# ANIMAL UNIT

- 6-3.1 Vertebrates and Invertebrates
- 6-3.2 Obtaining Resources
- 6-3.3 Endothermic and Ectothermic
- 6-1.3 Dichotomous Keys



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# **ANIMAL VOCABULARY**

# 6.3.1 & 6-3.3 VOCABULARY PAGE 1

- 6.3.1 Compare the characteristic structures of <u>invertebrate animals</u> (including sponges, segmented worms, echinoderms, mollusks, and arthropods) and <u>vertebrate animals</u> (fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, and mammals).
- 6-3.3 Compare the response that a warm-blooded (endothermic) animal makes to a fluctuation in environmental temperature with the response that a cold-blooded (ectothermic) animal makes to such a fluctuation.
- 1. vertebrates are animals that:
  - ☑ have backbones, an internal skeleton, & muscles
  - ☑blood that circulates through blood vessels
  - ☑lungs (or gills) for breathing
  - **☑**protective skin covering
  - ☐a nervous system with a brain
  - ☑have legs, wings, or fins for movement
- 2. endoskeleton-internal skeleton





- 3. invertebrates are animals that:
  - do not have backbones or internal skeletons
  - have external skeletons
- 4. exoskeleton-external skeleton





- 5. common characteristics of all animals:
  - ☑ bodies are multi-cellular
  - they are heterotrophs (they cannot make their own food) and must get their energy by eating plants or other animals
  - ☑ major functions are:
    - a. to obtain food and oxygen for energy
    - b. keep their internal conditions in balance
    - c. move
    - d. reproduce

### Taking a look at word parts:

ecto (means outside) + therm (heat) = ecothermic (means outside heat) endo/internal (means inside) + therm (heat) = endothermic (means inside heat) homeo(human) + sta (keep the same) + is (condition of) = homeostasis Homeostasis is a condition that constantly regulates our body temperature 98.6.

# **ANIMAL VOCABULARY**

# 6.3.1 & 6-3.3 VOCABULARY PAGE 2

#### 6. Sponges:

- Very simple invertebrate animals that have many pores (holes) through which water flows.
- ✓ Water moves into a central cavity and out through a hole in the top.
- Obtain their food and eliminate wastes through this passage of water.
- Specialized cells for obtaining food and oxygen from the water.
- ✓ Illustrate (draw and label) page 131.

# Structures in a sponge's body function to remove food from water. Plagella along the inside of the sponge move water through the sponge through pores in the body wall. Specialized cells digest the food particles. Specialized cells digest the food particles as the water moves by.

#### 7. Segmented Worms

- ☑ invertebrates that have long tube-like bodies that are divided into segments
- ☑ the simplest organisms with a true nervous system and blood contained in vessels
- ☑ a long digestive tube runs down the length of the worm's inner body
- ☑ take in dissolved oxygen from the water through their skin.
- examples are earthworms and leeches.
- ☑ Illustrate (draw and label) p. 138

#### 8. Echinoderms

- ☑invertebrates that have *arms* that extend from the middle body outwards
- ☑ have tube feet that take in oxygen from the water and spines
- ☑examples are sea stars, brittle stars, sea cucumbers, or sea urchins







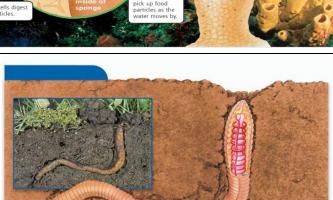
#### 9. Mollusks

- ☑ invertebrates that have soft bodies
- most have a thick muscular foot for movement or to open and close their shells
- ☑ more developed body systems than sponges or worms
- ☑ take in oxygen through gills or lungs, and some have shells
- ☑ examples may be slugs, snails, clams, and octopi

#### 10. Arthropods

- invertebrates that have jointed legs, segmented bodies and some have wings
- ☑ have hard outer coverings called exoskeletons
- ☑ obtain oxygen from the air through gills or air tubes
- ☑ examples may be insects, arachnids, and crustaceans





# ANIMAL VERTEBRATE/INVERTEBRATE ACTIVITIES

Visit Weebly> ANIMAL UNIT folder> 6-3.1 Vertebrates & Invertebrates Use the Fact Sheets PDF and/or the Facts Slideshows to fill in the table below.

# **TABLE 1: VERTEBRATES**

Characteristics	Characteristics  • Warm blooded (endothermic)  • Mothers nurse their young  • Breath through lungs  • All have hair at some stage in development  •Babies born from live birth	Characteristics  • Most lay eggs  • Cold blooded (ectothermic)  • Most have bodies covered in scales  • Obtain dissolved oxygen in water through gills	Characteristics  • Has 2 legs  • Breath through lungs  • Warm blooded (endothermic)  • Feathers  • Lays eggs  • Two wings	Characteristics  • Most lay eggs  • Most have four legs  • Breathe with lungs  • Cold blooded (ectothermic)  • Scales or plates for skin
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**TABLE 2: INVERTEBRATES** 

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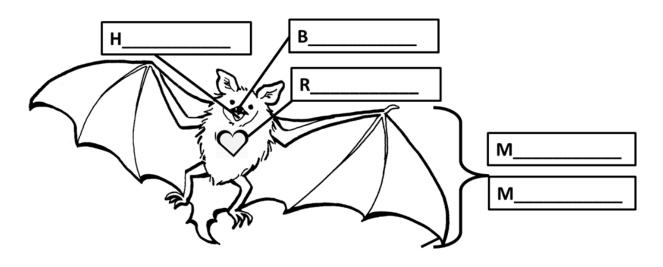
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Define Arthropod-

Fill in the correct information regarding these invertebrate groups by using the **FACTS SLIDESHOW.** 

Characteristics  √		Groups	
	Crustaceans	Insects	Arachnids
# of body segments			
# of legs			
# of antennae			
Live on land/water			

<u>Valadamir the Verterbrate Vampire Bat</u>: Use the **FACTS SLIDESHOW** to list and draw/color the characteristics of ALL ANIMALS.



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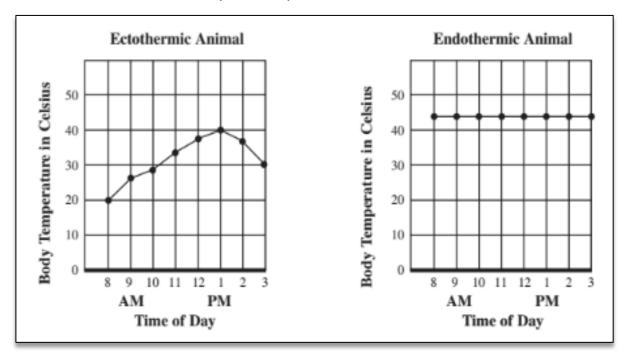
# **Characteristics of Vertebrates**

Draw an example of a vertebrate. Label at least 5 parts that prove it is a vertebrate.

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## 6-3.3 ENDOTHERMIC AND ECTOTHERMIC

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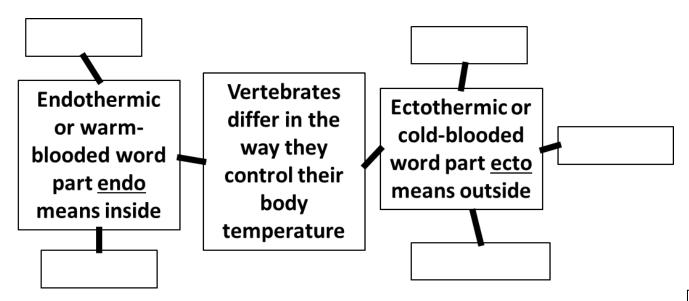


Using the information from the graph, create a definition for ectothermic and endothermic animals.

Endothermic-

Ectothermic-

Fill in the animal groups in the word map below.



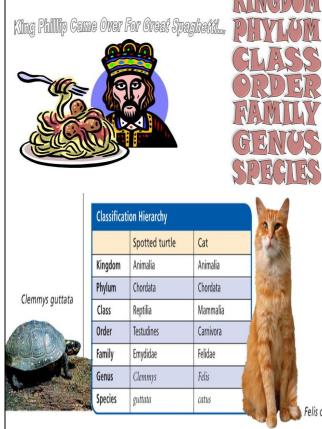
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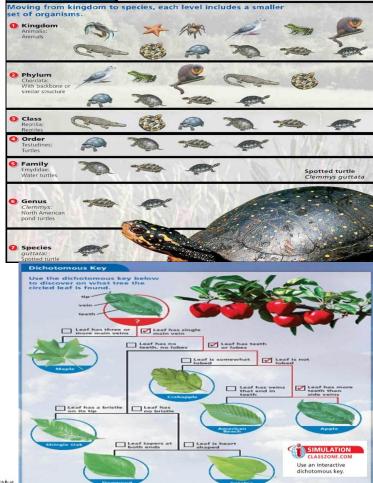
Identify the correct information regarding each animal listed.

	Vertebrate or	Endothermic or	Class (FARM B) or
Animal	Invertebrate	Ectothermic	(A MESS)
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Salamander			
Sea Turtle			
Slug			
Star Fish			
Earthworm			
Fruit Bat			
Shark			
Manatee			
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# Classification of Organisms

 $\underline{\textbf{Taxonomists}}\text{-} \, \text{scientists} \, \text{who group organisms}.$ 





		All animals:	
	their internal conditions, rep	ep , move, obtain and	for energy,
	are multi	, and aretrophs (hunter gatherers!)	
>	Vertebrates: "Many R Big Furry Animals!"	$\mathbb{H}$	Invertebrates: They Make "A. M. E. S. S."
	-have skeletons (a backbone inside of	Animals	- DO NOT have internal skeletons (
	their body		-Some have external skeletons called
	-lungs or to breathe		
	-blood	Ectothermic vs Endothermic	Arthropods:
	-protective covering		-have legs, bodies, and some
	-legs, or to move	<ul> <li>Endothermic- endo means</li> </ul>	
	-nervous system with a	so the temperature	-Have skeletons
			-Get oxygen from ar tubes
	Mammals:	animal's body (blooded)	****Arthropods are in the C. I. A.!!!
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Animal Characteristics Charts for Vertebrates and Invertebrates	Vertebrates	Reptiles	Mammals	Birds	Fish	Amphibians
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Symmetry Bilateral or Radial					
Specific Adaptations					
Has Lives Jointed Other shells in legs Structures water					
Jointed legs					
Lives in water					
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Segmented it dissolve Sexual or bodies Oxygen? Asexual or both					
How does it dissolve Oxygen?					
Segmented bodies					
Soft Exoskeleton bodies					
Soft bodies					
Gills					
Pores					
Invertebrates Pores Gills	Sponges	Segmented worms	Echinoderms	Mollusks	Arthropods

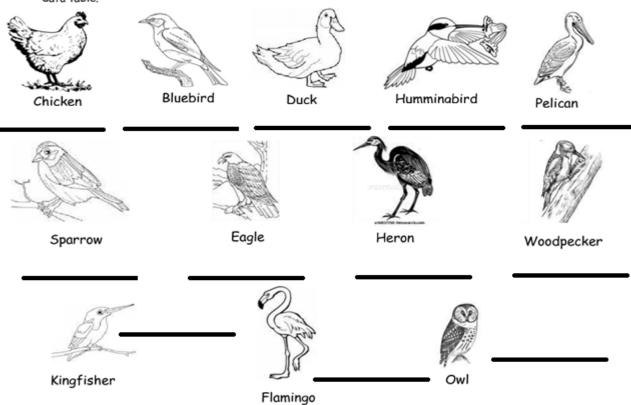
# ANIMAL BIRD BEAK/FEET ACTIVITIES

#### **Bird Beaks and Feet**

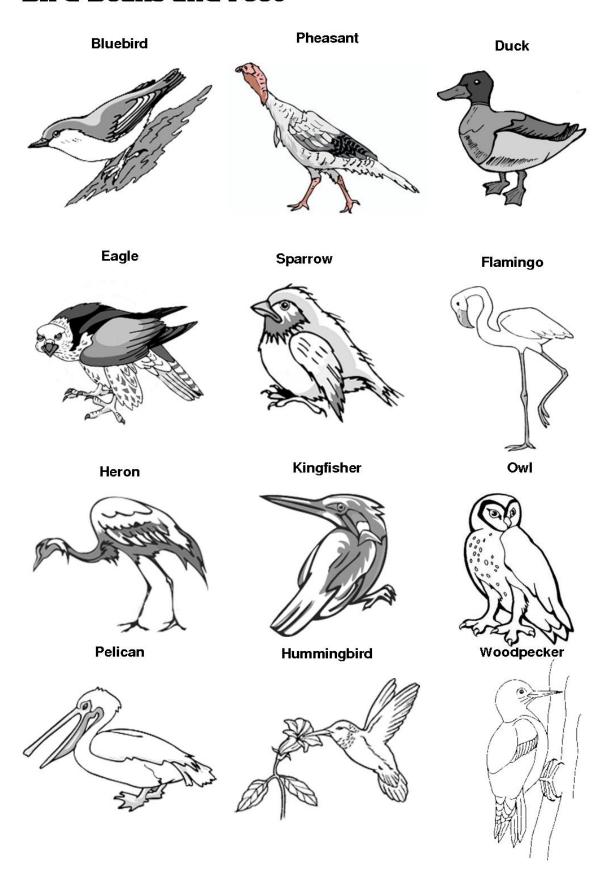
Introduction: A bird's beak and feet can tell us much about their habitat and lifestyle. Most birds are even classified according to structural similarities between their beaks and feet. In this exercise, you will look at pictures of birds and make inferences about their lifestyles.

Description	Function			
Beaks				
Short & Rounded	Multipurpose, Eating Insects and Seeds			
Spear Shaped	Spearing Fish			
Chisel Shaped, Flat & Pointed	Drilling for Insects			
Flat & Square-Shaped	Straining Algae			
Long & Fat, Like a Scoop	Scooping Up Fish			
Hooked	Catching & Tearing Prey			
Long & Tubular	Sucking Nectar from Flowers			
Feet				
Long Muscular Legs	Running			
Long Skinny Legs	Wading			
Short Legs with Blunt Claws	Scratching, Ground Walking			
Three Toes in Front, One Behind	Perching			
Webbed	Swimming			
Large Hook-like Claws (Talons)	Grasping Prey			
Tiny Short Legs	Hovering			
Two Toes in Front, Two Behind	Climbing			

Examine the images of birds and write your inference about what the bird eats, and where it lives in the data table.



# **Bird Beaks and Feet**



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#### **Data Table**

Bird	Type of Feet (perching, climbing, running, grasping, wading, swimming, hovering)	Type of Beak (short, long, stout, thin, hooked, scoop, flat)	Probable Diet (seeds, nectar, insects, fish, rodents, algae)	Probable Habitat (forest, prairie, lake)
Bluebird				
Pheasant				
Duck				
Eagle				
Sparrow				
Flamingo			shrimp	
Heron				
Kingfisher				
Owl				
Pelican				
Hummingbird				
Woodpecker				
	Beaks  Short and thick - seed cracking Long and thin, slightly curved - eating nectar Strong, chisel like - drilling Sharp, curved and pointed - tearing flesh Long and flattened - straining algae and plants Spear shaped - spearing fish		Feet  3 toes in front, 1 behind - perching 2 toes in front, 2 behind - climbing Powerful curved talons - grasping prey Webbed - swimming Long and thin - wading Thick and stout - running	

## **Analysis**

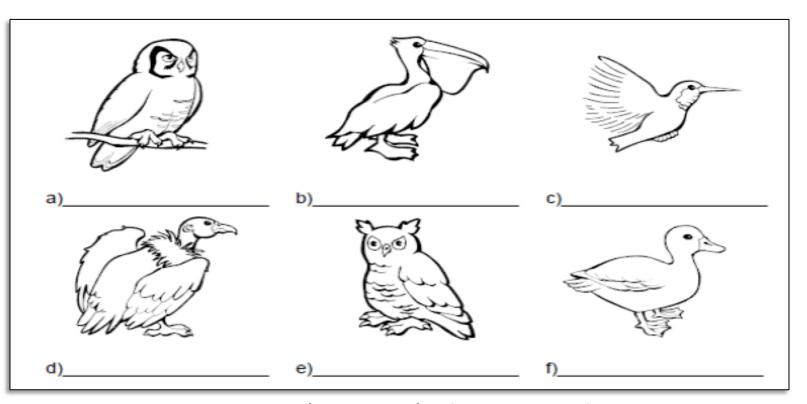
- Different birds may have similar beaks and diets. Herons and kingfishers, for instance, all have long sharp
  pointed beaks for spearing fish. Their feet, however, are quite different. Describe how the heron and kingfisher
  differ in the method by which they hunt for fish (using their feet to help you answer)
- 2. There are exceptions! The secretary bird is well known for its snake hunting skills. What do you think its long legs are used for?



# ANIMAL DICHOTOMOUS KEY ACTIVITIES

## 6-1.3 DICHOTOMOUS KEYS

Use the key to determine the identity of the birds.

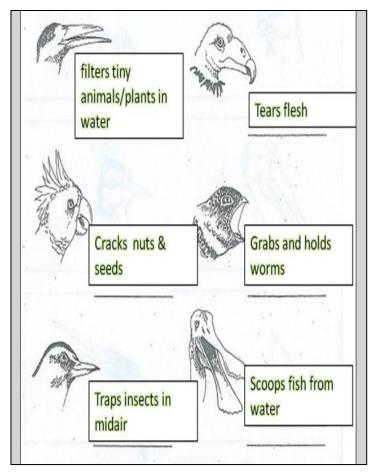


- 1. Does this bird have talons (sharp claws)? If YES, go to 2. If NO, go to 5.
- 2. Does this bird have ear tufts (clump of feathers near ears)? If YES, it is a SCREECH OWL. If NO, go to 3.
- 3. Does this bird have a featherless head? If YES, it is a vulture. If NO, go to 4.
- 4. Does this bird have bar-like markings on its chest? If YES, it is a BARRED OWL. If NO, go to 1.
- 5. Does this bird have a long, pointed beak? If YES, for to 6. If NO, go to 7.
- 6. Does this bird have a straight beak? If YES, it is a HUMMING BIRD. If NO, go to 7.
- 7. Does this bird have webbed feet? If YES, go to 8. If NO, go to 5.
- 8. Does this bird have a throat pouch? If YES, it is a PELICAN. If NO, go to 9.
- 9. Does this bird have a short, rounded beak? If YES, it is a DUCK. If NO, go to 1.

# **ALIEN DICHOTOMOUS KEY**

1a	Alien has one eye	Shrekius monoculus	
1b	Alien has two eyes	Go to 2	
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2a	Alien has green skin	Go to 3	
2b	Alien does not have green skin	Go to 7	
3a	Alien has shrek-like ears	Shrekius dioculus	
3b	Alien does not have shrek-like ears	Go to 4	
<b>4</b> a	Alien has oval shaped head	Go to 5	
<b>4</b> b	Alien has giant bubble-shaped head	Go to 6	
5a	Alien has plain shaped cheeks	<u>Greenius plaincheekius</u>	
5b	Alien has rectangular shaped on cheeks	<u>Greenius rectangucheekius</u>	
6a	Alien has no hair	Baldius Owlius	
6b	Alien has lots of hair	<u>Furius Owlius</u>	
7a	Alien has blue skin	Go to 8	
7b	Alien does not have blue skin	Go to 13	
8a	Alien has light blue skin	Go to 9	
8b	Alien has dark blue skin	Go to 11	
9a	Alien has small head	Go to 10	
9b	Alien has giant bubble-shaped head	<u>Giganticus Cabezius</u>	
10a	Alien has oval-shaped head	Tinius Cabaezius	
10b	Alien has non-oval-shaped head	Go to 12	
11a	Alien has eyes spaced far apart	Wide-eyed Freekius	
11b	Alien has eyes placed close together	Close-eyed Freekius	
12a	Alien has one distinct eyebrow	Weirdo Unibrowus	
12b	Alien has two distinct eyebrows	Weirdo Doublebrowus	
13a	Alien has yellow skin	Go to 14	
13b	Alien has non-yellow skin	Go to 15	
14a	Alien has eyes at the top of face	Higheyed Creepazoid	
14b	Alien has eyes at bottom of face	Loweyed Creepazoid	
15a	Alien has pink skin	Go to 16	
15b	Alien has purple skin	Go to 17	
16a	Alien has large ears	Longia Elephantella	
16b	Alien has small ears	Petita Elephantella	
17a	Alien has slender-shaped pupils	Purple Cateyezius	
17b	Alien has large, round shaped pupils	Purple doeyesiuz	

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Shape of Bird Foot	Type of Bird Foot	Adaptation and Lifestyle
The sales	Climbing	Feet like these help birds, like woodpeckers, climb trees. Notice the sharp nails for digging into the wood, and the back toes so that the bird doesn't topple backward.
M	Swimming	Webbed feet help birds, like ducks, paddle through the water more efficiently.
W.	Running	For running quickly, birds like emus, often have three toes, all of which face forward.
1	Perching	Feet with four toes, one of which is in the back, are useful for perching on tree branches. Birds, like blue jays, wrap their toes around the branch to help balance.
	Grasping	Predatory birds, like hawks, have clawlike feet called talons for grabbing their prey.
X	Scratching	Chickens, and other birds that scratch in the dirt for insects, usually have feet with four toes, all of which have strong nails for digging into the ground.