

LIZARDS

Read the text and choose the correct word for each blank.

There are about 5,000 different kinds (0) _____ lizard in the world. Most lizards are small (1) _____ to sit on a person's hand. (2) _____ biggest kind looks more like crocodile and is (3) _____ a "Komodo dragon". Lizards that live in trees or in grass are usually green (4) _____ lizards that live in deserts are gray or yellow. Most have four legs and a long tail. Sometimes a lizard loses (5) _____ tail. But another one will usually grow later. Lizards have very short necks, and ears on the outside of their heads. Some people (6) _____ they are ugly! Lizards see different colors and are very good at (7) _____ the quietest sound. They climb (8) _____ trees or over rocks very quickly and some can run across water too. Small lizards eat insects. Bigger lizards catch birds or other small animals to eat. A (9) _____ lizards only eat plants. Lizards quickly get cold, so most live in hot countries, (10) _____ they can lie in the sun all day.

