

The World of Animals

BEFORE WE START, LET'S CHECK

What you already know

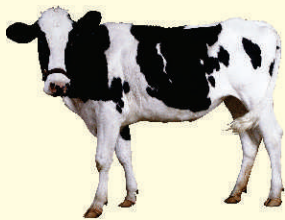
Match the names of these animals with their pictures.



dog



cow



cat



horse

What you will know

Do animals have different shapes?



What are the different kinds of animals?



Where do animals live?



There are many animals in the world.

Animals are living things like us.

They breathe, eat food, grow in size and move on their own.

They also give birth to babies.

Animals are of different shapes and sizes.
Some animals are very small.



rat



squirrel



rabbit

Some animals are small.



dog



goat



sheep



deer

Some animals are big.



horse



cow



buffalo



bear

Some animals are very big.



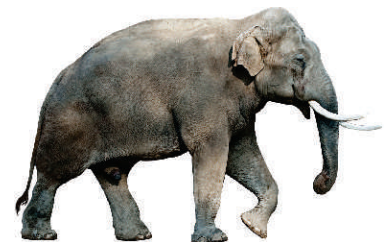
camel



hippo



giraffe



elephant

Write answers



Given below are the pictures of some animals.

Rank them according to their height.

Start with the smallest and end with the biggest.



Birds

Birds have feathers on their body.
They have two legs and two wings.
Legs help them to walk and hop.
Wings help them to fly.



pigeon



parrot



sparrow

Some birds cannot fly.



ostrich



kiwi

KNOW A FACT



The ostrich is
the largest bird
in the world.

Some birds can swim.



duck



swan

Birds eat with their beaks.
They do not have teeth.



hen



FIND OUT



Look at this picture.

Why is the woodpecker
hitting its beak on
the tree trunk?

Find out and write.

It is hitting its beak on

the tree trunk to make

Insects

Insects are tiny creatures.

They have six legs.



ant



cockroach



termite

Some insects have wings. They can fly but not as high as birds.



butterfly



housefly



mosquito



bee

KNOW A FACT



The spider is also a tiny creature. But it is not an insect. It has eight legs.



Reptiles

Some animals crawl on the ground.

They are called reptiles.

Reptiles, like snakes, crawl on their belly.



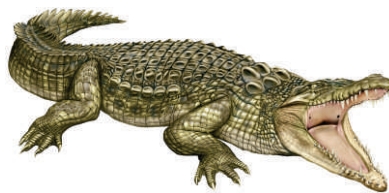
snake

Some reptiles have small legs.

They use their legs too while crawling.



lizard



crocodile



tortoise

WHERE DO ANIMALS LIVE?

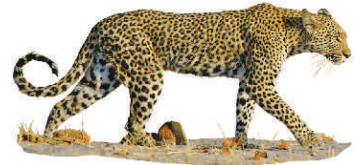
Some animals live on land.



bear



dog



leopard

Some animals live in trees.



monkey



crow



woodpecker



koala

Some animals live in water.



octopus



shark



dolphin



seahorse

Some animals live both on land and in water.



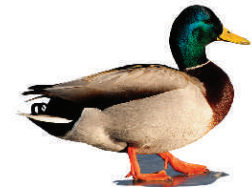
crocodile



frog



tortoise



duck

Words to Remember

- wings – parts of the body that help birds or some insects to fly
- hop – move by jumping with all feet off the ground
- insect – a tiny animal with six legs
- tiny – very small
- creature – a living thing that can move
- crawl – to move on the belly or on the hands and knees, etc
- reptile – an animal that crawls instead of walking

Points to Recall

- * Animals are living things like us.
- * Animals differ in shapes and sizes.
- * Birds have wings to fly.
- * Some birds cannot fly.
- * Some birds can swim in water.
- * Insects are tiny creatures having six legs.
- * Animals that crawl on the ground are called reptiles.
- * Animals live on land, in trees and in water.

Exercises

A. Tick (✓) the correct option.

1. Which of the following is a small animal?
(a) giraffe ☐ (b) rabbit ☐ (c) horse ☐
2. Which of the following birds can fly?
(a) ostrich ☐ (b) kiwi ☐ (c) sparrow ☐
3. Birds do not have
(a) feathers ☐ (b) beaks ☐ (c) teeth ☐
4. Which of the following is not an insect?
(a) spider ☐ (b) butterfly ☐ (c) ant ☐
5. Which of the following can live both on land and in water?
(a) ostrich ☐ (b) frog ☐ (c) leopard ☐

B. Fill in each blank with the correct word.

1. Animals are _____ things like us. (*living / non-living*)
2. The camel is a very _____ animal. (*small / big*)
3. Birds have two _____ on their body. (*feathers / wings*)
4. Insects have _____ legs. (*six / eight*)
5. The snake is _____. (*an insect / a reptile*)

C. Give two examples of each of the following.

1. Birds that cannot fly _____

2. Insects that can fly _____
3. Reptiles that have small legs _____
4. Animals that live in trees _____

D. Answer the following questions.

1. Name two animals which are neither very big nor very small. _____
2. What help birds to fly? _____
3. What is the largest bird in the world? _____
4. How many legs does an insect have? _____



BRAINSTORM

Read the clues. Then rearrange the letters to name the animal and the bird.

This animal runs the fastest on land. H E T C E A H

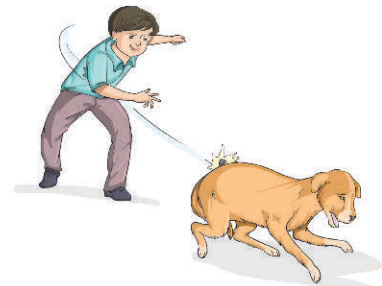
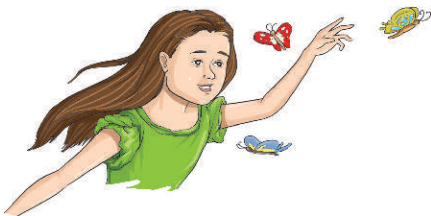
It is the national bird of India. E C K A C P O

Creative Skills



TELL YOUR TEACHER

Animals are living things like us. They also feel as we do. We should not tease them. We should take care of them. Look at the pictures. Tell your teacher what good or bad thing the child in each picture is doing.





Let's Have Fun

Look at the picture clues and fill in the crossword.

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3.(→)



5.(→)



6.(↓)



7.(→)



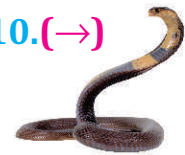
8.(↓)



9.(→)



10.(→)



Activity Time

- Draw a rabbit on a thick drawing sheet.
- Take some cotton.
- Paste the cotton on the body of the rabbit with the help of gum.
- Paste a coloured bead for the rabbit's eye.
- Your rabbit is ready.



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