**Bulbasaur**For some time after its birth, it grows by taking nourishment from the seed on its back.  
  
**Ivysaur**When the bud on its back starts swelling, a sweet aroma wafts to indicate the flower’s coming bloom.  
  
**Venusaur**After a rainy day, the flower on its back smells stronger. The scent attracts other Pokémon.  
  
**Charmander**The fire on the tip of its tail is a measure of its life. If the Pokémon is healthy, its tail burns intensely.  
  
**Charmeleon**In the rocky mountains where Charmeleon live, their fiery tails shine at night like stars.  
  
**Charizard**It is said that Charizard’s fire burns hotter if it has experienced harsh battles.  
  
**Squirtle**It hides in its shell to protect itself, then strikes back with spouts of water at every opportunity.  
  
**Wartortle**It is said to live 10,000 years. Its furry tail is popular as a symbol of longevity.  
  
**Blastoise**The jets of water it spouts from the rocket cannons on its shell can punch through thick steel.  
  
**Caterpie**It releases a stench from its red antennae to repel enemies. It grows by molting repeatedly.  
  
**Metapod**A steel-hard shell protects its tender body. The Pokémon quietly endures hardships while awaiting evolution.  
  
**Butterfree**It loves the nectar of flowers and can locate flower patches that have even tiny amounts of pollen.  
  
**Weedle**It eats its weight in leaves every day. It fends off attackers with the needle on its head.  
  
**Kakuna**While awaiting evolution, it hides from predators under leaves and in nooks of branches.  
  
**Beedrill**Its best attack involves flying around at high speed, striking with poison needles, then flying off.  
  
**Pidgey**It is docile and prefers to avoid conflict. If disturbed, however, it can ferociously strike back.  
  
**Pidgeotto**It flies over its wide territory in search of prey, downing it with its highly developed claws.  
  
**Pidgeot**By flapping its wings with all its might, Pidgeot can make a gust of wind capable of bending tall trees.  
  
**Rattata**It’s cautious in the extreme, and its hardy vitality lets it live in any kind of environment.  
  
**Raticate**It whittles down its constantly growing fangs by gnawing on hard things. It can chew apart cinder block walls.  
  
**Spearow**It flaps its small wings busily to fly. Using its beak, it searches in grass for prey.  
  
**Fearow**It has the stamina to fly all day on its broad wings. It fights by using its sharp beak.  
  
**Ekans**It sneaks through grass without making a sound and strikes unsuspecting prey from behind.  
  
**Arbok**The pattern on its belly is for intimidation. It constricts foes while they are frozen in fear.  
  
**Pikachu**Brilliant Diamond: It lives in forests with others. It stores electricity in the electric sacs on its cheeks.  
Shining Pearl: If it looses crackling power from the electric sacs on its cheeks, it is being wary.  
  
**Raichu**Brilliant Diamond: It turns aggressive if it has too much electricity in its body. It discharges power through its tail.  
Shining Pearl: It can loose 100,000-volt bursts of electricity, instantly downing foes several times its size.  
  
**Sandshrew**To protect itself from attackers, it curls up into a ball. It lives in arid regions with minimal rainfall.  
  
**Sandslash**It curls up, then rolls into foes with its back. Its sharp spines inflict severe damage.  
  
**Nidoran♀**While this Pokémon does not prefer to fight, even one drop of the venom it secretes from its barbs can be fatal.  
  
**Nidorina**When it senses danger, it raises all the barbs on its body. These barbs grow more slowly than Nidorino’s.  
  
**Nidoqueen**Its entire body is armored with hard scales. It will protect the young in its burrow with its life.  
  
**Nidoran♂**It scans its surroundings by raising its ears out of the grass. Its toxic horn is for protection.  
  
**Nidorino**It has a violent disposition and stabs foes with its horn, which oozes venom upon impact.  
  
**Nidoking**One swing of its mighty tail can snap a telephone pole as if it were a matchstick.  
  
**Clefairy**Brilliant Diamond: Thought to live with others on quiet mountains, it is popular for its adorable nature.  
Shining Pearl: Moonlight gathers on the wings on Clefairy’s back, allowing Clefairy to fly. This Pokémon is difficult to find.  
  
**Clefable**Brilliant Diamond: Rarely seen by people, it is said to be drawn by the full moon to play at deserted lakes.  
Shining Pearl: Its hearing is so acute it can hear a pin drop over half a mile away. It lives on quiet mountains.  
  
**Vulpix**It controls balls of fire. As it grows, its six tails split from their tips to make more tails.  
  
**Ninetales**Its nine tails are said to be imbued with a mystic power. The Pokémon is said to live for 1,000 years.  
  
**Jigglypuff**When it wavers its big, round eyes, it begins singing a lullaby that makes everyone drowsy.  
  
**Wigglytuff**Its fine fur feels sublime to the touch. It can expand its body by inhaling air.  
  
**Zubat**Brilliant Diamond: Even though it has no eyes, it can sense obstacles using ultrasonic waves it emits from its mouth.  
Shining Pearl: Disliking sunlight, it sleeps deep in forests and caves until sundown.  
  
**Golbat**Brilliant Diamond: It loves the blood of humans and Pokémon. It flies around at night in search of neck veins.  
Shining Pearl: Once it starts sucking blood, it does not stop until it is full. It flies at night in search of prey.  
  
**Oddish**It often plants its root feet in the ground during the day and sows seeds as it walks about at night.  
  
**Gloom**The nectar it drools from its mouth smells so atrocious that it can make noses curl from more than a mile away.  
  
**Vileplume**Its petals are the largest in the world. As it walks, it scatters extremely allergenic pollen.  
  
**Paras**Mushrooms named tochukaso grow on its back. They grow along with the host Paras.  
  
**Parasect**Brilliant Diamond: Parasect is controlled by a mushroom that has grown larger than its host’s body. The Pokémon scatters poisonous spores.  
Shining Pearl: It is controlled by the mushroom, which has grown larger than the bug body. It is said to prefer damp places.  
  
**Venonat**Its big eyes are actually clusters of tiny eyes. At night, its kind is drawn by light.  
  
**Venomoth**It flutters its wings to scatter dustlike scales. The scales leach toxins if they contact skin.  
  
**Diglett**This Pokémon lives underground. Because of its dark habitat, it is repelled by bright sunlight.  
  
**Dugtrio**Its three heads move alternately, driving it through tough soil to depths of over 60 miles.  
  
**Meowth**It is nocturnal by nature. If it spots something shiny, its eyes glitter as brightly as the shiny object.  
  
**Persian**It is a very haughty Pokémon. Among fans of Persian, the size of the jewel in its forehead is a topic of much talk.  
  
**Psyduck**Brilliant Diamond: If its usual headache worsens, it starts exhibiting odd powers. It can’t remember doing so, however.  
Shining Pearl: It never remembers using its odd powers, so it always tilts its head in puzzlement.  
  
**Golduck**Brilliant Diamond: This Pokémon lives in lakes. It swims faster than any world-class swimmer.  
Shining Pearl: The flippers of its well-developed limbs give it shocking speed. It is the best swimmer among Pokémon.  
  
**Mankey**It lives in treetop colonies. If one member of the group becomes enraged, the whole colony rampages for no reason.  
  
**Primeape**It becomes angry if it sees an opponent’s eyes and gets angrier if the opponent runs. Even after it beats the opponent, it is still angry.  
  
**Growlithe**It is a Pokémon with a loyal nature. It will remain motionless until it is given an order by its Trainer.  
  
**Arcanine**Its proud and regal appearance has captured the hearts of people since long ago.  
  
**Poliwag**Its skin is so thin, its internal organs are visible. It has trouble walking on its newly grown feet.  
  
**Poliwhirl**The spiral pattern on its belly subtly undulates. Staring at it gradually causes drowsiness.  
  
**Poliwrath**With its extremely tough muscles, it could keep swimming in the Pacific Ocean without resting.  
  
**Abra**Brilliant Diamond: It sleeps for 18 hours a day. Even when awake, it teleports itself while remaining seated.  
Shining Pearl: Even while asleep, it maintains a telepathic radar. It teleports when it is threatened.  
  
**Kadabra**Brilliant Diamond: If one is nearby, an eerie shadow appears on TV screens. Seeing the shadow is said to bring bad luck.  
Shining Pearl: When it uses its psychic power, it emits strong alpha waves that can ruin precision instruments.  
  
**Alakazam**Brilliant Diamond: Its superb memory lets it recall everything it has experienced from birth. Its IQ exceeds 5,000.  
Shining Pearl: Its highly developed brain is on par with a supercomputer. It can use all forms of psychic abilities.  
  
**Machop**Brilliant Diamond: It hefts a Graveler repeatedly to strengthen its entire body. It uses every type of martial arts.  
Shining Pearl: Its muscles never cramp however much it trains. It lives in the mountains away from humans.  
  
**Machoke**Brilliant Diamond: Machoke’s boundless power is very dangerous, so it wears a belt that suppresses its energy.  
Shining Pearl: It can lift a dump truck with one hand. Using that kind of strength, it helps people do heavy jobs.  
  
**Machamp**Brilliant Diamond: It punches with its four arms at blinding speed. It can launch 1,000 punches in two seconds.  
Shining Pearl: It can knock a train flying with a punch. However, it is terrible at delicate work using its fingers.  
  
**Bellsprout**It prefers hot and humid environments. It is quick at capturing prey with its vines.  
  
**Weepinbell**This Pokémon has the appearance of a plant. It captures unwary prey by dousing them with a toxic powder.  
  
**Victreebel**In its mouth, it pools a fragrant nectar-like fluid. The fluid is really an acid that dissolves anything.  
  
**Tentacool**Brilliant Diamond: Its body is mostly composed of water. It shoots strange beams from its crystal-like eyes.  
Shining Pearl: It drifts in sea currents. Countless fishers are hurt by its poison stingers.  
  
**Tentacruel**Brilliant Diamond: With 80 tentacles for ensnaring victims, it prevents escape until the prey is weakened by poison.  
Shining Pearl: It alerts others to danger by stridently flashing the red orbs on its head.  
  
**Geodude**Brilliant Diamond: Many live on mountain trails and remain half-buried while keeping an eye on climbers.  
Shining Pearl: It is impossible to distinguish from rocks. It slams against others in contests of toughness.  
  
**Graveler**Brilliant Diamond: Graveler make their homes on sheer cliff faces that have numerous holes in them.  
Shining Pearl: It tumbles down slopes, heedless of any body parts chipping off. It eats a ton of rocks daily.  
  
**Golem**Brilliant Diamond: It sheds its hide once a year. Its boulder-like body is so tough, even dynamite can’t harm it.  
Shining Pearl: It tumbles down mountains, leaving grooves from peak to base. Stay clear of these grooves.  
  
**Ponyta**Brilliant Diamond: About an hour after birth, Ponyta’s fiery mane and tail grow out, giving the Pokémon an impressive appearance.  
Shining Pearl: Its legs grow strong while it chases after its parents. It runs all day in fields and on mountains.  
  
**Rapidash**Brilliant Diamond: It gallops at nearly 150 mph. With its mane blazing ferociously, it races as if it were an arrow.  
Shining Pearl: It has astounding acceleration. From a standstill, it can reach top speed within 10 steps.  
  
**Slowpoke**Although slow, it is skilled at fishing with its tail. It does not feel pain if its tail is bitten.  
  
**Slowbro**Though usually dim-witted, it seems to become inspired if the Shellder on its tail bites down.  
  
**Magnemite**The units at its sides generate electromagnetic waves that keep it airborne. It feeds on electricity.  
  
**Magneton**A Magneton is actually three Magnemite linked by magnetism. A group of these Pokémon can set off a magnetic storm.  
  
**Farfetch’d**It can’t live without the stalk it holds. That’s why it defends the stalk from attackers with its life.  
  
**Doduo**The brains in its two heads appear to communicate emotions to each other with a telepathic power.  
  
**Dodrio**When Doduo evolves into this odd breed, one of its heads splits into two. This Pokémon runs at nearly 40 mph.  
  
**Seel**This Pokémon lives on icebergs. It uses the sharp point on its head to break up ice as it swims in the sea.  
  
**Dewgong**In snow, the pure white coat covering its body obscures it from predators.  
  
**Grimer**It was born when sludge in a dirty stream was exposed to the moon’s X-rays. It appears among filth.  
  
**Muk**A toxic fluid seeps from its body. The fluid kills plants and trees immediately upon contact.  
  
**Shellder**It swims backward by opening and closing its two shells. Its large tongue is always kept hanging out.  
  
**Cloyster**It fights by keeping its shell tightly shut for protection and by shooting spikes to repel foes.  
  
**Gastly**Brilliant Diamond: This Pokémon’s body is 95 percent made up of gases. The Pokémon can be blown away by strong gusts of wind.  
Shining Pearl: It’s a Pokémon born from poison gases. It defeats even the largest foes by enveloping them in gas.  
  
**Haunter**Brilliant Diamond: It can slip through any obstacle. It lurks inside walls to keep an eye on its foes.  
Shining Pearl: It licks with its gaseous tongue to steal its victim’s life-force. It lurks in darkness, waiting for prey.  
  
**Gengar**Brilliant Diamond: It hides in shadows. It is said that in rooms where Gengar is hiding, the temperature drops by nearly 10 degrees Fahrenheit.  
Shining Pearl: Lurking in the shadowy corners of rooms, it awaits chances to steal its prey’s life-force.  
  
**Onix**Brilliant Diamond: When it travels underground, it causes rumbling and tremors. It can move at 50 mph.  
Shining Pearl: It squirms through the ground using its long and rugged body. It always eats while burrowing.  
  
**Drowzee**It can tell what people are dreaming by sniffing with its big nose. It loves fun dreams.  
  
**Hypno**Seeing its swinging pendulum can induce sleep in three seconds, even in someone who just woke up.  
  
**Krabby**It lives in burrows dug on sandy beaches. Its pincers fully grow back if they are lost in battle.  
  
**Kingler**The larger pincer has 10,000-horsepower strength. However, it is so heavy, it is difficult to aim.  
  
**Voltorb**It looks just like a Poké Ball. It is dangerous because it may electrocute or explode on touch.  
  
**Electrode**It is known to drift on winds if it is bloated to bursting with stored electricity.  
  
**Exeggcute**Its six eggs converse using telepathy. They can quickly gather if they become separated.  
  
**Exeggutor**It is called the Walking Jungle. If a head grows too big, it falls off and becomes an Exeggcute.  
  
**Cubone**When it thinks of its dead mother, it cries. Its crying makes the skull it wears rattle hollowly.  
  
**Marowak**The bones it uses have been in its possession since it was born. It has a ferocious nature.  
  
**Hitmonlee**Its legs can stretch to double their length. First-time foes are startled by Hitmonlee’s extensible reach.  
  
**Hitmonchan**When Hitmonchan twists its arm while throwing a punch, the blow will pulverize even concrete. The Pokémon rests after three minutes of fighting.  
  
**Lickitung**Instead of its hands, it uses its tongue, which can stretch to twice this Pokémon’s height. Lickitung’s sticky saliva grips anything.  
  
**Koffing**Lighter-than-air gases in its body keep it aloft. The gases not only smell; they are also explosive.  
  
**Weezing**It grows by feeding on gases released by garbage. Though very rare, triplets have been found.  
  
**Rhyhorn**Its body is clad in a thick hide, and its tackles topple buildings. Unfortunately, it is not smart.  
  
**Rhydon**Its brain developed after it stood up on its hind legs. Its drill horn bores tunnels through solid rock.  
  
**Chansey**Brilliant Diamond: It is said to deliver happiness. Being compassionate, it shares its eggs with injured people.  
Shining Pearl: It lays several eggs a day and won’t share them with those who have evil in their hearts.  
  
**Tangela**It is shrouded by blue vines. No one has seen the face hidden behind this growth of vines.  
  
**Kangaskhan**It raises its offspring in its belly pouch. It lets its baby out to play only when it feels safe to do so.  
  
**Horsea**It makes its nest in the shade of corals. If it senses danger, it spits black ink and flees.  
  
**Seadra**Its spines provide protection. Its fins and bones are prized as traditional medicine ingredients.  
  
**Goldeen**Brilliant Diamond: It swims elegantly by flittering its tail fin as if it were a dress. It has the look of a queen.  
Shining Pearl: It swims at a steady five knots. If it senses danger, it will strike back with its sharp horn.  
  
**Seaking**Brilliant Diamond: It makes its nest by hollowing out boulders in streams with its horn. The Pokémon defends its eggs with its life.  
Shining Pearl: To protect its family, it will fight with its drill-sharp horn. It lives in hollowed rocks in streams.  
  
**Staryu**If Staryu’s body is damaged, it will regenerate as long as the red core remains. The core flashes at midnight.  
  
**Starmie**At the center of its body is a red core that sends mysterious radio signals into the night sky.  
  
**Mr. Mime**Brilliant Diamond: It is a pantomime expert that can create invisible but solid walls using miming gestures.  
Shining Pearl: Emanations from its fingertips solidify the air into invisible walls that repel even harsh attacks.  
  
**Scyther**It is nearly impossible to parry its attacking scythes. Its movements are like a ninja’s.  
  
**Jynx**Its cries sound like human speech. However, it is impossible to tell what it is trying to say.  
  
**Electabuzz**Half of all blackouts occur when this Pokémon appears at power plants and eats electricity.  
  
**Magmar**It was born in the crater of a volcano. Its body is covered with flames that shimmer like the sun.  
  
**Pinsir**It grips prey with its pincers until the prey is torn apart. What it can’t tear, it tosses far away.  
  
**Tauros**Once it takes aim at its prey, it makes a headlong charge. It is famous for its violent nature.  
  
**Magikarp**Brilliant Diamond: It is said to be the world’s weakest Pokémon. No one knows why it has managed to survive.  
Shining Pearl: It is unable to swim against even slow-moving currents. It always splashes about for some reason.  
  
**Gyarados**Brilliant Diamond: Once Gyarados appears, its rage never settles until the Pokémon has razed the fields and mountains around it.  
Shining Pearl: In ancient literature, there is a record of a Gyarados that razed a village when violence flared.  
  
**Lapras**It loves crossing the sea with people and Pokémon on its back. It understands human speech.  
  
**Ditto**It has the ability to reconstitute its entire cellular structure to transform into whatever it sees.  
  
**Eevee**It is a rare Pokémon that adapts to harsh environments by changing its appearance and capabilities when it evolves.  
  
**Vaporeon**It has evolved to be suited for an aquatic life. It can become invisible when it melts away into water.  
  
**Jolteon**It controls 10,000-volt power. When the fur covering its body stands on end, the fur is hard and sharp, like needles.  
  
**Flareon**It has a flame sac in its body. Its body temperature tops 1,650 degrees Fahrenheit before battle.  
  
**Porygon**The world’s first artificially created Pokémon. It can travel through electronic space.  
  
**Omanyte**It’s a Pokémon that was resurrected from a fossil using modern science. It swam in ancient seas.  
  
**Omastar**It is thought that this Pokémon became extinct because its spiral shell grew too large.  
  
**Kabuto**It is thought to have inhabited beaches 300 million years ago. It is protected by a sturdy shell.  
  
**Kabutops**It is thought that this Pokémon came onto land because its prey adapted to life on land.  
  
**Aerodactyl**It’s a Pokémon that roamed the skies in the dinosaur era. Its teeth are like saw blades.  
  
**Snorlax**Brilliant Diamond: Its stomach can digest any kind of food, even if it happens to be moldy or rotten.  
Shining Pearl: It stops eating only to sleep. It doesn’t feel full unless it eats nearly 900 pounds a day.  
  
**Articuno**This legendary bird Pokémon can create blizzards by freezing moisture in the air.  
  
**Zapdos**This legendary Pokémon is said to live in thunderclouds. It freely controls lightning bolts.  
  
**Moltres**It is one of the legendary bird Pokémon. Its appearance is said to indicate the coming of spring.  
  
**Dratini**It is called the Mirage Pokémon because so few have seen it, but its shed skin has been found.  
  
**Dragonair**If its body takes on an aura, the weather changes instantly. It is said to live in seas and lakes.  
  
**Dragonite**It is said to make its home somewhere in the sea. It guides wrecked ships to shore.  
  
**Mewtwo**Mewtwo was created by recombining Mew’s genes. It’s said to have the most savage heart among Pokémon.  
  
**Mew**Because it can use all kinds of moves, many scientists believe Mew to be the ancestor of Pokémon.  
  
**Chikorita**It uses the leaf on its head to determine the air’s temperature and humidity. It loves to sunbathe.  
  
**Bayleef**The buds that ring its neck give off a spicy aroma that perks people up.  
  
**Meganium**Its breath has the fantastic ability to revive dead plants and flowers.  
  
**Cyndaquil**It has a timid nature. If it is startled, the flames on its back burn more vigorously.  
  
**Quilava**It intimidates foes with the heat of its flames. The fire burns stronger as it prepares to fight.  
  
**Typhlosion**It attacks using blasts of fire. It creates heat shimmers with intense fire to hide itself.  
  
**Totodile**It has a habit of biting everything with its well-developed jaws. Even its Trainer needs to be careful.  
  
**Croconaw**Once it bites down, it won’t let go until it loses its fangs. New fangs quickly grow into place.  
  
**Feraligatr**It usually moves slowly, but it goes at blinding speed when it attacks and bites prey.  
  
**Sentret**It has a very nervous nature. It stands up high on its tail so it can scan wide areas.  
  
**Furret**The mother puts its offspring to sleep by curling up around them. It corners foes with speed.  
  
**Hoothoot**Brilliant Diamond: It always stands on one foot. Even when attacked, it does not brace itself using both feet.  
Shining Pearl: It switches its standing foot so quickly that the switch can’t be seen. It cries at the same time every day.  
  
**Noctowl**Brilliant Diamond: Its eyes are special. They can pick out objects as long as there is the tiniest amount of light.  
Shining Pearl: If it flips its head upside down, it’s a sign that it is engaged in very complex thinking.  
  
**Ledyba**It’s so timid that it can’t move unless it’s with a swarm. It conveys its feelings through scent.  
  
**Ledian**It uses starlight as energy. When more stars appear at night, the patterns on its back grow larger.  
  
**Spinarak**It sets a trap by spinning a web with thin but strong thread. It waits motionlessly for prey to arrive.  
  
**Ariados**It attaches silk to its prey and sets it free. Later, it tracks the silk to the prey and its friends.  
  
**Crobat**Brilliant Diamond: Having four wings enables it to fly faster and more quietly. It turns active when the night comes.  
Shining Pearl: This Pokémon gained vastly enhanced flying capabilities after its legs became wings.  
  
**Chinchou**It discharges positive and negative electricity from the tips of its antennae to shock its foes.  
  
**Lanturn**Lanturn’s light can shine up from great depths. It is nicknamed the Deep-Sea Star.  
  
**Pichu**Brilliant Diamond: The electric sacs on its cheeks are still small. They cannot store much electricity yet.  
Shining Pearl: It plays with others by touching tails and setting off sparks. This appears to be a test of courage.  
  
**Cleffa**Brilliant Diamond: Its silhouette is like a star. It is believed to arrive riding on shooting stars.  
Shining Pearl: Many appear when the night skies are filled with shooting stars. They disappear with sunrise.  
  
**Igglybuff**It has a soft and bouncy body. Once it starts bouncing, it becomes impossible to stop.  
  
**Togepi**Its shell is said to be stuffed with happiness that it shares with kindhearted people.  
  
**Togetic**It is said to appear in front of kindly people to scatter a glowing down called joy dust.  
  
**Natu**It picks food from cactus plants, deftly avoiding buds and spines. It seems to skip about to move.  
  
**Xatu**This odd Pokémon can see both the past and the future. It eyes the sun’s movement all day.  
  
**Mareep**Its fluffy coat doubles in size when static electricity builds up. Touching it can be shocking.  
  
**Flaaffy**If its coat becomes fully charged with electricity, its tail lights up. Flaaffy can fire hair that zaps on impact.  
  
**Ampharos**The tip of its tail shines brightly. In the olden days, people sent signals using the light from this Pokémon’s tail.  
  
**Bellossom**When the heavy rainfall season ends, it is drawn out by warm sunlight to dance in the open.  
  
**Marill**Brilliant Diamond: Using its tail as a float, it dives underwater. It likes eating plants that grow in riverbeds.  
Shining Pearl: The tip of its tail is filled with oil that is lighter than water, so it acts as a float.  
  
**Azumarill**Brilliant Diamond: It lives in rivers and lakes. In water, its coloring and patterns trick the vision of foes.  
Shining Pearl: Its long ears are superb sensors. It can distinguish the movements of living things on riverbeds.  
  
**Sudowoodo**Brilliant Diamond: Though it looks like a tree, its body is actually more like rock or stone. The Pokémon is very weak to water.  
Shining Pearl: It stands along paths pretending to be a tree. If it starts raining, it seems to disappear.  
  
**Politoed**A group of Poliwag and Poliwhirl will form with a Politoed as the leader. Politoed’s cries make the Pokémon of the group obey.  
  
**Hoppip**They are blown adrift by winds. It is said that when Hoppip gather in fields and mountains, spring is on the way.  
  
**Skiploom**It blooms when the weather warms. It floats in the sky to soak up as much sunlight as possible.  
  
**Jumpluff**Blown by seasonal winds, it circles the globe, scattering cotton spores as it goes.  
  
**Aipom**Brilliant Diamond: It uses its tail to pluck fruits that are out of reach. Its tail is more adept than its real hands.  
Shining Pearl: It lives atop giant trees. It wraps its tail around a branch so it won’t fall off while asleep.  
  
**Sunkern**They may suddenly fall out of the sky in the morning. In the year following a cold summer, their population explodes.  
  
**Sunflora**It gets energy from warm sunlight and is known for its habit of moving in pursuit of it.  
  
**Yanma**Its eyes can see 360 degrees without the Pokémon moving its head. It won’t miss prey— even those behind it.  
  
**Wooper**Brilliant Diamond: It lives in cold water, half burying itself in mud at the bottom to sleep.  
Shining Pearl: When the temperature cools in the evening, they emerge from water to seek food along the shore.  
  
**Quagsire**Brilliant Diamond: It has a sluggish nature. It lies at the river’s bottom, waiting for prey to stray into its mouth.  
Shining Pearl: A dim-witted Pokémon. It doesn’t care if it bumps its head into boats or rocks while swimming.  
  
**Espeon**Its fur has the look and feel of velvet. The orb on its forehead glows when it uses psychic power.  
  
**Umbreon**The light of the moon changed Eevee’s genetic structure. It lurks in the darkness, waiting for prey.  
  
**Murkrow**Brilliant Diamond: It is believed that seeing this Pokémon at night will bring about ominous occurrences.  
Shining Pearl: It appears near travelers to lure them into deep forests. It is said to bring misfortune.  
  
**Slowking**Being bitten by Shellder gave it intelligence comparable to that of internationally recognized scientists.  
  
**Misdreavus**Brilliant Diamond: It loves to sneak up on people late at night and startle them with its shrieking cry.  
Shining Pearl: It gets nourishment from fear that it absorbs into its red orbs. During the daytime, it sleeps in the shadows.  
  
**Unown**Brilliant Diamond: Because the Pokémon is shaped like ancient writing, it is a huge mystery whether written language or Unown came first.  
Shining Pearl: They seem to communicate among each other telepathically. They are always found stuck on walls.  
  
**Wobbuffet**It desperately tries to keep its black tail hidden. This behavior is said to be proof that its tail hides a secret.  
  
**Girafarig**Brilliant Diamond: Its tail has a separate small brain. The tail bites to repel any foe trying to sneak up on the Pokémon from behind.  
Shining Pearl: While it sleeps, the head on its tail keeps watch. The tail doesn’t need to sleep.  
  
**Pineco**It looks just like a pinecone. Its shell protects it from bird Pokémon that peck it by mistake.  
  
**Forretress**It is encased in a steel shell. Forretress’s eyes peer out, but what lies within this Pokémon’s shell is unknown.  
  
**Dunsparce**It digs into the ground with its tail and makes a mazelike nest. It can fly just a little.  
  
**Gligar**It sails on the winds with its limbs extended to strike from the sky. It aims for the prey’s face.  
  
**Steelix**Brilliant Diamond: Tempered underground under high pressure and heat, its body is harder than any metal.  
Shining Pearl: It chews its way through boulders with its sturdy jaws. Its eyes can see in the darkness underground.  
  
**Snubbull**Small Pokémon flee from its scary face. It is, however, considered by many people to be cute.  
  
**Granbull**It is timid in spite of its looks. If it becomes enraged, however, it will strike with its huge fangs.  
  
**Qwilfish**It shoots the poison spikes on its body in all directions. Its round form makes it a poor swimmer.  
  
**Scizor**It has a steel-hard body. It intimidates foes by upraising its eye-patterned pincers.  
  
**Shuckle**It stores berries in its shell. The berries mix with its body fluids to become delicious juices.  
  
**Heracross**Brilliant Diamond: It gathers in forests to search for tree sap, its favorite food. It’s strong enough to hurl foes.  
Shining Pearl: Its powerful legs and claws give it enough power to hurl foes over great distances.  
  
**Sneasel**Brilliant Diamond: It feeds on eggs stolen from nests. Its sharply hooked claws rip vulnerable spots on prey.  
Shining Pearl: It is extremely vicious and will not stop attacking until its foe is incapable of moving.  
  
**Teddiursa**It lets honey soak into its paws so it can lick them all the time. Every set of paws tastes unique.  
  
**Ursaring**In its territory, it leaves scratches on trees that bear delicious berries or fruits.  
  
**Slugma**Its body is made of magma. If it doesn’t keep moving, its body will cool and harden.  
  
**Magcargo**Its body temperature is roughly 18,000 degrees Fahrenheit. Flames burst from gaps in its shell made of hardened magma.  
  
**Swinub**It loves eating mushrooms that grow under dead grass. It also finds hot springs while foraging.  
  
**Piloswine**Its shaggy coat makes it unable to see. It checks surroundings with its sensitive nose instead.  
  
**Corsola**Many live in the clean seas of the south. They apparently can’t live in polluted waters.  
  
**Remoraid**Brilliant Diamond: It squirts water forcefully from its mouth to shoot down flying prey.  
Shining Pearl: It clings to Mantine to feed on the big Pokémon’s scraps. This is an adaptation to avoid foes.  
  
**Octillery**Brilliant Diamond: It lives in the gaps of boulders and in holes on the seafloor. Its suction cups grip prey tightly.  
Shining Pearl: It obscures its foe’s vision by spitting a cloud of black ink. It makes its nest among boulders.  
  
**Delibird**It carries food rolled up in its tail. It has a habit of sharing food with people lost in the mountains.  
  
**Mantine**Brilliant Diamond: When the waves are calm, one may encounter a swarm of Mantine swimming as if they are in flight.  
Shining Pearl: It swims elegantly, mindless of Remoraid hitching onto its broad fins. It is naturally docile.  
  
**Skarmory**Skarmory is clad entirely in ironhard armor. It flies at speeds over 180 mph.  
  
**Houndour**It conveys its feelings using different cries. It works in a pack to cleverly take down prey.  
  
**Houndoom**Long ago, people imagined its eerie howls to be the call of the grim reaper.  
  
**Kingdra**It lives in caves on the seafloor and creates giant whirlpools every time it moves.  
  
**Phanpy**It is strong despite its compact size. It can easily pick up and carry an adult human on its back.  
  
**Donphan**It attacks by curling up and rolling into its foe. It can blow apart a house in one hit.  
  
**Porygon2**With planetary development software installed, it became capable of working in space.  
  
**Stantler**Staring at its antlers creates an odd sensation as if one were being drawn into their centers.  
  
**Smeargle**It marks its territory by using its tail like a paintbrush. There are more than 5,000 different marks.  
  
**Tyrogue**It is famous for its eagerness to fight and always nurses injuries from challenging larger foes.  
  
**Hitmontop**It fights while spinning like a top. The centrifugal force boosts its destructive power by a factor of 10.  
  
**Smoochum**It tests everything by touching with its lips, which remember what it likes and dislikes.  
  
**Elekid**It generates electricity by whirling its arms. However, it can’t store the energy it makes.  
  
**Magby**Its body temperature is around 1,100 degrees Fahrenheit. It is healthy if it is exhaling yellow flames.  
  
**Miltank**It is said that kids who drink Miltank’s milk grow up to become hearty, healthy adults.  
  
**Blissey**Brilliant Diamond: This kindhearted Pokémon nurses sick Pokémon to health. It senses feelings of sadness.  
Shining Pearl: It is a Pokémon that delivers happiness. Eating its egg is said to make one kind to everyone.  
  
**Raikou**It is said to have fallen with lightning. It can fire thunderbolts from the rain clouds on its back.  
  
**Entei**It is said that when it roars, a volcano erupts somewhere around the globe.  
  
**Suicune**It races around the world to purify fouled water. It dashes away with the north wind.  
  
**Larvitar**This Pokémon eats soil. Once it has eaten a large mountain, it goes to sleep so it can grow.  
  
**Pupitar**Its body is as hard as bedrock. By venting pressurized gas, it can launch itself like a rocket.  
  
**Tyranitar**If it rampages, it knocks down mountains and buries rivers. Maps must be redrawn afterward.  
  
**Lugia**It sleeps in a deep-sea trench. If it flaps its wings, it is said to cause a 40-day storm.  
  
**Ho-Oh**Its feathers are in seven colors. It is said that anyone seeing it is promised eternal happiness.  
  
**Celebi**It has the power to travel across time, but it is said to appear only in peaceful times.  
  
**Treecko**The soles of its feet are covered by countless tiny hooks, enabling it to walk on walls and ceilings.  
  
**Grovyle**It lives in dense jungles. While closing in on its prey, it leaps from branch to branch.  
  
**Sceptile**The leaves that grow on its arms can slice down thick trees. It is without peer in jungle combat.  
  
**Torchic**A fire burns inside it, so it feels very warm to hug. It launches fireballs of 1,800 degrees Fahrenheit.  
  
**Combusken**Its kicking mastery lets it loose 10 kicks per second. It emits sharp cries to intimidate foes.  
  
**Blaziken**Flames spout from its wrists, enveloping its knuckles. Its punches scorch its foes.  
  
**Mudkip**Using the fin on its head, Mudkip senses the flow of water to keep track of what’s going on around it. Mudkip has the strength to heft boulders.  
  
**Marshtomp**Its sturdy legs give it sure footing, even in mud. It burrows into dirt to sleep.  
  
**Swampert**It can swim while towing a large ship. It bashes down foes with a swing of its thick arms.  
  
**Poochyena**A Pokémon with a persistent nature, it chases its chosen prey until the prey becomes exhausted.  
  
**Mightyena**It chases down prey in a pack. It will never disobey the commands of a skilled Trainer.  
  
**Zigzagoon**It walks in zigzag fashion. It’s good at finding items in the grass and even in the ground.  
  
**Linoone**It charges prey at speeds over 60 mph. However, because it can only run straight, it often fails.  
  
**Wurmple**Brilliant Diamond: It loves to eat leaves. If it is attacked by a Starly, it will defend itself with its spiked rear.  
Shining Pearl: It spits a white silk thread that turns sticky when coming into contact with air. The silk is used to immobilize foes.  
  
**Silcoon**Brilliant Diamond: It anchors itself by wrapping twigs with the silk from its body. It motionlessly awaits evolution.  
Shining Pearl: It drinks dew that collects on its silk while it waits for evolution. Its hard cocoon repels attacks.  
  
**Beautifly**Brilliant Diamond: It has an aggressive nature. It stabs prey with its long, narrow mouth to drain the prey’s fluids.  
Shining Pearl: When flower fields bloom, it flits around, collecting pollen. Despite its appearance, it is savage.  
  
**Cascoon**Brilliant Diamond: It is hot inside its cocoon. All the cells in its body create the energy for it to evolve.  
Shining Pearl: Encased within its tough cocoon, it endures attacks. It never forgets the appearance of its foes.  
  
**Dustox**Brilliant Diamond: Dustox are nocturnal Pokémon. Drawn by streetlights, they messily eat the leaves of trees lining boulevards.  
Shining Pearl: It violently flutters its wings to scatter toxic dust when attacked. It becomes active after sunset.  
  
**Lotad**It looks like an aquatic plant and serves as a ferry for Pokémon that can’t swim.  
  
**Lombre**It has a mischievous spirit. If it spots an angler, it will tug on the fishing line to interfere.  
  
**Ludicolo**If it hears festive music, all its muscles fill with energy. It can’t help breaking out into a dance.  
  
**Seedot**When it dangles from a tree branch, it looks just like an acorn. It enjoys scaring other Pokémon that try to peck at it.  
  
**Nuzleaf**The sound of its grass flute makes its listeners uneasy. It lives deep in the forest.  
  
**Shiftry**By flapping its leafy fans, it can whip up gusts of 100 feet per second that can level houses.  
  
**Taillow**It has a gutsy spirit that makes it bravely take on tough foes. It flies in search of warm climates.  
  
**Swellow**It circles the sky in search of prey and dives sharply to catch its target.  
  
**Wingull**Brilliant Diamond: It makes its nest on steep sea cliffs. Riding updrafts, it soars to great heights.  
Shining Pearl: Catching sea winds with its long wings, it soars as if it were a glider. It folds its wings to rest.  
  
**Pelipper**Brilliant Diamond: It dips its large bill in the sea, then scoops up numerous prey along with water.  
Shining Pearl: It acts as a delivery service by carrying small Pokémon in its bill. It bobs on the waves to rest.  
  
**Ralts**It uses the horns on its head to sense human emotions. It is said to appear in front of cheerful people.  
  
**Kirlia**It is highly perceptive of its Trainer’s feelings. It dances when it is feeling happy.  
  
**Gardevoir**It will try to guard its trusted Trainer with its life. It has the ability to see the future.  
  
**Surskit**It appears as if it is skating on water. It draws prey in with a sweet scent released from the tip of its head.  
  
**Masquerain**Its antennae have eye patterns on them. Its four wings enable it to hover and fly in any direction.  
  
**Shroomish**It spouts poison spores from the top of its head. These spores cause pain all over the body if inhaled.  
  
**Breloom**Its short arms stretch when it throws punches. Its technique is equal to that of pro boxers.  
  
**Slakoth**It spends nearly all its time in a day sprawled out. Just seeing it makes one drowsy.  
  
**Vigoroth**Its heart beats at 10 times its previous rate, so it cannot sit still for even a moment.  
  
**Slaking**It is the world’s laziest Pokémon. When it is lounging, it is actually saving energy for striking back.  
  
**Nincada**It grows underground, sensing its surroundings using antennae instead of its virtually blind eyes.  
  
**Ninjask**Because they move so quickly, they sometimes become unseeable. They congregate around tree sap.  
  
**Shedinja**It is a discarded bug shell that came to life. Peering into the crack on its back is said to steal one’s spirit.  
  
**Whismur**Usually, its cries are like quiet murmurs. If frightened, it shrieks at the same volume as a jet plane.  
  
**Loudred**The shock waves from its cries can tip over trucks. It stamps its feet to power up.  
  
**Exploud**Its howls can be heard over six miles away. It emits all sorts of noises from the ports on its body.  
  
**Makuhita**It toughens its body by slamming into thick trees. Many snapped trees can be found near its nest.  
  
**Hariyama**It loves to match power with big-bodied Pokémon. It can send a truck flying with its arm thrusts.  
  
**Azurill**Brilliant Diamond: It’s a Pokémon that lives by water. It moves quickly on land by bouncing on its big tail.  
Shining Pearl: Its tail is filled with nutrients necessary for growth. It plays by bouncing on its tail.  
  
**Nosepass**Its nose is a magnet. As a result, this Pokémon always keeps its face pointing north.  
  
**Skitty**It can’t stop itself from chasing moving things, and it runs in circles, chasing its own tail.  
  
**Delcatty**It is highly popular among Trainers for its sublime fur. It does not keep a nest.  
  
**Sableye**It hides in the darkness of caves. Its diet of gems has transformed its eyes into gemstones.  
  
**Mawile**Attached to its head is a huge set of jaws formed by horns. It can chew through iron beams.  
  
**Aron**It usually lives deep in mountains. But when it’s hungry, it shows up at the foot of the mountains and eats railroad tracks and cars.  
  
**Lairon**For food, it digs up iron ore. It smashes its steely body against others to fight over territory.  
  
**Aggron**While seeking iron for food, it digs tunnels by breaking through bedrock with its steel horns.  
  
**Meditite**Brilliant Diamond: It meditates in order to build up its mental energy. It’s said to eat just one Berry a day.  
Shining Pearl: It never misses its daily yoga workouts, and it heightens its spiritual power through meditation.  
  
**Medicham**Brilliant Diamond: Through yoga training, it has honed its sixth sense. Its movements are elegant.  
Shining Pearl: Through daily meditation, it hones its spiritual power. It can sense what others are thinking.  
  
**Electrike**Using electricity stored in its fur, it stimulates its muscles to heighten its reaction speed.  
  
**Manectric**It discharges electricity from its mane. The Pokémon creates a thundercloud overhead from which to drop lightning bolts.  
  
**Plusle**It cheers on friends with pom-poms made of sparks. It drains power from telephone poles.  
  
**Minun**It cheers on friends. If its friends are losing, its body lets off more and more sparks.  
  
**Volbeat**It communicates with others by lighting up its rear at night. It loves Illumise’s sweet aroma.  
  
**Illumise**With its sweet aroma, it guides Volbeat to draw signs with light in the night sky.  
  
**Roselia**Brilliant Diamond: Roselia raised on clean drinking water are known to grow vividly colored flowers.  
Shining Pearl: The beautiful flowers on its arms have toxic thorns. Don’t even think about picking those flowers.  
  
**Gulpin**Almost all its body is its stomach. Its harsh digestive juices quickly dissolve anything it swallows.  
  
**Swalot**It swallows anything whole. It sweats toxic fluids from its follicles to douse foes.  
  
**Carvanha**They swarm any foe that invades their territory. Their sharp fangs can tear out boat hulls.  
  
**Sharpedo**Its fangs rip through sheet iron. It swims at 75 mph and is known as the Bully of the Sea.  
  
**Wailmer**On sunny days, it lands on beaches to bounce like a ball and play. It spouts water from its nostrils.  
  
**Wailord**It’s the biggest of all Pokémon. It can dive to a depth of almost 10,000 feet on only one breath.  
  
**Numel**Its humped back stores intensely hot magma. In rain, the magma cools, slowing Numel down.  
  
**Camerupt**It has volcanoes on its back. If magma builds up in its body, it shudders, then erupts violently.  
  
**Torkoal**It burns coal inside its shell for energy. It blows out black soot if it is in a tough situation.  
  
**Spoink**It bounces constantly, using its tail like a spring. The shock of bouncing keeps its heart beating.  
  
**Grumpig**It uses black pearls to amplify its psychic power. It does an odd dance to gain control over foes.  
  
**Spinda**No two Spinda have the same pattern of spots. Their tottering steps hinder the aim of foes.  
  
**Trapinch**It makes a conical pit in desert sand and lies in wait at the bottom for prey to come tumbling down.  
  
**Vibrava**It violently shudders its wings, generating ultrasonic waves to induce headaches in people.  
  
**Flygon**It whips up sandstorms with powerful flaps of its wings. It is known as the Desert Spirit.  
  
**Cacnea**By storing water in its body, this desert dweller can survive for 30 days without water.  
  
**Cacturne**It becomes active at night, seeking prey that is exhausted from the day’s desert heat.  
  
**Swablu**Its wings are like cotton tufts. If it perches on someone’s head, it looks like a cotton hat.  
  
**Altaria**It looks like a fluffy cloud when it is in flight. It hums with its soprano voice.  
  
**Zangoose**It has feuded with Seviper for many generations. Its sharp claws are its greatest weapons.  
  
**Seviper**For many generations, it has feuded with Zangoose. It whets its bladed tail on rocks for battle.  
  
**Lunatone**It becomes active on nights with a full moon, so it is said to have some link to the lunar phases.  
  
**Solrock**This new Pokémon species is rumored to be an avatar of the sun. The Pokémon gives off light while spinning.  
  
**Barboach**Brilliant Diamond: It coats its entire body with a slimy fluid so it can squirm and slip away if grabbed.  
Shining Pearl: Its whiskers make a superb radar. They are used to locate prey, even in the murkiest of water.  
  
**Whiscash**Brilliant Diamond: It is very territorial. It repels foes by setting off tremors that extend over a three-mile radius.  
Shining Pearl: As a result of causing tremors by thrashing about, it developed the ability to foretell real quakes.  
  
**Corphish**Its hardy vitality enables it to adapt to any environment. Its pincers will never release prey.  
  
**Crawdaunt**It is a ruffian that uses its pincers to pick up and toss out other Pokémon from its pond.  
  
**Baltoy**It moves by spinning on its foot. It is a rare Pokémon that was discovered in ancient ruins.  
  
**Claydol**An ancient clay figurine was exposed to a mysterious ray of light, and it came to life as a Pokémon.  
  
**Lileep**It lived on the seafloor 100 million years ago and was reanimated scientifically.  
  
**Cradily**It lives in the shallows of warm seas. When the tide goes out, it digs up prey from beaches.  
  
**Anorith**This Pokémon ancestor was reanimated from a fossil. It lived in the sea and hunted with its claws.  
  
**Armaldo**It went ashore after evolving. Its entire body is clad in a sturdy armor.  
  
**Feebas**Brilliant Diamond: They are famous for their shabby appearance. Although populous, they tend to cluster in set locations.  
Shining Pearl: It eats anything, so it can even live in polluted streams and lakes. No one pays any attention to it.  
  
**Milotic**Brilliant Diamond: When people bicker, it is said to arise from the depths of lakes to becalm violent hearts.  
Shining Pearl: It is the world’s most beautiful Pokémon. There are many works of art featuring Milotic.  
  
**Castform**Its appearance changes with the weather. Recently, its molecules were found to be just like water.  
  
**Kecleon**It can freely change its body’s color. The zigzag pattern on its belly doesn’t change, however.  
  
**Shuppet**They love vengeful emotions and hang in rows under the eaves of houses where vengeful people live.  
  
**Banette**A doll bore a grudge over being junked, and it became a Pokémon. It seeks the child that disowned it.  
  
**Duskull**It doggedly pursues its prey wherever the prey goes. However, the chase is abandoned at sunrise.  
  
**Dusclops**Its body is hollow. It is said that those who look into its body are sucked into the void.  
  
**Tropius**Because it continually ate only its favorite fruit, the fruit started growing around its neck.  
  
**Chimecho**Brilliant Diamond: To knock foes flying, it makes the air shudder with its cries. It converses using seven cries.  
Shining Pearl: Chimecho emits ultrasonic cries. It floats on the wind to travel great distances.  
  
**Absol**It senses coming disasters and appears before people only to warn them of impending danger.  
  
**Wynaut**They grow strong by pushing up against one another en masse. They love eating sweet fruit.  
  
**Snorunt**In some snowy lands, certain folklore says a house will prosper if a Snorunt lives there.  
  
**Glalie**To protect itself, it clad its body in an armor of ice, made by freezing moisture in the air.  
  
**Spheal**It rolls across ice floes to reach shore because its body is poorly shaped for swimming.  
  
**Sealeo**It habitually spins things on its nose. By doing so, it learns textures and odors.  
  
**Walrein**It shatters ice with its big tusks. Its thick blubber repels not only the cold but also enemy attacks.  
  
**Clamperl**It makes a single pearl during its lifetime. The pearl is said to amplify psychic power.  
  
**Huntail**It lives deep in the sea. With a tail shaped like a small fish, it attracts unsuspecting prey.  
  
**Gorebyss**It lives at the bottom of the sea. In the springtime, its pink body turns more vivid for some reason.  
  
**Relicanth**This rare Pokémon was discovered during a deep-sea exploration. It has not changed in over 100 million years.  
  
**Luvdisc**It lives in warm seas. It is said that couples who find this Pokémon will be blessed with eternal love.  
  
**Bagon**Dreaming of one day flying, it practices by leaping off cliffs every day.  
  
**Shelgon**Within its rugged shell, its cells have begun changing. The shell peels off the instant the Pokémon evolves.  
  
**Salamence**As a result of its long-held dream of flying, its cellular structure changed, and wings grew out.  
  
**Beldum**They converse with one another by using magnetic pulses. In a swarm, they move in perfect unison.  
  
**Metang**It is formed by two Beldum joining together. Its steel body won’t be scratched if it collides with a jet.  
  
**Metagross**Metang combined to form it. With four brains, it has the intelligence of a supercomputer.  
  
**Regirock**Its entire body is made of rock. If any part chips off in battle, Regirock attaches rocks to repair itself.  
  
**Regice**Its body is made of ice from the ice age. It controls frigid air of −328 degrees Fahrenheit.  
  
**Registeel**Tempered by pressure underground over tens of thousands of years, its body cannot be scratched.  
  
**Latias**Its body is covered with a down that can refract light in such a way that it becomes invisible.  
  
**Latios**It is a highly intelligent Pokémon. By folding back its forelegs in flight, it can overtake jet planes.  
  
**Kyogre**It is said to have widened the seas by causing downpours. It had been asleep in a marine trench.  
  
**Groudon**It had been asleep in underground magma ever since it fiercely fought Kyogre long ago.  
  
**Rayquaza**It lives in the ozone layer far above the clouds and cannot be seen from the ground.  
  
**Jirachi**It is said to wake up for just seven days every 1,000 years and use its power to grant any wish.  
  
**Deoxys**An alien virus that fell to earth on a meteorite underwent a DNA mutation to become this Pokémon.  
  
**Turtwig**Brilliant Diamond: Made from soil, the shell on its back hardens when it drinks water. It lives along lakes.  
Shining Pearl: It undertakes photosynthesis within its body, making oxygen. The leaf on its head wilts if the Pokémon is thirsty.  
  
**Grotle**Brilliant Diamond: It lives along water in forests. In the daytime, it leaves the forest to sunbathe the trees on its shell.  
Shining Pearl: Its shell is hardened soil. Some Pokémon come to peck the berries growing on the trees on its back.  
  
**Torterra**Brilliant Diamond: Small Pokémon occasionally gather on its unmoving back to begin building their nests.  
Shining Pearl: Groups of this Pokémon migrating in search of water have been mistaken for moving forests.  
  
**Chimchar**Brilliant Diamond: It agilely scales sheer cliffs to live atop craggy mountains. Its fire is put out when it sleeps.  
Shining Pearl: Its fiery rear end is fueled by gas made in its belly. Even rain can’t extinguish the fire.  
  
**Monferno**Brilliant Diamond: To intimidate attackers, it expands the fire on its tail to make itself appear bigger.  
Shining Pearl: It uses ceilings and walls to launch aerial attacks. Its fiery tail is but one of its weapons.  
  
**Infernape**Brilliant Diamond: It uses a special kind of martial arts involving all its limbs. Its fire never goes out.  
Shining Pearl: Its crown of fire is indicative of its fiery nature. It is beaten by none in terms of quickness.  
  
**Piplup**Brilliant Diamond: Because it is very proud, it hates accepting food from people. Its thick down guards it from cold.  
Shining Pearl: It lives along the shore in northern countries. A skilled swimmer, it dives for over 10 minutes while hunting.  
  
**Prinplup**Brilliant Diamond: It lives alone, away from others. Apparently, every one of them believes it is the most important.  
Shining Pearl: Its wings deliver wicked blows that snap even the thickest of trees. It searches for prey in icy seas.  
  
**Empoleon**Brilliant Diamond: The three horns that extend from its beak attest to its power. The leader has the biggest horns.  
Shining Pearl: It swims as fast as a jet boat. The edges of its wings are sharp and can slice apart drifting ice.  
  
**Starly**Brilliant Diamond: They flock in great numbers. Though small, they flap their wings with great power.  
Shining Pearl: Usually with a large flock, it is barely noticeable when alone. Its cries are very strident.  
  
**Staravia**Brilliant Diamond: They fly around forests and fields in search of bug Pokémon, moving together in huge flocks.  
Shining Pearl: They live in forests and fields. Squabbles over territory occur when flocks collide.  
  
**Staraptor**Brilliant Diamond: It has a savage nature. It will courageously challenge foes that are much larger than itself.  
Shining Pearl: The muscles in its wings and legs are strong. It can easily fly while gripping a small Pokémon.  
  
**Bidoof**Brilliant Diamond: With nerves of steel, nothing can perturb it. It is more agile and active than it appears.  
Shining Pearl: It constantly gnaws on logs and rocks to whittle down its front teeth. It nests alongside water.  
  
**Bibarel**Brilliant Diamond: It makes its nest by damming streams with bark and mud. It is known as an industrious worker.  
Shining Pearl: While its movements out of water are sluggish, it can swim as fast as any Feebas.  
  
**Kricketot**Brilliant Diamond: It shakes its head back to front, causing its antennae to hit each other and sound like a xylophone.  
Shining Pearl: It chats with others using the sounds of its colliding antennae. These sounds are the hallmarks of fall evenings.  
  
**Kricketune**Brilliant Diamond: It crosses its knifelike arms in front of its chest when it cries. It can compose melodies ad lib.  
Shining Pearl: It signals its emotions with its melodies. Scientists are studying these melodic patterns.  
  
**Shinx**Brilliant Diamond: All of its fur dazzles if danger is sensed. It flees while the foe is momentarily blinded.  
Shining Pearl: Its forelegs have a muscle-based system of generating electricity. Its body shines when it is in danger.  
  
**Luxio**Brilliant Diamond: Its claws loose electricity with enough amperage to cause opponents to faint. It lives in small groups.  
Shining Pearl: It rests its forelegs on others to communicate with rhythmic electric pulses from its claws.  
  
**Luxray**Brilliant Diamond: It has eyes that can see through anything. It spots and captures prey hiding behind objects.  
Shining Pearl: When its eyes gleam gold, it can spot hiding prey—even those taking shelter behind a wall.  
  
**Budew**Brilliant Diamond: Over the winter, it closes its bud and endures the cold. In spring, the bud opens and releases pollen.  
Shining Pearl: It lives alongside clear ponds. It scatters pollen that induces harsh sneezing and runny noses.  
  
**Roserade**Brilliant Diamond: It attracts prey with a sweet aroma, then downs it with thorny whips hidden in its arms.  
Shining Pearl: With the movements of a dancer, it strikes with whips that are densely lined with poison thorns.  
  
**Cranidos**Brilliant Diamond: It lived in jungles around 100 million years ago. Its skull is as hard as iron.  
Shining Pearl: It was resurrected from an iron-ball-like fossil. It downs prey with its headbutts.  
  
**Rampardos**Brilliant Diamond: Its powerful headbutt has enough force to shatter even the most durable things upon impact.  
Shining Pearl: Its skull is as hard as iron. It is a brute that tears down jungle trees while catching prey.  
  
**Shieldon**Brilliant Diamond: A Pokémon that lived in jungles around 100 million years ago. Its facial hide is extremely hard.  
Shining Pearl: It habitually polishes its face by rubbing it against tree trunks. It is weak to attacks from behind.  
  
**Bastiodon**Brilliant Diamond: Any frontal attack is repulsed. It is a docile Pokémon that feeds on grass and berries.  
Shining Pearl: When attacked, they form a wall with their shield-like faces to protect their young.  
  
**Burmy**Brilliant Diamond: To shelter itself from cold, wintry winds, it covers itself with a cloak made of twigs and leaves.  
Shining Pearl: If its cloak is broken in battle, it quickly remakes the cloak with materials nearby.  
  
**Wormadam**Brilliant Diamond: When Burmy evolves, its cloak becomes a part of its body. Wormadam’s cloak is never shed.  
Shining Pearl: Its appearance changes depending on where it evolved. The materials on hand become a part of its body.  
  
**Mothim**Brilliant Diamond: It loves the nectar of flowers and steals nectar collected by Combee.  
Shining Pearl: It does not keep a nest. It flies over fields and mountains in constant search of its much-beloved nectar.  
  
**Combee**Brilliant Diamond: Three Pokémon joined to become one. It busily carries sweet nectar to Vespiquen.  
Shining Pearl: They collect and deliver honey to their colony. At night, they cluster to form a beehive and sleep.  
  
**Vespiquen**Brilliant Diamond: Its abdomen is a honeycomb for grubs. It raises its grubs on nectar collected by Combee.  
Shining Pearl: When it is in danger, grubs from its six-cell honeycomb strike back. There is only one in a colony.  
  
**Pachirisu**Brilliant Diamond: It stores its own fur balls that crackle with static electricity together with its favorite berries in tree hollows.  
Shining Pearl: It makes electricity with pouches in its cheeks and shoots charges from its tail. It lives atop trees.  
  
**Buizel**Brilliant Diamond: When air fills the flotation sac on its neck, the sac balloons like an inner tube. This Pokémon floats with its head out of the water.  
Shining Pearl: It swims by rotating its two tails like a screw. When it dives, its flotation sac collapses.  
  
**Floatzel**Brilliant Diamond: It floats using its well-developed flotation sac. It assists in the rescues of drowning people.  
Shining Pearl: Its flotation sac developed as a result of pursuing aquatic prey. Floatzel carries people as if it were a rubber raft.  
  
**Cherubi**Brilliant Diamond: The small ball holds the nutrients needed for evolution. Apparently, it is very sweet and tasty.  
Shining Pearl: Sunlight colors it red. When the small ball is drained of nutrients and shriveled, evolution is near.  
  
**Cherrim**Brilliant Diamond: It blooms during times of strong sunlight. The Pokémon tries to make up for everything it endured as a bud.  
Shining Pearl: It is docile as a bud and turns cheerful when it blooms. It folds back into a bud if sunlight wanes.  
  
**Shellos**Brilliant Diamond: Its colors and shapes differ from region to region. In the Sinnoh region, two types are confirmed.  
Shining Pearl: It lives along bodies of water. Its body shape changed to suit its habitat.  
  
**Gastrodon**Brilliant Diamond: It has a pliable body without any bones. If any part of its body is torn off, it grows right back.  
Shining Pearl: It apparently had a huge shell for protection in ancient times. It lives in shallow tidal pools.  
  
**Ambipom**Brilliant Diamond: To eat, it deftly shucks nuts with its two tails. It rarely uses its arms now.  
Shining Pearl: They work in large colonies and make rings by linking their tails, apparently in friendship.  
  
**Drifloon**Brilliant Diamond: It is a Pokémon formed by the spirits of people and Pokémon. It loves damp, humid seasons.  
Shining Pearl: It tugs on the hands of children to spirit them away. However, it gets pulled around instead.  
  
**Drifblim**Brilliant Diamond: They’re drowsy in daytime but fly off in the evening in big groups. No one knows where they go.  
Shining Pearl: It carries people and Pokémon when it flies. But since it only drifts, it can end up anywhere.  
  
**Buneary**Brilliant Diamond: It slams foes by sharply uncoiling its rolled ears. It stings enough to make a grown-up cry in pain.  
Shining Pearl: When it senses danger, it perks up its ears. On cold nights, it sleeps with its head tucked into its fur.  
  
**Lopunny**Brilliant Diamond: An extremely cautious Pokémon that cloaks its body with its fluffy ear fur when it senses danger.  
Shining Pearl: It likes to keep itself clean and never fails to groom its ears. It runs with sprightly jumps.  
  
**Mismagius**Brilliant Diamond: Its cries sound like incantations. Those who hear it are tormented by headaches and hallucinations.  
Shining Pearl: It chants incantations. While these incantations can torment targets, some bring happiness.  
  
**Honchkrow**Brilliant Diamond: Becoming active at night, it is known to form flocks with numerous Murkrow in tow.  
Shining Pearl: It makes its Murkrow cronies bring it food. It idles its time away, grooming itself in its nest.  
  
**Glameow**Brilliant Diamond: It claws if displeased and purrs when affectionate. Its fickleness is very popular among some.  
Shining Pearl: With its sharp glare, it puts foes in a mild hypnotic state. It is a very fickle Pokémon.  
  
**Purugly**Brilliant Diamond: It is a brazen brute that barges its way into another Pokémon’s nest and claims it as its own.  
Shining Pearl: To make itself appear intimidatingly beefy, it tightly cinches its waist with its split tail.  
  
**Chingling**Brilliant Diamond: It emits cries by agitating an orb at the back of its throat. It moves with flouncing hops.  
Shining Pearl: Each time it hops, it makes a ringing sound. It deafens foes by emitting high-frequency cries.  
  
**Stunky**Brilliant Diamond: It protects itself by spraying a noxious fluid from its rear. The stench lingers for 24 hours.  
Shining Pearl: It sprays a nose-curling, stinky fluid from its rear to repel attackers.  
  
**Skuntank**Brilliant Diamond: It sprays a vile-smelling fluid from the tip of its tail to attack. It can fire this spray more than 160 feet.  
Shining Pearl: It sprays a stinky fluid from its tail. The fluid smells worse the longer it is allowed to fester in its belly.  
  
**Bronzor**Brilliant Diamond: Implements shaped like Bronzor were discovered in ancient tombs. It is unknown whether they are related.  
Shining Pearl: X-ray photos were taken to check its body structure, but nothing was seen.  
  
**Bronzong**Brilliant Diamond: One caused a media storm when it was dug up at a construction site after a 2,000-year sleep.  
Shining Pearl: It can summon rain clouds. People long ago revered it as the bringer of plentiful harvests.  
  
**Bonsly**Brilliant Diamond: It looks as if it is always crying. It is actually adjusting its body’s fluid levels by eliminating excess.  
Shining Pearl: It prefers arid environments. It leaks water from its eyes to adjust its body’s fluid levels.  
  
**Mime Jr.**Brilliant Diamond: It habitually mimics foes. The mimicked foe is said to be unable to look away from Mime Jr.  
Shining Pearl: It likes places where people gather. It mimics foes to confuse them, then makes its getaway.  
  
**Happiny**Brilliant Diamond: It loves round, white things. It carries an egg-shaped rock in imitation of Chansey.  
Shining Pearl: It carries a round, egg-shaped rock in its belly pouch and gives the rock to its friends.  
  
**Chatot**Brilliant Diamond: They can learn and speak human words. If they gather, they all learn the same saying.  
Shining Pearl: It keeps rhythm by flicking its tail feathers like a metronome. It also imitates human speech.  
  
**Spiritomb**Brilliant Diamond: It is a Pokémon that was formed by 108 spirits. It is bound to a fissure in an odd keystone.  
Shining Pearl: It was bound to a fissure in an odd keystone as punishment for misdeeds 500 years ago.  
  
**Gible**Brilliant Diamond: It nests in small, horizontal holes in cave walls. It pounces to catch prey that stray too close.  
Shining Pearl: It once lived in the tropics. To avoid the cold, it lives in caves warmed by geothermal heat.  
  
**Gabite**Brilliant Diamond: There is a long-held belief that medicine made from its scales will heal incurable illnesses.  
Shining Pearl: It habitually digs up and hoards gems in its nest. Its loot is constantly targeted by thieves.  
  
**Garchomp**Brilliant Diamond: When it folds up its body and extends its wings, it looks like a jet plane. It flies at sonic speed.  
Shining Pearl: It flies at speeds equal to a jet fighter plane. It never allows its prey to escape.  
  
**Munchlax**Brilliant Diamond: It wolfs down its weight in food once a day, swallowing it whole with almost no chewing.  
Shining Pearl: It hides food under its long body hair. However, it forgets it has hidden the food.  
  
**Riolu**Brilliant Diamond: The aura that emanates from its body intensifies to alert others if it is afraid or sad.  
Shining Pearl: Its body is lithe yet powerful. It can crest three mountains and cross two canyons in one night.  
  
**Lucario**Brilliant Diamond: It has the ability to sense the auras of all things. It understands human speech.  
Shining Pearl: By sensing the aura emanating from others, it can read their thoughts and movements.  
  
**Hippopotas**Brilliant Diamond: It lives in arid places. Instead of perspiration, it expels grainy sand from its body.  
Shining Pearl: It enshrouds itself with sand to protect itself from germs. It does not enjoy getting wet.  
  
**Hippowdon**Brilliant Diamond: It blasts internally stored sand from ports on its body to create a towering twister for attack.  
Shining Pearl: Its huge mouth opens almost seven feet wide. It has enough power to completely crush a car.  
  
**Skorupi**Brilliant Diamond: It grips prey with its tail claws and injects poison. It tenaciously hangs on until the poison takes.  
Shining Pearl: It lives in arid lands. It buries itself in sand and lies in wait for unsuspecting prey.  
  
**Drapion**Brilliant Diamond: It has the power in its clawed arms to make scrap of a car. The tips of its claws release poison.  
Shining Pearl: Its body is encased in a sturdy shell. Its head rotates 180 degrees, eliminating blind spots.  
  
**Croagunk**Brilliant Diamond: Its cheeks hold poison sacs. It tries to catch foes off guard to jab them with toxic fingers.  
Shining Pearl: It inflates its poison sacs and makes a blubbering sound to intimidate foes.  
  
**Toxicroak**Brilliant Diamond: Its knuckle claws secrete a toxin so vile that even a scratch could prove fatal.  
Shining Pearl: The toxin made in its poison sac is pumped to the knuckle claws through tubes down its arms.  
  
**Carnivine**Brilliant Diamond: It attracts prey with its sweet-smelling saliva, then chomps down. It takes a whole day to eat its prey.  
Shining Pearl: Using its tentacles to hang from branches, it looks like a plant when it is not moving. It awaits prey with its mouth wide open.  
  
**Finneon**Brilliant Diamond: After long exposure to sunlight, the patterns on its tail fins shine vividly when darkness arrives.  
Shining Pearl: The way its two tail fins flutter while it swims has earned it the nickname Beautifly of the Sea.  
  
**Lumineon**Brilliant Diamond: It lives on the deep-sea floor. It attracts prey by flashing patterns on its four fins.  
Shining Pearl: To avoid detection by predators, it crawls along the seafloor using the two fins on its chest.  
  
**Mantyke**Brilliant Diamond: A friendly Pokémon that senses the subtle flows of seawater using its two antennae.  
Shining Pearl: Scientists discovered that the distinctive patterns on its back differ by region.  
  
**Snover**Brilliant Diamond: It lives on snowy mountains. Having had little contact with humans, it is boldly inquisitive.  
Shining Pearl: In the spring, it grows berries with the texture of frozen treats around its belly.  
  
**Abomasnow**Brilliant Diamond: It whips up blizzards in mountains that are always buried in snow. It is the abominable snowman.  
Shining Pearl: It blankets wide areas in snow by whipping up blizzards. It is also known as the Ice Monster.  
  
**Weavile**Brilliant Diamond: They live in cold regions, forming groups of four or five that hunt prey with impressive coordination.  
Shining Pearl: It sends signals to others of its kind by carving odd patterns on trees and ice.  
  
**Magnezone**It evolved from exposure to a special magnetic field. Its three units generate magnetism.  
  
**Lickilicky**It wraps things with its extensible tongue. Getting too close to it will leave you soaked with drool.  
  
**Rhyperior**It puts rocks in holes in its palms and uses its muscles to shoot them. On rare occasions, the Pokémon even shoots out Geodude.  
  
**Tangrowth**It ensnares prey by extending arms made of vines. Losing arms to predators does not trouble it.  
  
**Electivire**It pushes the tips of its two tails against the foe, then lets loose with over 20,000 volts of electricity.  
  
**Magmortar**It blasts fireballs of over 3,600 degrees Fahrenheit from the ends of its arms. It lives in volcanic craters.  
  
**Togekiss**It will never appear where there is strife. Sightings of this Pokémon have recently become rare.  
  
**Yanmega**By churning its wings, it creates shock waves that inflict critical internal injuries to foes.  
  
**Leafeon**Just like a plant, it uses photosynthesis. As a result, it is always enveloped in clear air.  
  
**Glaceon**As a defense mechanism, it can completely freeze its fur to make its hairs stand out like needles.  
  
**Gliscor**It observes prey while hanging inverted from branches. When the chance presents itself, Gliscor swoops!  
  
**Mamoswine**Its impressive tusks are made of ice. The ice age is over and the climate has warmed, so this Pokémon’s population has thinned.  
  
**Porygon-Z**Additional software was installed to make it an even better Pokémon. It began acting oddly, however.  
  
**Gallade**A master of courtesy and swordsmanship, it fights using the extending swords on its elbows.  
  
**Probopass**Its entire body exudes strong magnetism. Probopass controls three small units called Mini-Noses.  
  
**Dusknoir**The antenna on its head captures radio waves from the world of spirits that command it to take people there.  
  
**Froslass**It freezes foes with an icy breath that is nearly −60 degrees Fahrenheit. What seems to be its body is actually hollow.  
  
**Rotom**Its body is composed of plasma. It is known to infiltrate electronic devices and wreak havoc.  
  
**Uxie**Brilliant Diamond: Known as the Being of Knowledge, it is said that it can wipe out the memory of those who see its eyes.  
Shining Pearl: It is said that its emergence gave humans the intelligence to improve their quality of life.  
  
**Mesprit**Brilliant Diamond: It is known as the Being of Emotion. It taught humans the nobility of sorrow, pain, and joy.  
Shining Pearl: It sleeps at the bottom of a lake. Its spirit is said to leave its body to fly on the lake’s surface.  
  
**Azelf**Brilliant Diamond: It is known as the Being of Willpower. It sleeps at the bottom of a lake to keep the world in balance.  
Shining Pearl: It is thought that Uxie, Mesprit, and Azelf all came from the same egg.  
  
**Dialga**Brilliant Diamond: It has the power to control time. It appears in Sinnoh-region myths as an ancient deity.  
Shining Pearl: This Pokémon is spoken of in legend. It is said that time began moving when Dialga was born.  
  
**Palkia**Brilliant Diamond: It has the ability to distort space. It is described as a deity in Sinnoh-region mythology.  
Shining Pearl: It is said to live in a gap in the spatial dimension parallel to ours. Palkia appears in mythology.  
  
**Heatran**It dwells in volcanic caves. It digs in with its cross-shaped feet to crawl on ceilings and walls.  
  
**Regigigas**There is an enduring legend that states this Pokémon towed continents with ropes.  
  
**Giratina**A Pokémon that is said to live in a world on the reverse side of ours. It appears in an ancient cemetery.  
  
**Cresselia**When it flies, it releases shiny particles from its veil-like wings. It is said to represent the crescent moon.  
  
**Phione**A Pokémon that lives in warm seas. It inflates the flotation sac on its head to drift and search for food.  
  
**Manaphy**Brilliant Diamond: Born on a cold seafloor, it will swim great distances to return to its birthplace.  
Shining Pearl: Water makes up 80 percent of its body. This Pokémon is easily affected by its environment.  
  
**Darkrai**Brilliant Diamond: It can lull people to sleep and make them dream. It is active during nights of a new moon.  
Shining Pearl: Folklore has it that on moonless nights, this Pokémon will make people see horrific nightmares.  
  
**Shaymin**Brilliant Diamond: It lives in common flower patches but is rarely noticed. It is often mistaken for a flowering plant when curled up.  
Shining Pearl: It can dissolve toxins in the air to instantly transform ruined land into a lush field of flowers.  
  
**Arceus**Brilliant Diamond: It is described in mythology as the Pokémon that shaped the universe with its 1,000 arms.  
Shining Pearl: It is told in mythology that this Pokémon was the first Pokémon born before the universe even existed.