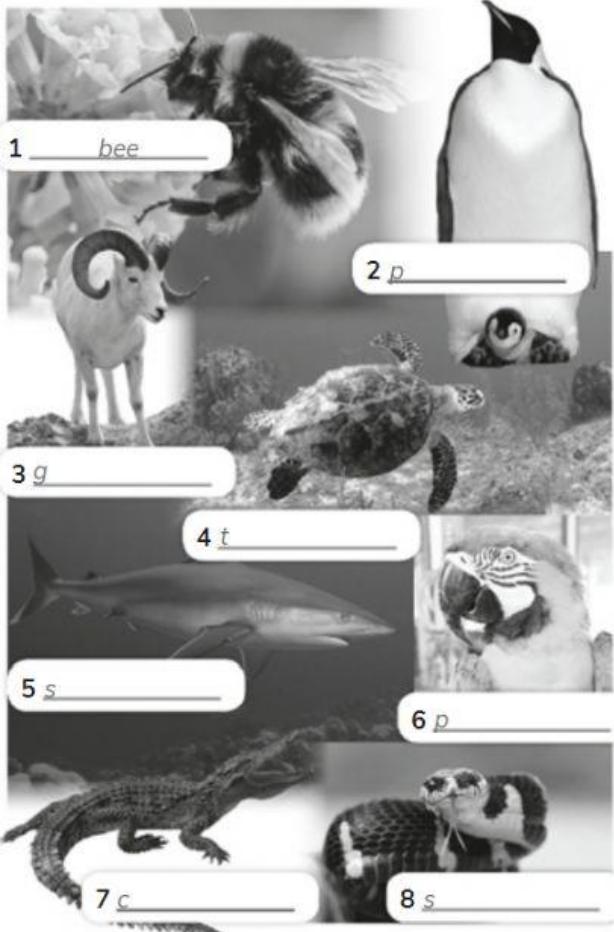


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Animals
in danger

Describing animals

1 ★★ Look at the picture and write the animal.



2 ★★ Read the facts about some of the animals in exercise 1 and write the name.

- 1 This bird has colorful feathers, a beak and wings. parrot
- 2 This dangerous fish has a lot of teeth. It sometimes swims with its fin above the water. shark
- 3 Some of these dangerous reptiles are poisonous. crocodile
- 4 This mammal has fur, two horns and a short tail. goat
- 5 This striped insect only makes less than half a gram of honey in its life. bee
- 6 Some of these marine animals have spotted shells. penguin

3 ★★ Find nine body parts and seven adjectives in exercise 2.

Body parts: feathers

Adjectives: colorful

4 ★★★ Complete the descriptions of animals with some of the words in exercise 3.

- 1 My favorite birds are peacocks because their feathers are really colorful.
- 2 Some rhinoceroses have one large horn on their head and others have two.
- 3 There are more than 500 different sharks in the world, but only about 12, like the white and tiger shark, are dangerous to people.
- 4 A spider can't fly because it doesn't have any wings.
- 5 A tiger has black and yellow striped stripes.
- 6 Dolphins have a blowhole on their backs but they aren't fish – they're marine mammals.

5 ★★★ Answer the questions for you. Use the words in exercise 3.

1 What are your favorite birds?

My favorite birds are parrots because they are colorful.

2 Do you like reptiles? Why/Why not?

Yes, I like them because they are interesting.

3 Are you scared of bees? What about spiders?

Yes, I am scared of bees and spiders.

4 Do you enjoy watching TV shows about animals? Why/Why not?

Yes, I enjoy watching TV shows about animals because they are interesting.