

HABITATS AND ADAPTATIONS TRAIL

This trail belongs to:



Spotters Sheet



Labelling Game



Animals and their habitats



Can you find...

Plus a Glossary and a Quiz!

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Glossary

Habitat (*noun*)

The home or environment of an animal or plant.

Predator (*noun*)

An animal that hunts other animals for food.

Adaptation (*noun*)

How an animal has changed to survive in its home/habitat.

Prey (*noun*)

An animal that is hunted by other animals.

Use the words above to complete the sentences below

1. Meerkats can be found in a desert _____.
2. An _____ of a penguin is that they use their wings to propel themselves through the water as they swim.
3. A lion is a _____ and hunts animals like Zebras and Antelope for food.
4. A deer is _____ for a Clouded Leopard as they will hunt and eat them.

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Spotter Sheet

Can you spot these different animals on your visit to the Park?
Tick them off once you've spotted them.



Otter



Ring-Tailed Lemur



Capybara



Frog



Anaconda



Clouded Leopard



Meerkat



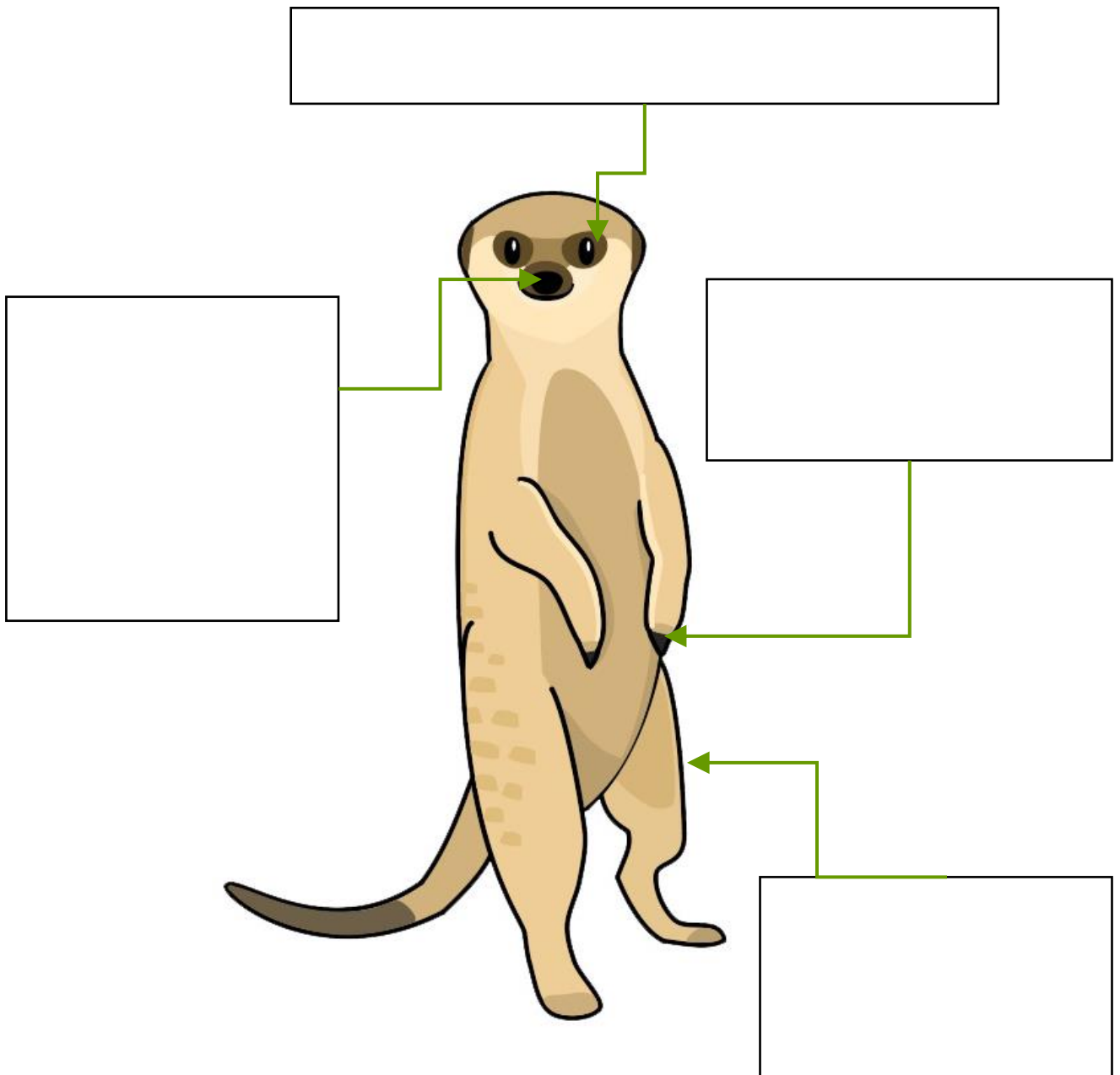
Humboldt Penguin

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Labelling Game

Meerkats have adapted to live in a **desert** habitat.

Label the parts of the Meerkat that have adapted to help them survive here.



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Animals and their Habitats

Different species survive better in different types of habitats. They have adapted over time to be able to live in their habitat, find food that they need and cope with some changes to environment. Can you match the animal to its wild habitat?



Desert



Rainforest



Farmland



Rivers and Streams

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Can you find...

Different habitats support different animals in a variety of ways. Animals that live in cold regions would not survive in the desert or rainforests. Can you follow the clues to find an animal that would live in a particular habitat? How has it adapted to survive there?

You will find this animal in our tropical house. They come from the rainforests in South America and spend most of their time sleeping. They move very slowly and have brown fur that hangs down towards the ground.

You will find this animal in the walled garden. They come from the forests in Sumatra and Borneo. This animal has a large yellow beak and a horn-like shape which makes them easy to identify.

You will find this animal in front of the Manor House. They come from the Seychelles and are a type of reptile. They are very large and heavy and move quite slowly. This animal has a big hard shell to protect them.

You will find this animal by the train station. They are known for their semi-retractable claws and though they might be quite small in size they have been known to tackle a moose!

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Multiple Choice Quiz

Test what you've learned from your visit to the Park with these multiple-choice questions

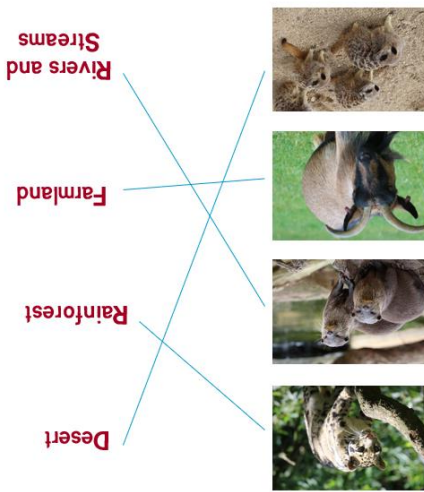
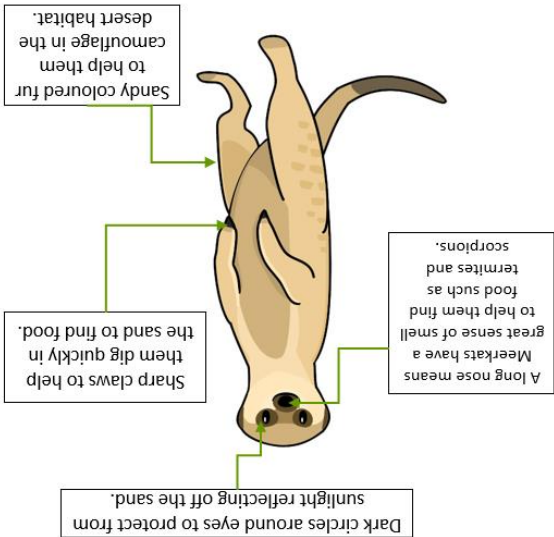
1. What do Meerkats use to help them find food?
 - A. Their fur
 - B. Their nose and claws
 - C. The sun
2. What sort of habitat do Humboldt Penguins live in?
 - A. Desert
 - B. Rocky coast line
 - C. Rainforest
3. What do Ring Tailed Lemurs use their tail for?
 - A. Balance
 - B. Clinging onto branches
 - C. To find each other
4. What sort of habitat does an Otter live in?
 - A. Rainforest
 - B. Rivers or streams
 - C. Polar region
5. How does a Capybara hide from predators?
 - A. Submerge under water
 - B. Hide in treetops
 - C. Burrow underground
6. Why does a lion's tongue have tiny hooks all over it?
 - A. To lick fur and feathers off its prey
 - B. To taste with
 - C. To catch prey

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Answer Page

Multiple Choice Quiz

1. B
2. B
3. C
4. B
5. A
6. A



Can you find...



Sloth



Wrinkled Hornbill



Giant Tortoise



Wolverine

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