What helps living things to grow and thrive?

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Vocabulary

Science	adaptation	being suited to where you live
	amphibian	live in water and on land
	balanced diet	eating the right amount of different food
	camouflage	blend in with your surroundings
	depend	need
	evolution	how living things have developed
	exercise	movement to stay healthy
	food chain	shows what each animal eats
	habitat	home of an animal
	healthy	keeping your body working at its best
	hygiene	how to keep the body clean
	insects	creatures with 3 parts to their bodies
	lifecycle	how living things grow and change
	mammals	warm blooded animals with a backbone
	microhabitat	small habitat within a habitat
	offspring	the children of animal and people
	reproduce	when animals have babies
	reptile	cold blooded animals – most lay eggs
	survival	to remain alive
Geography	Arctic	a continent
	climate	usual weather in a place
	conservation	protecting nature
	continent	large area of land
	desert	very dry places
	environment	everything in a living place
	equator	around the centre of the Earth
	location	where something is
	rainforest	full of trees, plants and lots of rain
	tundra	treeless area

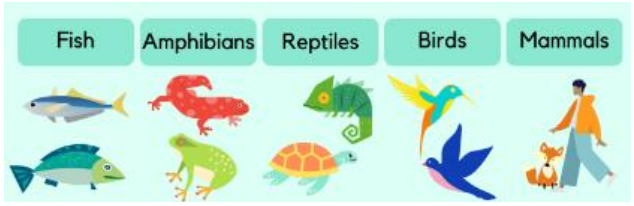
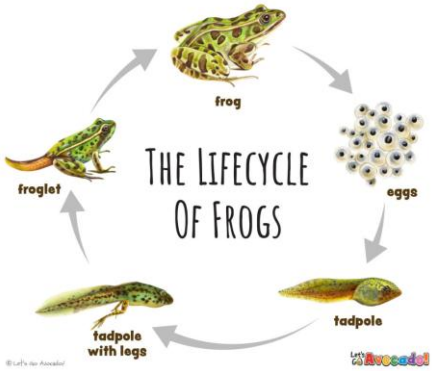
Enquiries

What is a living thing?
What do I need to stay healthy?
What do living things need to survive?
What is a home?
What is a habitat?
What makes a habitat successful?
What can I do to help living things to thrive?
What helps living things grow and thrive?

Key Facts

Know the difference between things that are living, dead and things that have never been alive
Know what plants need to grow and stay healthy.
Know how to plant seeds and bulbs
Know what may kill a plant
Look at habitats around the world.
Know how climate change impacts habitats,
Find out about camouflage
Know how animals adapt to their habitat.
Identify seasonal weather patterns and hot and cold areas.
Find out how plants and animals depend on one another.
Know what a food chain is.
The importance of exercise
Which foods are better for you to eat
Learn about good hygiene

Anchor Texts

Pip and Egg by Alex Latimer
The Hedgehog by Dick Kingsmith
Einstein the Penguin Iona Rangeley & David Tazzyman
The day the crayons quit by Oliver Jeffers

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