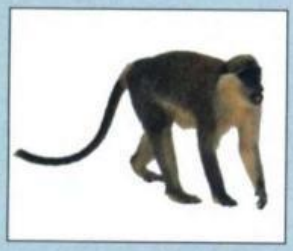
38 Animals, insects and birds


lion


tiger


elephant


bear


monkey


snake


whale


bird


horse


cow


sheep (*pl* sheep)

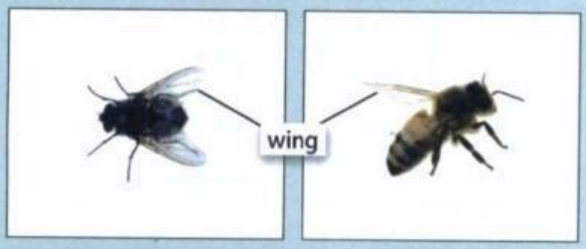

pig


dog


cat


mouse (*pl* mice)


spider



fly

bee

SPOTLIGHT *both*

Both means 'each of two'.
- *Dogs and cats are* ***both*** *common in England.* (= Dogs are common and cats are also common in England.)
- *Do lions swim? Yes, and tigers. They can* ***both*** *swim.*
- *Do you like cows and sheep? Yes, I like* ***both of them****.*

GLOSSARY

animal	any living thing that can move or feel. **Animal** is sometimes used to talk only about *cats, dogs, cows,* etc. and not about *people, birds, fish* or *insects.*
wild animal	A **wild animal** lives in nature, not with people, e.g. *a lion* or *an elephant.*
pet	an animal or bird that lives with people in their home. *Dogs* and *cats* are common **pets** in Britain.
insect	a small animal with six legs and usually wings, e.g. *a bee, a fly*
zoo	(sounds like *you*) a place, often in or near a town, where people can go and look at wild animals
farm	land and buildings where people keep animals and grow things. The person who does this is a **farmer**. *Pigs* and *cows* are **farm** animals.

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1 **Write the names of these animals and insects in order from big to small.**

bear cat fly whale monkey sheep elephant lion mouse

big whale _____ small

2 **Put the animals in the correct column.**

sheep elephant tiger cow cat fly dog horse pig bee lion bear

PETS	FARM ANIMALS	INSECTS	WILD ANIMALS
_____	▶ sheep	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

3 **Think about the pronunciation of the underlined letters, then answer the questions. Use the APP to help you. Practise saying the words.**

▶ Is *c<u>ow</u>* the same as *n<u>ow</u>* or *kn<u>ow</u>*? now
1 Is *b<u>oth</u>* the same as *m<u>ost</u>* or *d<u>og</u>*? _____
2 Is *t<u>ig</u>er* the same as *s<u>it</u>* or *l<u>ion</u>*? _____
3 Is *sn<u>ake</u>* the same as *b<u>ack</u>* or *wh<u>ale</u>*? _____
4 Is *m<u>on</u>key* the same as *s<u>on</u>* or *g<u>one</u>*? _____
5 Is *b<u>ear</u>* the same as *h<u>air</u>* or *h<u>ear</u>*? _____
6 Is *el<u>eph</u>ant* the same as *c<u>at</u>* or *t<u>ig</u>er*? _____
7 Is *sp<u>i</u>der* the same as *w<u>i</u>ld* or *m<u>i</u>ss*? _____

4 **Complete each sentence with one word.**

▶ Lions and tigers can both swim.
1 Dogs usually live with _____.
2 People often sit on _____.
3 Whales live in the _____.
4 Birds often eat _____.
5 Birds and bees can both _____.
6 Cats sometimes catch and eat _____.
7 Pigs live on _____.
8 People often see wild animals in a _____.
9 Flies have two _____.

5 **Complete the sentences.**

▶ Elephants are one of the biggest animals in the world.
1 Are dogs and cats common _____ in your country?
2 My uncle is a _____. He has a _____ with over 500 sheep and cows.
3 You can see lots of _____ animals in parts of Africa.
4 Did you see a lion or tiger at the zoo? Yes, I saw _____ of them.
5 A spider is not an _____ because it has eight legs.
6 I've seen wild animals in the _____ near where I live.
7 The bird had a problem with one of its _____ and it couldn't fly.
8 I often go to the zoo with my brother: we _____ like wild animals.

6 **Which animal(s) or insect(s) has/have:**

▶ eight legs? spider
1 four legs? _____
2 two legs? _____
3 six legs? _____
4 no legs? _____

7 ABOUT YOU AND YOUR COUNTRY **Write your answers, or ask another student.**

1 Do you have any pets? If so, what? _____
2 Have you ever seen wild animals (not on TV)? If so, where? _____
3 Are you afraid of any animals or insects? _____
4 What animals are usually used as farm animals in your country? _____
5 Do people often go to zoos in your country? What do you think about zoos? _____
6 Is there an animal or insect on the opposite page that you especially like or dislike? _____

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