

Unity West Elementary
1st Grade Lesson Plan for Monday, April 13

Joke for the day: What do you call a bear with no teeth? Answer: A gummy bear!

Time	Class	Activity
9-9:45	Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read for 20 minutes a day. • Choose an activity from the Spelling Homework Menu to complete. <p><u>This Week's Spelling List</u>: snore, score, chore, shore, wore, tore, those, old, round, walk, both, has</p> <p>Writing prompt: Write the steps for cleaning a mess you made.</p> <p>Read Scholastic News: Mo Doesn't Give Up - April 2020 Complete the Reading Checkpoint page Scholastic News website: sn1.scholastic.com password: uwfirst1 <u>Scholastic News Website</u> visit the site for a video and game http://pigeonpresents.com/ Mo Willem's website</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work on your Lexia level: https://www.lexiacore5.com/register
9:45-10:15	Recess	<p>Movement and cooperative activities</p> <p>Do a GoNoodle Brain Break: https://family.gonoodle.com/</p>
10:15-11:00	Math	<p>Skip count from by 10's to 100 while doing jumping jacks.</p> <p>Skip count by 5's to 100 while repeatedly touching your head, shoulders, knees, and toes.</p> <p>Count backwards from 20 to 0 doing the Macarena moves.</p> <p>Problem of the Day: Use any of the numbers 2,3,4,5,6, or 7 to make number sentences that equal 13. Make as many number sentences as you can.</p> <p>Swimming for Number Patterns page</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Play a math game: <u>MobyMax</u> <u>Prodigy</u>
11:00-1:00	Lunch	Go for a walk.
1:00-1:30	Specials	Complete the Specials Bingo Card
1:30-2:00	Social Studies/ Science	<p>Animal Explorer pages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit Scholastic for daily books and activities: https://classroommagazines.scholastic.com/support/learnathome.html

<p>General To-Do List or Notes</p> <p>Have someone teach you to tie your shoes. If you know how, have someone time you tying both shoes to see how fast you can tie them. Write the time here: _____</p>	One thing I will do TODAY for my energy/exercise
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Name: _____



Reading Checkpoint:

Mo Doesn't Give Up!

Use your *Scholastic News* to answer the questions.

1. What is this article mostly about?
- how Mo has good work habits
 - how Elephant and Piggie are friends
 - how Mo uses a computer

2. What is one way Mo took his time to create his characters?

3. Mo never uses his eraser to fix mistakes.

- true false

4. Mo has characters named

Elephant and Piggie.

Can you make up an
animal character?

Draw it here.

Write its name.

your character's name

Spelling Homework Menu

<p>Rainbow Write First, write the words in pencil. Then trace over them in two different colors.</p>	<p>Silly Sentences Write silly sentences using a spelling word in each sentence. <u>Underline</u> the spelling words and write neatly!</p>	<p>Hidden Words Draw and color a picture. Hide your spelling words inside the picture. See if someone can find your hidden words!</p>	<p>Backwards Words Write your spelling words forwards and then backwards! Remember to write neatly!</p>
<p>Waterfall Words Example: c ca cat catic catch</p>	<p>ABC Order Write your spelling words in ABC order. If words start with the same letter, look at the next letter.</p>	<p>Story, Story Write a story using ALL of your spelling words. Be sure to <u>underline</u> your spelling words in the paragraph.</p>	<p>Fancy Words Write your words using fancy letters 2x! Example: catch catch</p>
<p>Three Times First, write each word in pencil. Then, write each word in crayon. Finally, write each word in marker!</p>	<p>Adding My Words Vowels are 10 and consonants are 5. Write your words and then add the value of each word. Ex. cat 5+10+5=20</p>	<p>Riddle Me Write a riddle for each of your words. Don't forget to answer them. Ex: I am cute. I wear diapers. Answer: baby</p>	<p>Rhyming Words Write each of your spelling words with a rhyming word next to them. Ex: cut - shut</p>
<p>Code Words Come up with a code for each letter of the alphabet. Then write your words in code. Ex: A = > B = ♥ C = ☉ Write out the word.</p>	<p>UPPER and Lower Write your words one time with all uppercase letters and one time with all lowercase letters.</p>	<p>Colorful Words Write each of your spelling words. Write each letter using a different color.</p>	<p>Choo Choo Words Write the entire list end-to-end as one long word. Write each new word in a different color.</p>
<p>Magazine Words Use an old magazine or newspaper and find your words or letters that make up words. Glue them down.</p>	<p>Words Within Words Write each spelling word and then write at least two words made from that word. Ex: catch cat hat</p>	<p>Words Without Vowels Write all of your words replacing vowels with a line. Go back and see if you can fill in the vowels.</p>	<p>Other Handed First, write your words with the hand you usually write with. Then, write the list using your other hand!</p>

Swimming for Number Patterns

Fill in the missing numbers.

A fish is swimming to the right, blowing bubbles. The first bubble contains the number 100. The second bubble contains 98. The third bubble is empty. The fourth bubble is empty. The fifth bubble is empty. The sixth bubble is empty. The seventh bubble contains the number 84.

A fish is swimming to the right, blowing bubbles. The first bubble contains the number 96. The second bubble contains 93. The third bubble is empty. The fourth bubble is empty. The fifth bubble is empty. The sixth bubble is empty. The seventh bubble contains the number 72.

A fish is swimming to the right, blowing bubbles. The first bubble contains the number 10. The second bubble contains 20. The third bubble is empty. The fourth bubble is empty. The fifth bubble is empty. The sixth bubble is empty. The seventh bubble contains the number 90.

A fish is swimming to the right, blowing bubbles. The first bubble contains the number 2. The second bubble contains 12. The third bubble is empty. The fourth bubble is empty. The fifth bubble is empty. The sixth bubble is empty. The seventh bubble contains the number 82.

A fish is swimming to the right, blowing bubbles. The first bubble contains the number 0. The second bubble contains 3. The third bubble is empty. The fourth bubble is empty. The fifth bubble is empty. The sixth bubble is empty. The seventh bubble contains the number 24.

A fish is swimming to the right, blowing bubbles. The first bubble contains the number 73. The second bubble contains 71. The third bubble is empty. The fourth bubble is empty. The fifth bubble is empty. The sixth bubble is empty. The seventh bubble contains the number 57.

A fish is swimming to the right, blowing bubbles. The first bubble contains the number 22. The second bubble contains 28. The third bubble is empty. The fourth bubble is empty. The fifth bubble is empty. The sixth bubble is empty. The seventh bubble contains the number 56.

Animal Explorer

Did you know that there are over a million different species of animals on Earth? Crazy, right? Because there are so many different types of animals in the world, scientists have sorted them into groups. This is called **classifying**.

Some animals can be classified by **characteristics**:

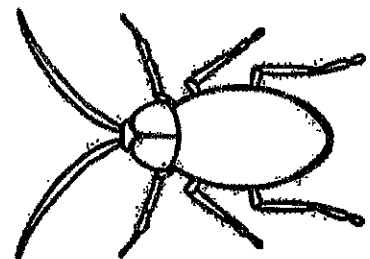
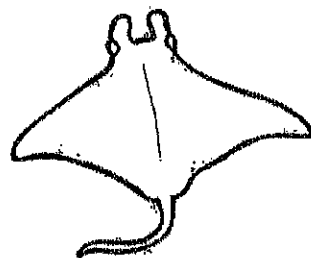
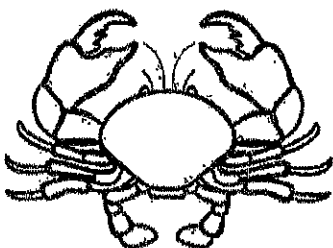
- * Animals with Fur - tigers, lions, dogs, cats, skunks
- * Animals with Fins - goldfish, sharks, whales, swordfish
- * Animals with Shells - turtles, crabs, snails, hermit crabs
- * Animals with Wings - butterflies, birds, mosquitoes, fireflies

Scientists have a more thorough way of classifying animals. First, animals are classified as **vertebrates** or **invertebrates**.

Vertebrates are all animals with a backbone. This gives animals' bodies support and shape. Invertebrates are all animals without a backbone. These animals do not have a bony skeleton.

Scientists further classify animals into smaller groups. The main groups are: **amphibians, arthropods, birds, fish, mammals, and reptiles**.

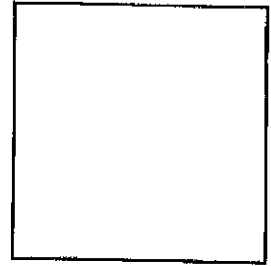
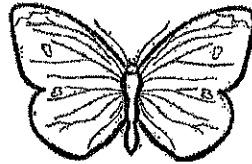
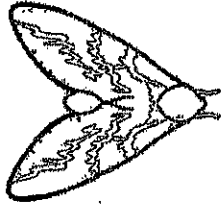
On the following page you'll classify animals into different groups.



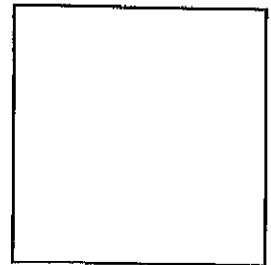
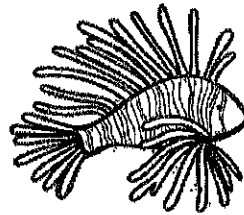
Animal Explorer

Look at each group of animals. Decide how you'd like to classify the group.

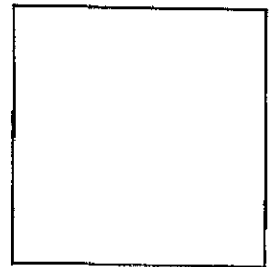
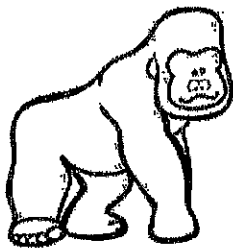
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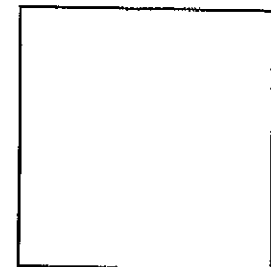
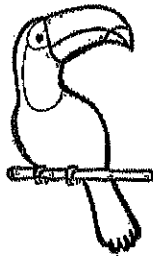
These animals _____



These animals _____



These animals _____



These animals _____

Unity West Elementary
1st Grade Lesson Plan for Tuesday, April 14

Joke of the day: Why do bees have sticky hair? Answer: Because they use honeycombs!

Time	Class	Activity
9-9:45	Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read for 20 minutes a day. • Choose a new activity from the Spelling Homework Menu to complete. <p>Writing prompt: Imagine you discovered a magic tunnel at the park. Describe what you see when you</p> <p>"Bees" page</p> <p>Work on your Lexia level: https://www.lexiacore5.com/register</p>
9:45-10:15	Recess	<p>Movement and cooperative activities</p> <p>Do a GoNoodle Brain Break: https://family.gonoodle.com/</p>
10:15-11:00	Math	<p>Skip count from by 10's to 100 while doing jumping jacks. Skip count by 5's to 100 while repeatedly touching your head, shoulders, knees, and toes. Count backwards from 20 to 0 doing the Macarena moves.</p> <p>Problem of the Day: Start at the number 45. Add 2 tens. Add 3 ones. What is the new number?</p> <p>Measuring Around the House page</p> <p>Play a math game: MobyMax Prodigy</p>
11:00-1:00	Lunch	Help by cleaning up the table after you eat lunch
1:00-1:30	Specials	Complete Specials Bingo
1:30-2:00	Social Studies/ Science	<p>Mammals pages</p> <p>Visit Scholastic for daily books and activities: https://classroommagazines.scholastic.com/support/learnathome.html</p>

<p>General To-Do List or Notes</p> <p>Have someone teach you to tie your shoes. If you know how, have someone time you tying both shoes to see how fast you can tie them. Write the time here: _____</p>	One thing I will do TODAY for my energy/exercise
	Today, I was kind because

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Bees



Honeybees are the most common bee. They live in big groups called colonies. One queen runs the hive and rarely leaves the hive. Female worker bees build honeycombs, find food and protect the hive. Honeybees make honey from the pollen and nectar they pollinate. They can live for many years. Many queen bees can live up to five years.

1. Underline the word from above that tells where bees live.

2. Write two kinds of bees .

3. **Circle** true or false.

Bees live alone

true

false

Queen bees always stay in the hive.

true

false

4. **Circle** the bee you think would do the following jobs?

make honey

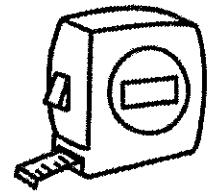
queen

worker

lay eggs

queen

worker



Measuring Around the House

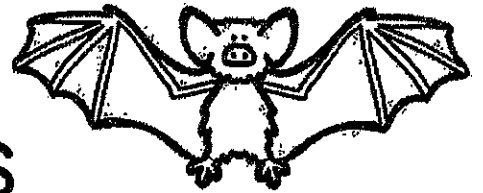
Pick 3 objects around your house that you'd like to measure. Then, pick two smaller objects to measure that item with (such as a paper clip, clothespin, sugar packet, etc.)

I measured _____ with _____. It was _____ long. Then, I measured it again with _____ and it was _____ long.

I measured _____ with _____. It was _____ long. Then, I measured it again with _____ and it was _____ long.

I measured _____ with _____. It was _____ long. Then, I measured it again with _____ and it was _____ long.

Why are the two measurements different?



Mammals

Can you believe *you're* an animal, too? Can you guess what group you're part of? Here's a hint: monkeys, whales and anteaters are also part of the same group as us. Did you guess a mammal?

Here are some important facts about mammals:

- * Mammals have fur, hair or wool on their bodies.
- * Mammals are vertebrates (because they have backbones).
- * Mammals breathe with their lungs.
- * Mammals are warm-blooded.
- * Most mammals give birth to live young. The only two mammals that do not give birth to live young are the spiny anteater and the duck-billed platypus.
- * Baby mammals drink milk that is produced by their mother.

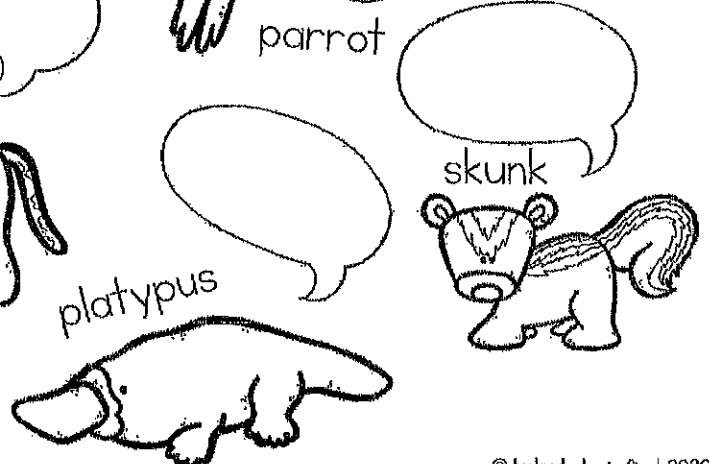
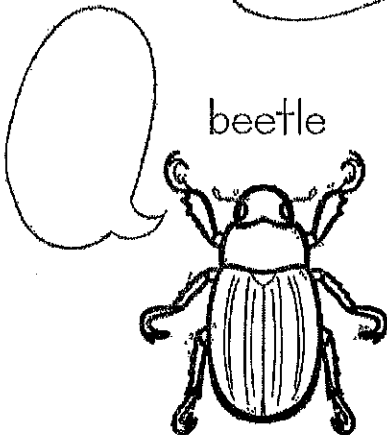
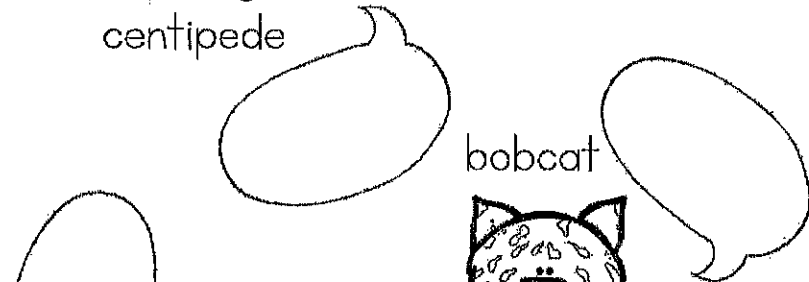
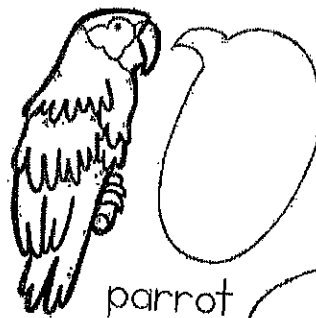
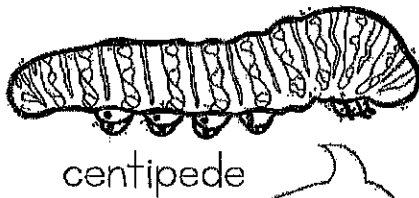
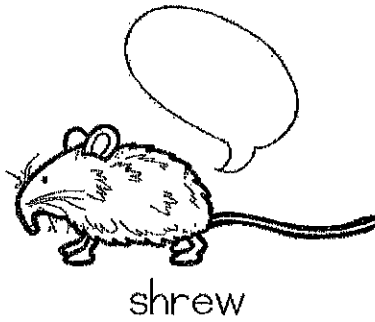
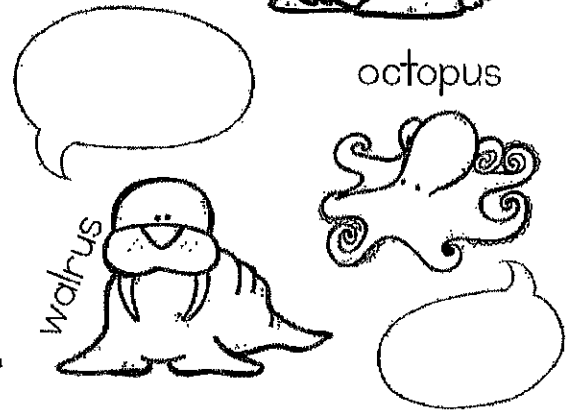
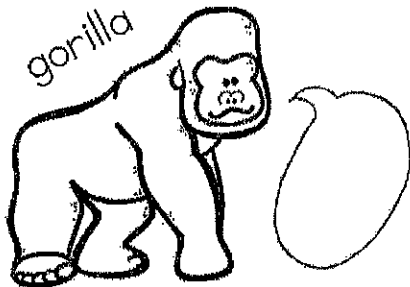
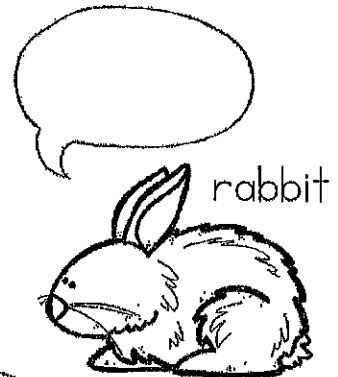
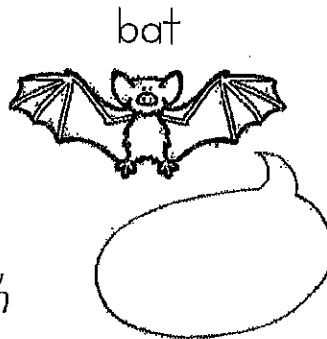
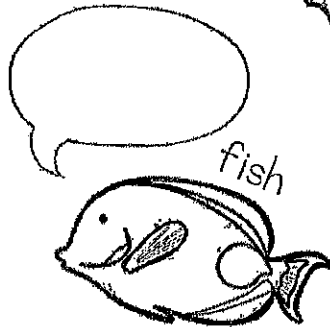
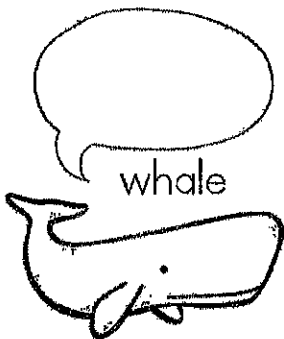
Fun Facts about mammals:

- * The largest mammal lives in the sea. It's the blue whale which can weigh up to 420,000 pounds!
- * The largest land mammal is the African Bush Elephant.
- * The smallest mammal is the Bumblebee bat and weighs only 2 grams (which is about the weight of a penny!).
- * The fastest land animal is the cheetah which can run up to 70 mph!
- * Human beings can live longer than most other mammals (except whales who can live to 100!)



Are You a Mammal?

Look at each animal. Write **yes** in the speech bubble if the animal is a mammal. Write **no** in the bubble if the animal is not a mammal.



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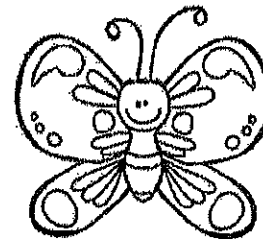
Joke of the day: When is a baseball player like a spider? Answer: When he catches a fly!

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9-9:45	Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read for 20 minutes a day. • Choose a new activity from the Spelling Homework Menu to complete. <p>Writing prompt: Describe a dream trip. Where would it be? Who would join you?</p> <p>"Butterflies" page</p> <p>Work on your Lexia level: https://www.lexiacore5.com/register</p>
9:45-10:15	Recess	<p>Movement and cooperative activities</p> <p>Do a GoNoodle Brain Break: https://family.gonoodle.com/</p>
10:15-11:00	Math	<p>Skip count from by 10's to 100 while doing jumping jacks.</p> <p>Skip count by 5's to 100 while repeatedly touching your head, shoulders, knees, and toes.</p> <p>Count backwards from 20 to 0 doing the Macarena moves.</p> <p>Problem of the Day: Can you make the number 76 using only the numbers 50, 3, 1, 10, and 10? Show your thinking.</p> <p>Write About It! page</p> <p>Play a math game: MobyMax Prodigy</p>
11:00-1:00	Lunch	List as many "GO" foods as you can.
1:00-1:30	Specials	Complete the Kindness Bingo from Ms. Cross
1:30-2:00	Social Studies/ Science	<p>Creepy Crawlies and A New Insect! pages</p> <p>Visit Scholastic for daily books and activities: https://classroommagazines.scholastic.com/support/learnathome.html</p>

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Butterflies



Butterflies are insects that change a lot in their life.

A butterfly starts as a small egg. A caterpillar hatches from the egg. It eats a lot and grows. Once it's full, the caterpillar changes into a pupa. They stay in the pupa until it turns into a butterfly.

1. Circle the animal group butterflies are part of.

2. Number the life cycle in order.

_____ butterfly

_____ egg

_____ pupa

_____ caterpillar

3. What causes a caterpillar to grow?

Caterpillars grow because _____.

4. Underline the word that describes a butterfly's egg.

Write About It!

Write two story problems about objects in your home. Don't forget to ask the question!

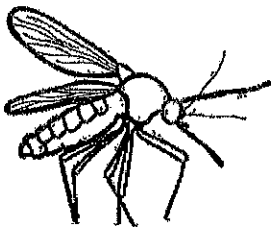
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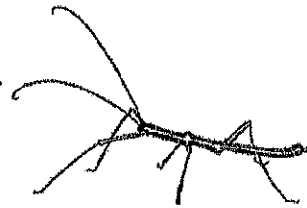
A New Insect!

Insects are a type of arthropod. Insects have three body parts: a head, a thorax and an abdomen. The head is where an insect's eyes, antennae and jaw are. An insect's legs are attached to its thorax. Some insects have wings which are also found on the thorax. Insects usually have six legs. Insects do not have a nose but they can smell through their antennae.

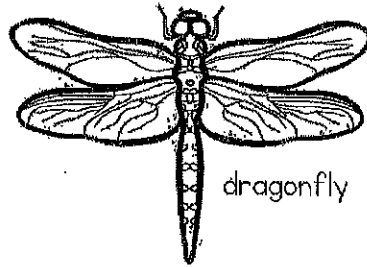
Below are a few insects. Can you find each of its three parts?



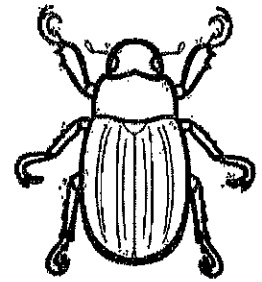
mosquito



walking stick



dragonfly



beetle

I was walking down the street and I discovered a new bug! I named this new type of bug



I noticed that this bug can _____

and _____ and _____!

Creepy Crawlies

Creepy crawlies are any crawling, wriggling or flying invertebrates. Fireflies, crabs, spiders, snails and centipedes are all different types of creepy crawlies. Scientists call creepy crawlies **arthropods**.

These animals are a very important part of the animal kingdom. In fact, creepy crawlies make up more than 85% of our planet's animals.

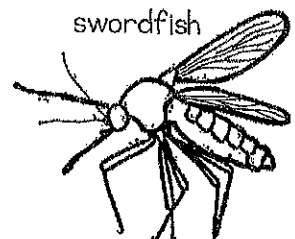
They have important jobs from pollinating flowers to turning decomposing plant matter into rich new soil, and are even food for many other animals!

Four Traits of Arthropods:

- * Arthropods have segmented bodies. That means that their bodies are made up of more than one part. For instance, a spider has two segments while a beetle has three segments.
- * Arthropods have many jointed legs or limbs. For instance, fireflies have 6 legs, spiders have 8 and a millipede can have hundreds!
- * Arthropods have an exoskeleton, which is an external skeleton. Just like armor it protects their bodies. When arthropods are born the exoskeleton is soft but it hardens quickly and it sheds as the creepy crawly grows.
- * Arthropods are cold-blooded which means that their body temperature depends on the temperature of the environment surrounding them.



lion fish



swordfish

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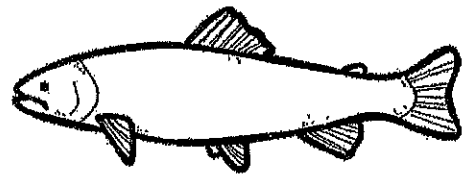
Joke of the day: What did the shark say after eating a clown fish? Answer: This tastes a little funny!

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11:00-1:00	Lunch	Make sure you take time to clean your room.
1:00-1:30	Specials	Complete Specials Bingo
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Fish



Fish are animals that live underwater. They can live in the ocean or rivers. Fish have gills to help them breathe. Their fins help them swim around the ocean. Scales protect the fish's body. Most fish live in groups called schools.

1. **Circle** the word from above that tells where fish live.

2. Draw a picture of a fish. **Label** its fins, gill, and scales.

3. Why do fish need gills?

Fish need gills _____.

4. Underline what protects a fish.

Sharpen Your Math Skills

Write the missing number.

$$\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ + \square \\ \hline 8 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \square \\ - 6 \\ \hline 11 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ + \square \\ \hline 18 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \square \\ - 7 \\ \hline 13 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ + \square \\ \hline 12 \end{array}$$

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$$\begin{array}{r} 17 \\ - \square \\ \hline 12 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \square \\ - 10 \\ \hline 10 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ + \square \\ \hline 9 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \square \\ - 2 \\ \hline 16 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ + \square \\ \hline 17 \end{array}$$

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Bird Beaks

Birds' beaks have changed over time to help birds eat. Read the clues and draw a line to each bird's beak it describes.

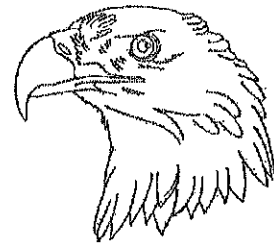
A short, sharp beak helps this bird drill trees for insects.

A long and rounded beak helps this bird scoop up food through the water.

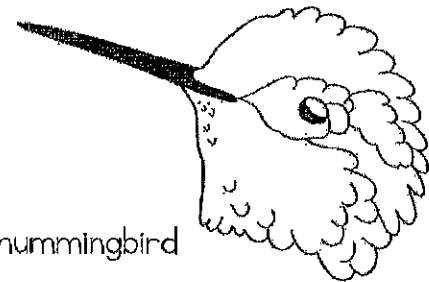
A short cone shaped beak helps this bird crack seeds.

A hooked beak helps this bird tear meat.

A long and thin beak helps this bird get nectar from flowers.



eagle



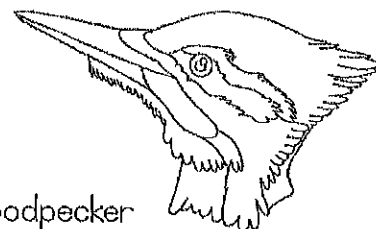
hummingbird



pelican



sparrow



woodpecker

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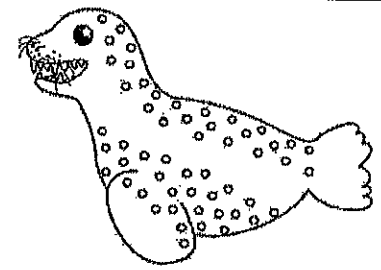
Joke of the day: What do you call a cheese that's not yours? Answer: Nacho cheese!

Time	Class	Activity
9-9:45	Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read for 20 minutes a day. • Choose a new activity from the Spelling Homework Menu to complete. Writing prompt: Describe a few ways people can spread kindness. "Leopard Seals" page Work on your Lexia level: https://www.lexiacore5.com/register
9:45-10:15	Recess	Movement and cooperative activities Do a GoNoodle Brain Break: https://family.gonoodle.com/
10:15-11:00	Math	Skip count from by 10's to 100 while doing jumping jacks. Skip count by 5's to 100 while repeatedly touching your head, shoulders, knees, and toes. Count backwards from 20 to 0 doing the Macarena moves. Problem of the Day: 6 flowers bloomed on Monday. 10 flowers bloomed on Tuesday. Some more flowers bloomed on Wednesday. 20 flowers bloomed in all. How many bloomed on Wednesday? Inchworm Measurement page Play a math game: MobyMax Prodigy
11:00-1:00	Lunch	Think about your lunch, did you eat a "GO" food?
1:00-1:30	Specials	Check out Mrs. Knott's Library class at unitywestelementary.com
1:30-2:00	Social Studies/ Science	Mo Willems directed draw Elephant and Piggie speech bubbles writing Visit Scholastic for daily books and activities: https://classroommagazines.scholastic.com/support/learnathome.html

General To-Do List or Notes Have someone teach you to tie your shoes. If you know how, have someone time you tying both shoes to see how fast you can tie them. Write the time here: _____	One thing I will do TODAY for my energy/exercise
	Today, I am grateful for

Reminders: Continue to practice sight word lists each day.

Leopard Seals



Leopard seals live in the chilly waters of the Antarctic. They live alone. Leopard seals use their strong jaws and big teeth to hunt. They eat fish, krill, squid and other seals. Leopard seals can live to be 25 years old.

1. **Circle** where leopard seals live.

2. Name two things leopard seals eat.

3. What helps leopard seals hunt?

Leopard seals use their _____ and _____ to hunt.

4 Circle true or false.

Leopard seals can live to be 25.

true

false

They eat fish only.

true

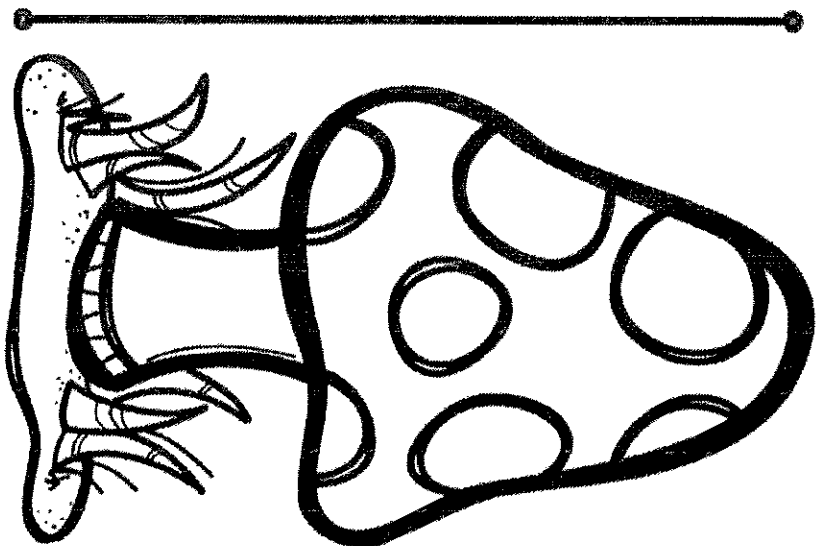
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Name: _____

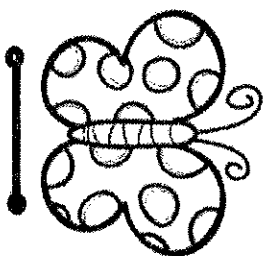
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Inchworm Measurement

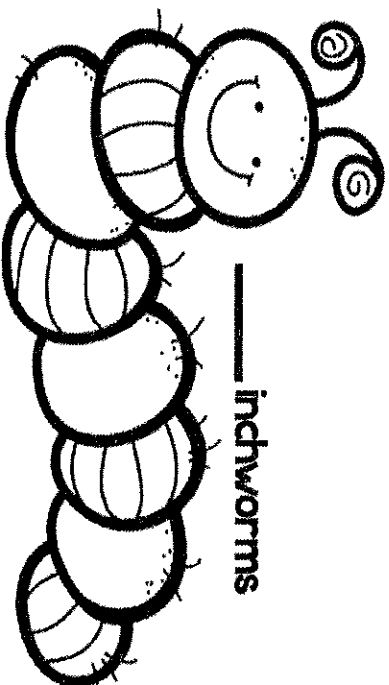
Cut out the Inchworm ruler at the bottom. Measure the height/length of each object to the closest inchworm. Write your answer in the blank.



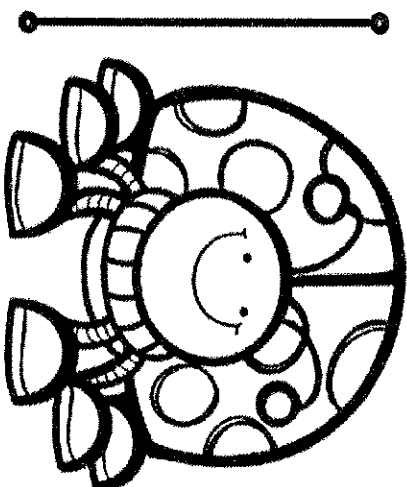
_____ inchworms



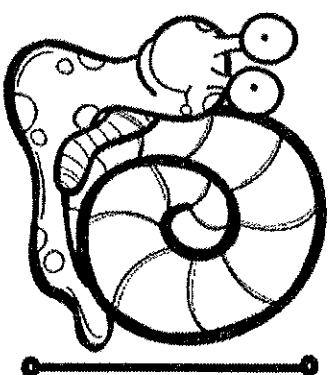
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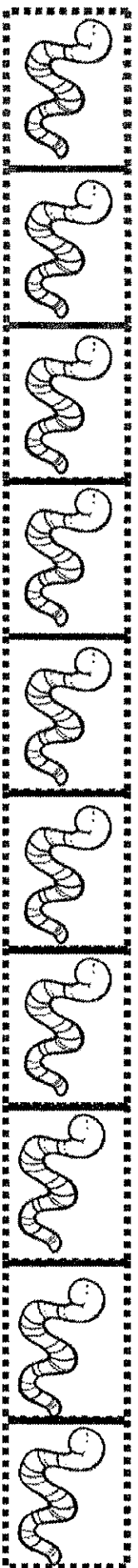
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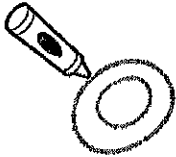
Don't forget
to sign your name
so everyone knows
who made
this awesome
pigeon!



Name: _____

Draw the Pigeon!

Draw the Pigeon here.



1

Start with the letter "O." Then draw a smaller letter "O" inside it.



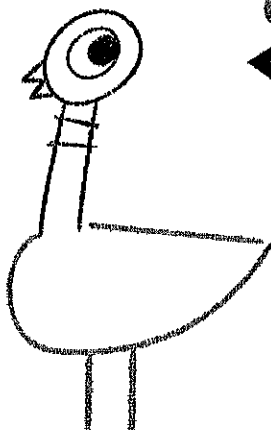
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Draw another circle in the eye, and color it in. To make the beak, draw a letter "M" on its side.



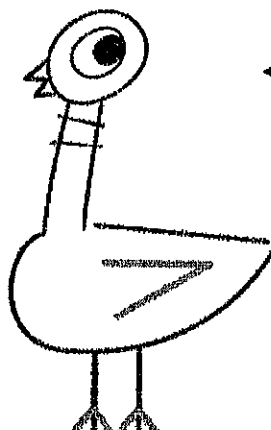
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Draw two lines straight down for the neck. Draw two lines across the neck for the collar.



4

Now draw the body. It's shaped like an ice cream cone that's fallen over. Next, draw two lines straight down for the legs.



5

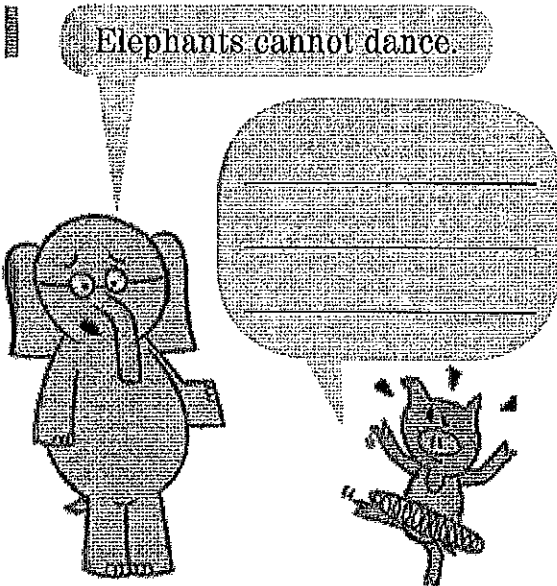
Draw two upside-down letter "V's" for the feet. Then draw another "V" for the wing. You're done!

Name: _____

Elephant and Piggie have some challenges. Look at the pictures below.
Write what they could say to help each other.

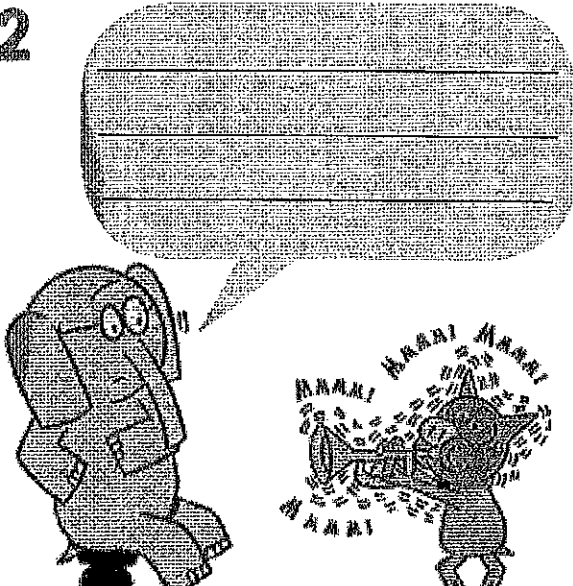
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Elephants cannot dance.



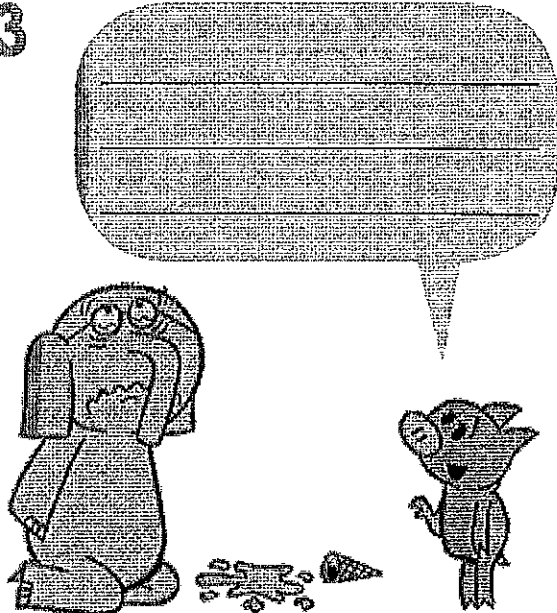
Elephant thinks that elephants cannot dance. What could Piggie say?

2



Piggie wants to play the trumpet, but it doesn't sound right. What could Elephant say?

3



Elephant dropped his ice cream! What could Piggie say?

4



Piggie wants to play outside, but it's raining. What could Elephant say?