Crocodiles



Crocodiles are reptiles. They lay eggs and have cold blood.

Most crocodiles are dark green. They have very strong jaws and sharp teeth. Crocodiles have short legs with webbed back feet for them to swim faster. On their feet, they have long sharp claws. They have long heavy tails.

Crocodiles are carnivores, which mean they only eat meat. They eat fish, birds and animals.

Crocodiles live near water. Most crocodiles live near fresh water, like rivers and swamps. Some crocodiles live near salt water.

Did you know that crocodiles can survive a long time without food? They have the strongest bite of any animal in the world. Crocodiles have excellent eyesight even at night time. Most kinds of crocodiles are endangered. We all need to work together to protect crocodiles.

Answer the questions

1. What do crocodiles use to swim in water?

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2. Where do crocodiles live?

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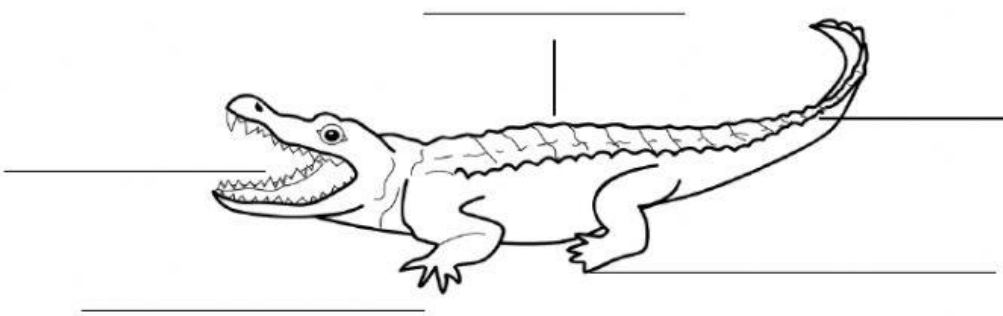
3. Name 3 different things a crocodile might eat?

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4. What do you think people use crocodile skins for?

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Label the different parts of the crocodile. Use the vocabulary box to help you.



tail
webbed feet
claws
teeth
scales

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