

Science: Year 1 Spring 1

What animals are there and what do they eat?

What is an animal?

Animals are living things. They need food, water and shelter to survive.

Do all animals look the same?

All animals look different. We can group animals by their body parts, like wings, tails, fins, or gills. We can also group them by their skin coverings, like fur, hair, scales, or plain skin.

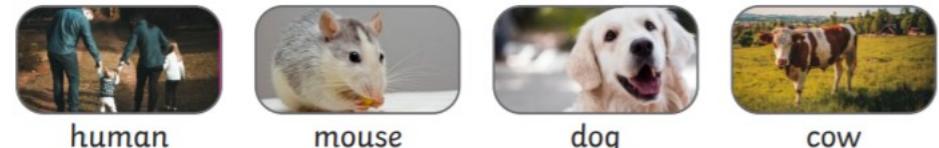
VOCABULARY

bird	Animals with a beak, two legs, feathers and wings.
reptile	Breathe air, have scales on their bodies and lay eggs.
amphibian	Live in the water as babies and on land as adults. Amphibians have slimy skin.
mammal	Breathe air, grow hair or fur and feed on mother's milk as a baby.
fish	Live and breathe underwater. Have fins, scales and gills.

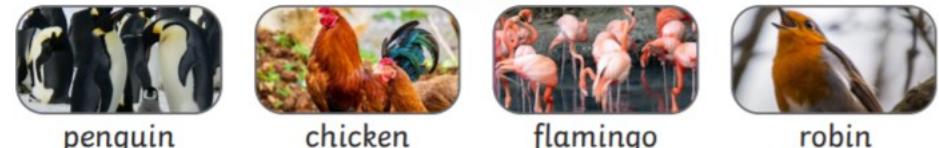
How many different groups of animals are there?

There are 5 animal groups.

Mammals



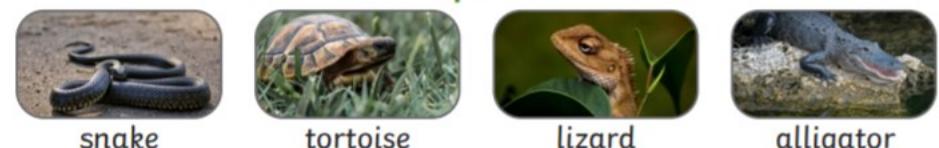
Birds



Fish



Reptiles



Amphibians



SECTION 5