypus

B lives in trees, Possum

4A Has wings, Bat

B Hops on hind legs, Kangaroo

5A Eats fish, Dolphin

B Has baleen to filter food, Blue whale

Q2) Use the mammalia dichotomous key to work out what animal I am?

a) I hop on my hind legs, eat grass and have a pouch

b) I have a tail and do not have a pouch. I am nocturnal

c) I swim in water, do not have a pouch and lays eggs

d) I am nocturnal, hop on hind legs and have a pouch

What am I??

Eg. I have fins and eat fish. I am a dolphin

a) I have claws, have a tail and lay eggs. I am a

b) I have fins, have baleen to filter food. I am a

c) I have claws, have protruding ears and wings. I am a