

White bear from Arctic

The polar bear is a large carnivorous animal that lives in the arctic. It is also known as the white bear.



Polar bears have ____ white fur that helps them stay warm and blend in with the snow. Their skin underneath is ____ to absorb heat. They have a ____ body, small ears, a long ____, and very ____ legs. Their paws are wide and covered in ____, which helps them ____ on ice and swim in cold water.

Polar bears live in the arctic region, on ice sheets and along the coast. They need sea ice to hunt their main prey, seals.

Polar bears are great swimmers. They can ____ for hours and even long distances between icebergs. They ____ seals by waiting near breathing holes in the ice. Polar bears usually live alone and travel across large areas in search of food. They ____ during the day and hunt mostly at night.