Animal life

VOCABULARY
Animals | Animal body parts | Personality | Looking after pets

GRAMMAR
Past Simple: *was/were* | Past Simple: regular and irregular verbs

3 3.1 Vocabulary

Animals

1 ● Complete the names of the animals.

1 sh*a* *r*k
2 bu_____y
3 ladyb__d
4 g__t
5 ka_____o
6 sn__e
7 tor___se
8 le_____

2 ● Choose the correct option.

1 My parents gave me a pet *tortoise* / *gorilla* for my birthday.
2 *Polar bears* / *Owls* live in the Arctic where it's very cold.
3 My friend has a very cute pet *shark* / *rabbit* which lives in her garden.
4 I have a *cow* / *horse* which I ride every weekend.
5 Aw, your *donkey* / *guinea pig* is so small and cute!
6 *Bees* / *Ants* can beat their wings very fast.

3 ● Decide if the animals below are insects (I), farm animals (F) or wild animals (W).

1	[W] snake	6	[ ] donkey	11	[ ] cow
2	[ ] bear	7	[ ] horse	12	[ ] bee
3	[ ] ladybird	8	[ ] chicken	13	[ ] kangaroo
4	[ ] goat	9	[ ] ant	14	[ ] gorilla
5	[ ] leopard	10	[ ] owl	15	[ ] butterfly

4 ●● Match descriptions 1–8 with photos A–H in Exercise 5.

1 [F] It's very slow.
2 [ ] It lives in the jungle.
3 [ ] It is black and tiny.
4 [ ] It is grey or brown.
5 [ ] It has brown feathers.
6 [ ] It is black and white.
7 [ ] It has big wings.
8 [ ] It has very long ears.

5 Write the names of the animals described in Exercise 4.

A 

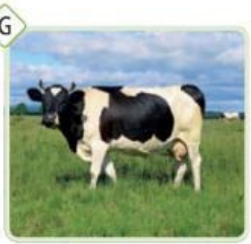
B 

C 

D 

E 

F 

G 

H 

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6 ● Choose the correct answer.

1 Which animal doesn't have a tail?
(a) butterfly b rabbit c horse

2 Which animal doesn't have fur?
a snake b gorilla c tiger

3 Which animal doesn't have wings?
a bee b donkey c owl

4 Which animal doesn't have feathers?
a chicken b owl c goat

5 Which animal doesn't have claws?
a leopard b cow c polar bear

7 ●● Complete the sentences with the words below.

beak claws ~~feathers~~ fur paws tails wings

1 Some birds have brightly coloured *feathers*.
2 Dogs move their _____ very fast when they're happy.
3 Bears have different coloured _____. Sometimes it's brown, sometimes white and sometimes black.
4 Ducks have a _____ which they use to eat with.
5 Our dog has long _____ and we have to cut them from time to time.
6 The _____ of a butterfly are usually very pretty.
7 Cats walk quietly on their _____.

8 ●● Choose the correct option.

1 A bee *swims* / (*flies*) and has (*wings*) / *claws*.
2 A duck *climbs* / *swims* and has *claws* / *feathers*.
3 A cat *climbs* / *flies* and has *feathers* / *a tail*.
4 A tiger eats *vegetables* / *meat* and has long *wings* / *claws*.
5 A rabbit *jumps* / *swims* and has *feathers* / *fur*.
6 A shark *walks* / *bites* and has sharp *claws* / *teeth*.

9 ●●● Complete the email with the words below.

~~butterflies~~ chickens claws goats rabbits tails tortoise wings

Hi Emma

When you're on holiday in Lyndhurst you must visit the Wildlife Centre. It's brilliant. They have a special room for beautiful [1] *butterflies*. They have very pretty [2] _____ and there are hundreds of them flying all over the place. Sometimes they land on your arm or head! If you have your little sister with you, she can go to the pets' farm. They usually have some baby animals there. She can pick up the baby [3] _____ – their mothers are out in the field eating grass! And there are a lot of [4] _____ with their little round white fluffy [5] _____. She can pick them up, but be careful because their [6] _____ can be quite sharp! If you want a new pet, you can buy one to take home! The centre also sells their wooden houses to keep in the garden. The [7] _____ are really cute too. They lay eggs and make a lot of noise! And there's a [8] _____ that is nearly a hundred years old at the centre too! It lives in a warm box in the winter, but in the summer you can see it walking very, very slowly across the grass!

Have fun!
Chris



I can talk about animals.

On the Portal
Extra Practice Activities Lesson 3.4

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