

Title: Paws, Claws and Whiskers**What should I already know?**

I can identify an animal with either paws, claws or whiskers.

I can name common animals.

I can identify some of those animals features.

**Vocabulary**

Camouflage	The colour or shape of an animal that helps it blend in with its surroundings.
Carnivore	An animal that eats other animals
Claw	A curved sharp nail on an animal's toe. Cats and birds have claws.
Enclosure	An area with a barrier or fence where animals are kept.
Fur	A short, thick hair on some animals have. It helps to keep them warm.
Herbivore	An animal that eats plants and shrubs.
Paw	An animals foot that has claws and pads. Cats and dogs have paws.
Predator	An animal that hunts and eats other animals.

Linked Science knowledge for the topic

- Animals are living things. Animals can be sorted and grouped into six main groups: fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, mammals and invertebrates.
- Different animal groups have some common body parts, such as eyes and a mouth, and some different body parts, such as fins or wings.
- Carnivores eat other animals (meat), herbivores eat plants and omnivores eat other animals and plants.
- *Living things need to be cared for in order for them to survive. They need water, food, warmth and shelter.*
- All living things (plants and animals) change over time as they grow and mature.

By the end of the topic we will be able to...

Identify and name a variety of common animals including, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals. Name and talk about different parts of animals e.g. beak, fin etc. Sort animals into herbivores, carnivores and omnivores.

Talk about how continents have different climates depending on where they are in relation to the equator.

Sort weather, animals and plants from warmer and colder climates.

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Animals from around the world:

Take a look at some of the amazing animals from around the world.



Key
 Africa (orange), Asia (purple), Europe (red), South America (green)
 Antarctica (white), Australia (teal), North America (blue)

Carnivores

An animal that eats meat.
 Lion, tiger and bears.



Herbivores

An animal that eats plants.
 Rabbits, zebra and giraffe.



Camouflage

Camouflage is a special adaptation that allows animals to blend in with their environment.



Camouflage

A tiger uses camouflage to hide from its prey.

