

VERTEBRATES



1. Match the sentences

• All animals need	• gills when they are young and later develop lungs.
• Amphibians have	• omnivores or carnivores.
• Mammals	• lay eggs
• Most vertebrates are	• oxygen to live
• Oviparous animals	• produce milk to feed their babies.

2. Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

hervivores	lungs
omnivores	the water
eggs	carnivores
viviparous	gills
the air	oviparous

1. Mammals, reptiles and birds get oxygen from _____. They breathe with _____.
2. Fish use_____to get oxygen from _____.
3. Mammals are born directly from their mother. They are_____.
4. a) Birds, reptiles, amphibians and fish reproduce by laying _____. They are _____.
5. Most vertebrate animals are _____ (they eat both animals and plants) or _____ (they eat other animals).
6. Some mammals and a few birds are _____,they only eat plants.

3. Are these sentences true or false?

1. Amphibians breathe with lungs when they are young and then they develop gills.
2. Most vertebrate animals are herbivores.
3. Mammals are viviparous. They are born live, directly from their mother.
4. Mammals produce water to feed their babies.
5. All vertebrate animals have lungs.
6. Oviparous animals lay eggs. These eggs can be soft or hard.