



skin



mammals



eggs



amphibians



scales



gills



feathers



wings



fur

Amazing

All animals can breathe and move, but they're different in many amazing ways. Here, we look at how they are the same and how they are different. This helps us put them into groups.

Birds



wings



feathers

All birds have two legs, two wings, and feathers, and most birds can fly. The wings and feathers help them fly, and the feathers help keep them warm. Birds lay eggs with hard shells. They keep the baby birds inside safe from animals that want to eat them.

Fish

Fish have gills to help them breathe in water. Scales all over their bodies help keep them safe from dangerous fish that want to bite them. They don't have legs, but their fins and tails help them swim. Fish lay their eggs in water, and their eggs are soft.



scales

tail

fins

gills

Think How are fish different from birds?

Animals

Amphibians

Amphibians are very interesting because they can live on land and in water. Amphibians need to have wet skin, so they live in wet places. They lay their soft eggs in water. They have gills when they're young and the gills help them breathe in water. Most amphibians, like frogs, have legs that help them walk and jump on land.



legs

wet skin

Think How are amphibians the same as fish?

Mammals



fur

Some mammals live on land and some live in water. Whales are water mammals, and cats, rabbits, and lions are land mammals. Hair or fur covers most land mammals' bodies and this helps keep them warm. People are mammals too! Mammals don't lay eggs. Their babies drink milk from their mothers.

Think How are mammals different from amphibians?

Fish have gills to help them breathe.
They have gills to play in the sea!
Birds have wings to help them fly.
They have wings to play in the sky!
Animals! Animals! We love animals!



How do mammals keep warm?
Do you know?
They have fur to play in the snow!
How do amphibians breathe when
they swim?
Believe it or not, they use their skin!
Animals! Animals! We love animals!

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Learn Grammar

Pronouns

Fish have gills. **They** have gills. Gills help **them** breathe.

Do gills help **fish** breathe? Yes, gills help **them** breathe.

How do gills help **fish**? Gills help **them** breathe.



Compound words are two words put together to make a new word.
 star + fish = **starfish** honey + bee = **honeybee**

Look at the pictures and complete the compound words.



jelly butter snow bird

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| 1 | Snow | flake | 3 | bird | house |
| 2 | butter | fly | 4 | jelly | fish |