

- Read and answer. Then listen and check.
 - It's got a long tail and it can jump. It's bigger than a monkey. What is it?

Shine

- 2 It's bigger than a bee, but it's smaller than an eagle. It lives in the grass. It's very slow. What is it?
- Read and learn.

Grammar builder

A deer is shorter than a camel.

A cheetah is bigger than a cat.

A wolf is scarier than a dog.

A kangaroo is cuter than a beetle.

- Choose and say.
 - 1 A beetle is **bigger** / **smaller** than a tortoise.
 - 2 A wolf is taller / shorter than a camel.
 - 3 A crocodile is **cuter / scarier** than a deer.
 - 4 A tortoise is **faster** / **slower** than a cheetah.
 - Make sentences about the animals in the picture.

The eagle is stronger than the deer.

I can shine!

Make riddles about animals.

It's faster than a camel, but it's slower than a cheetah. It lives in the forest. What is it?

I can compare two animals.

Lesson 3

- Look. How many different animals are in the story?
- Read and listen. What does the girl learn from the animals?
- Match the words in the text to the pictures.













- Read again. Then choose.
 - 1 Grandma says, 'There are kind / dangerous animals'.
 - 2 A **young** / **old** girl goes into the forest.
 - 3 The tree is a **safe / dangerous** home for parrots and monkeys.
 - 4 A friendly / scary deer eats leaves from a tree.
 - 5 The girl runs away from a fast / slow wolf.
 - 6 The wolf says the girl is **intelligent** / **important**.

I can shine!

What do animals need?

5 Imagine another animal in the story. Answer.

What does the girl see? What's the animal doing? What does the animal say? What does the girl think?

I can understand events in a story.

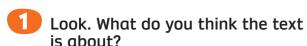




Lesson 6











Read and listen. Which animals are in the text?

Animal habitats

Animals live in different habitats around the world. All animals need food and shelter. But some habitats are dangerous for animals. How do they survive?



Arctic habitats

The Arctic has a cold and windy climate, with a lot of snow and ice. Polar bears can live there because they have thick fur to keep them warm. You can't see polar bears because they're white, like the snow. This is how they stay safe. There are no trees or plants in the Arctic, but polar bears eat fish. There are a lot of fish in the sea!



Grassland habitats

Grasslands in Africa have a hot climate. Cheetahs survive because they can run very fast to catch animals to eat. They have spots

on their fur, too, so that they are difficult to see in their habitat. When cheetahs need a shelter to sleep, they usually climb a tree.



A shelter in a tree

Animals in danger

But some animal habitats are changing. In the Arctic, the ice is getting smaller. This is a problem for animals like polar bears. In other places, people are cutting down trees in the forests and building houses where wild animals live. Wolves, deer, tigers and crocodiles are coming into cities. They're looking for food and shelter. Many animals need our help to survive in the future.

- Read again. Then answer.
 - 1 What is the weather like in the Arctic?
 - 2 How do cheetahs survive in grasslands?
 - 3 Why are some animals moving into cities?

How can we help wild animals in our cities?





Listen. How do desert tortoises survive?





- Listen again. Then answer.
- 1 Desert tortoises are smaller / **stronger** than some other tortoises.
- 2 They can / can't run fast.
- 3 Desert tortoises eat **desert plants** / small animals.
- 4 Desert tortoises can survive without water for one year / fifty years.

Lesson 7





Read and listen. Where can you find the animals?



2 Skill Up Read again. Find words to describe the animals.

WILDLIFE TRAIL

Fact file: Ladybirds

Ladybirds are small beetles. They've got two beautiful red wings with black spots. Ladybirds are more colourful than many other beetles. They live in the grass and on flowers near the pond. They eat small insects.



Fact file: Frogs Frogs are small and green, with two big eyes, a big mouth and strong back legs. They are bigger than ladybirds. They live in water and near the pond. Frogs eat insects and small animals.

Our writing workshop



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3 Ideas generator Listen. Complete the sentences.



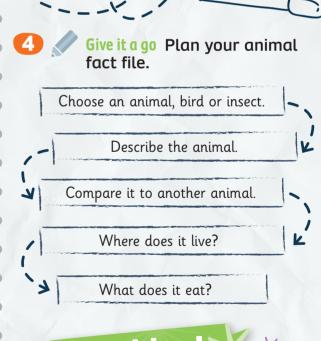
Eagles live in...

and mountains.

Beetles have... and they can fly.



Deer eat... and....









Write your animal fact file.

Writing An animal fact file

I can write an animal fact file.