

Adaptations

Use the words in the word bank provided to fill up the sentences below.

1. _____ are physical characteristics or behaviours that an organism uses to help it survive in its environment.
2. Certain animals sleep through the cold winter when food is scarce so that they use up less energy. This is called _____. _____ are such examples.
3. Other animals sleep during the hot, dry summers as food and water are limited. This is called _____. _____ are animals which are known to estivate in the Maltese Islands.
4. To avoid the cold, some animals _____, that means they travel from one place to another and move back during spring. _____, among many other birds, are known to migrate to warmer climates.
5. _____ is used by some animals to hide in plain sight. This is done by blending with their environment so that they can either hide from their prey or hide from their predators. _____ use camouflage both to hide from predators and also to hide from their prey.

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