

# NTI DAY 31



April 27, 2020

Harrison County Schools

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: 1st

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

**Complete within 2 weeks of returning to school.**

## First Grade NTI Day #31

### Reading/Writing

#### *Amazing Animals*

This week we are going to be reading the *Amazing Animals*. Our focus this week is for your student to use what he/she knows to figure out more when reading. This is an informational/nonfiction story, which gives facts. As you read look for facts in the text and pictures.

1. Read the story with your student. Discuss Essential Questions found on the story pages.
2. Circle the vocabulary words in the story.

### Phonics

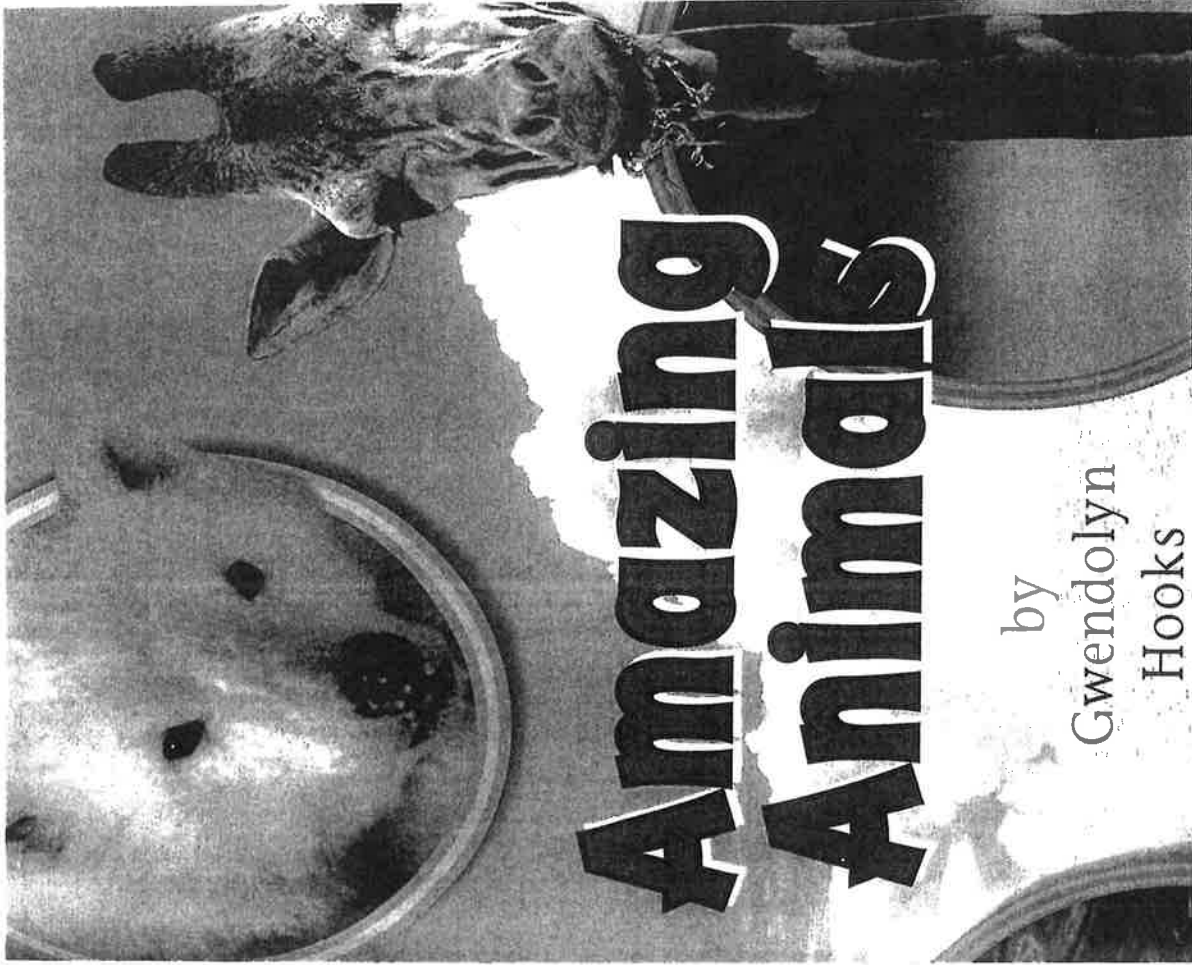
This week we will focus on the -r controlled vowel er, ir, ur. All three make the same sound /er/. There is no rule as to when to spell with these three patterns. The ability to recognize the correct spelling will develop with reading/writing experience.

Complete Spelling page. Afterwards, have your student practice reading words from the **Words to Practice** page.

### Math- Fractions

Complete the **Lesson** with your student. The focus of this lesson is to develop your students understanding of equal shares. Has the shape been divided so all parts are equal or the same? Afterwards, your student should be able to complete the **Independent Practice** page.

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# Amazing Animals

by  
Gwendolyn  
Hooks

## ESSENTIAL QUESTION

Why do some animals have spots or stripes?



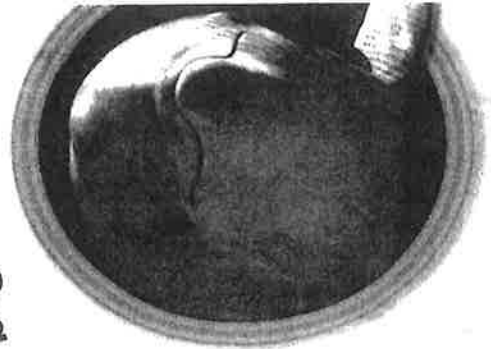
**Big eyes,**



**long beak,**



**thick fur,**



**big squeak!**

Animals get a lot of help as they grow up. Let's find out about eight amazing animals.

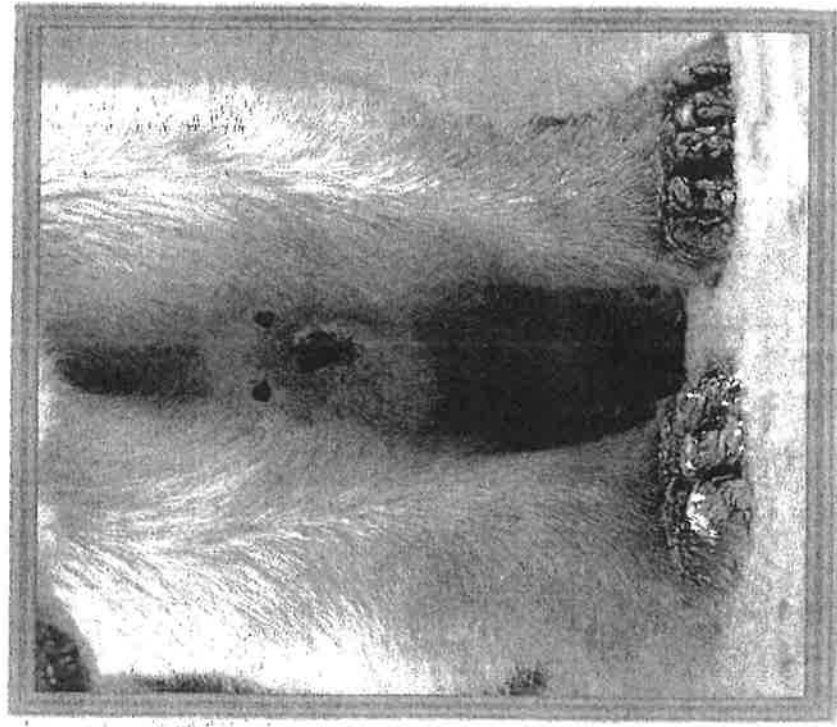
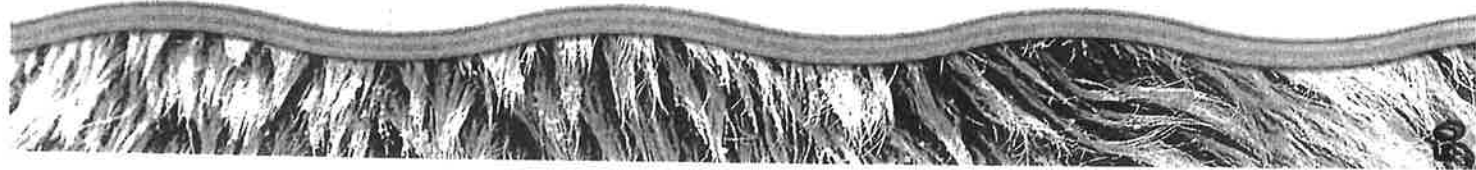
# Polar Bear

A polar bear has thick fur. Each hair is like a tube. The hair has no color, like glass. The sun makes it look white.

How does thick, white fur help?

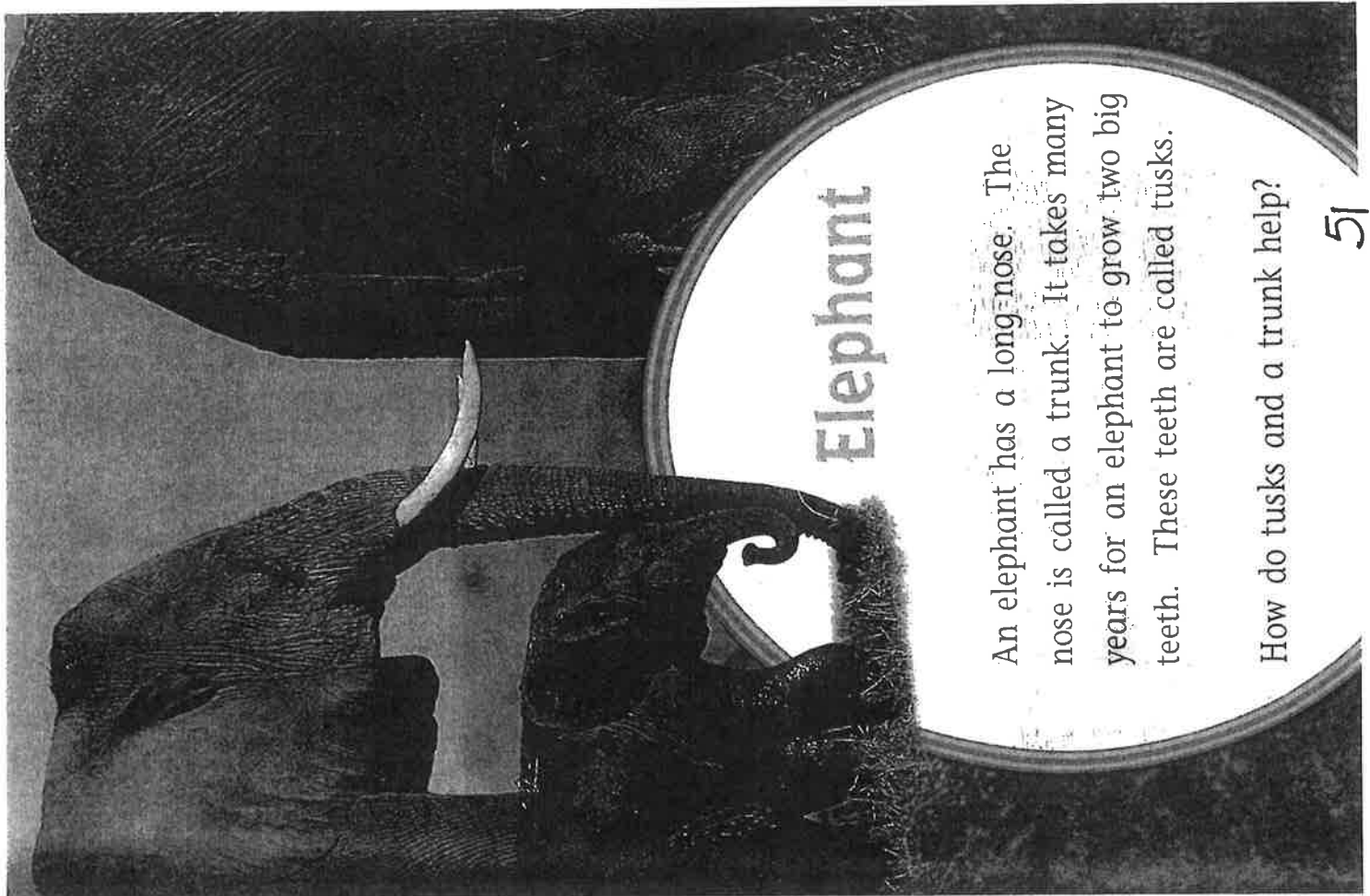
## ANALYZE THE TEXT

**Conclusions** How do you think the color of their fur helps polar bears?



Thick fur helps polar bears stay warm. The color of their fur looks the same as snow. This helps them hide.

Where does this cute young polar bear like to hide?



# Elephant

An elephant has a long nose. The nose is called a trunk. It takes many years for an elephant to grow two big teeth. These teeth are called tusks.

How do tusks and a trunk help?

## ANALYZE THE TEXT

Using Context What are tusks? How do elephants use their tusks?



Elephants use their tusks to scrape bark off trees. Then they eat the bark. These elephants are learning to use their trunks to get water.

Sometimes they will spray water at a friend!



# Camel

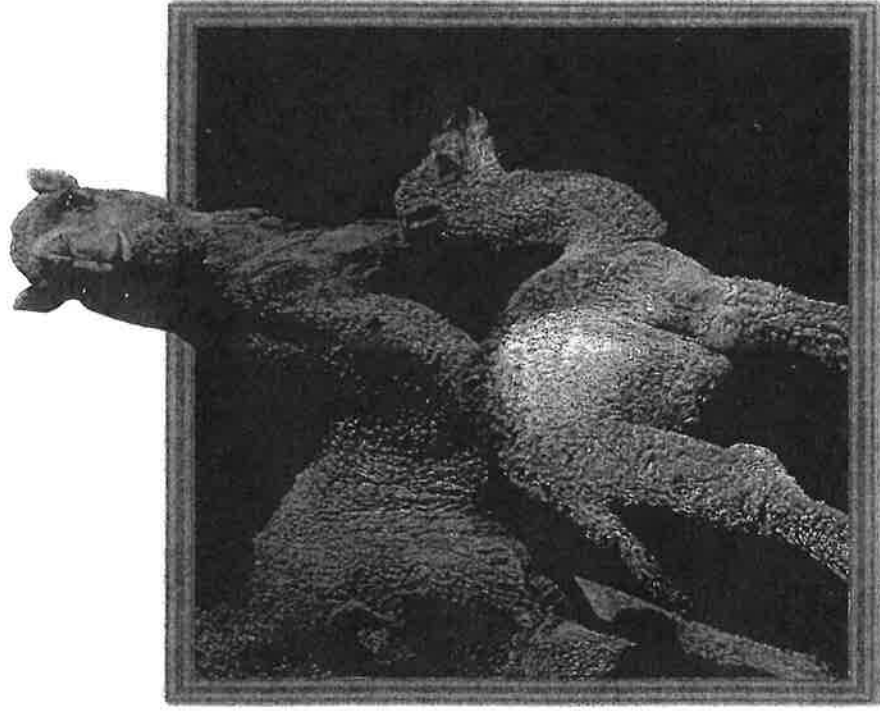
Some camels have one hump.  
Some have two. All camels  
have two rows of eyelashes.

How do humps and thick  
eyelashes help?



A camel's hump has fat inside. On long trips, a camel's body uses the fat for food. A camel's eyelashes keep out the desert sand.

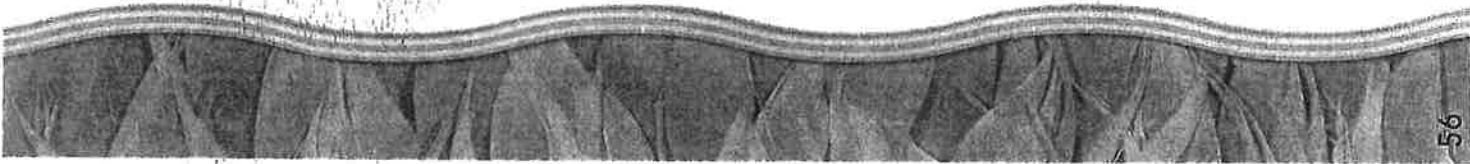
This baby camel will follow his mother when the herd goes from place to place.



# Duck

A duck is a bird. It has two feet,  
and each foot has three toes. A  
duck has a beak, too.

How do feet and a beak help?



Ducks use their feet to swim in the  
water or walk on land. They use  
their beaks to eat plants and bugs.

Look! This duck uses her beak to  
clean her friend.

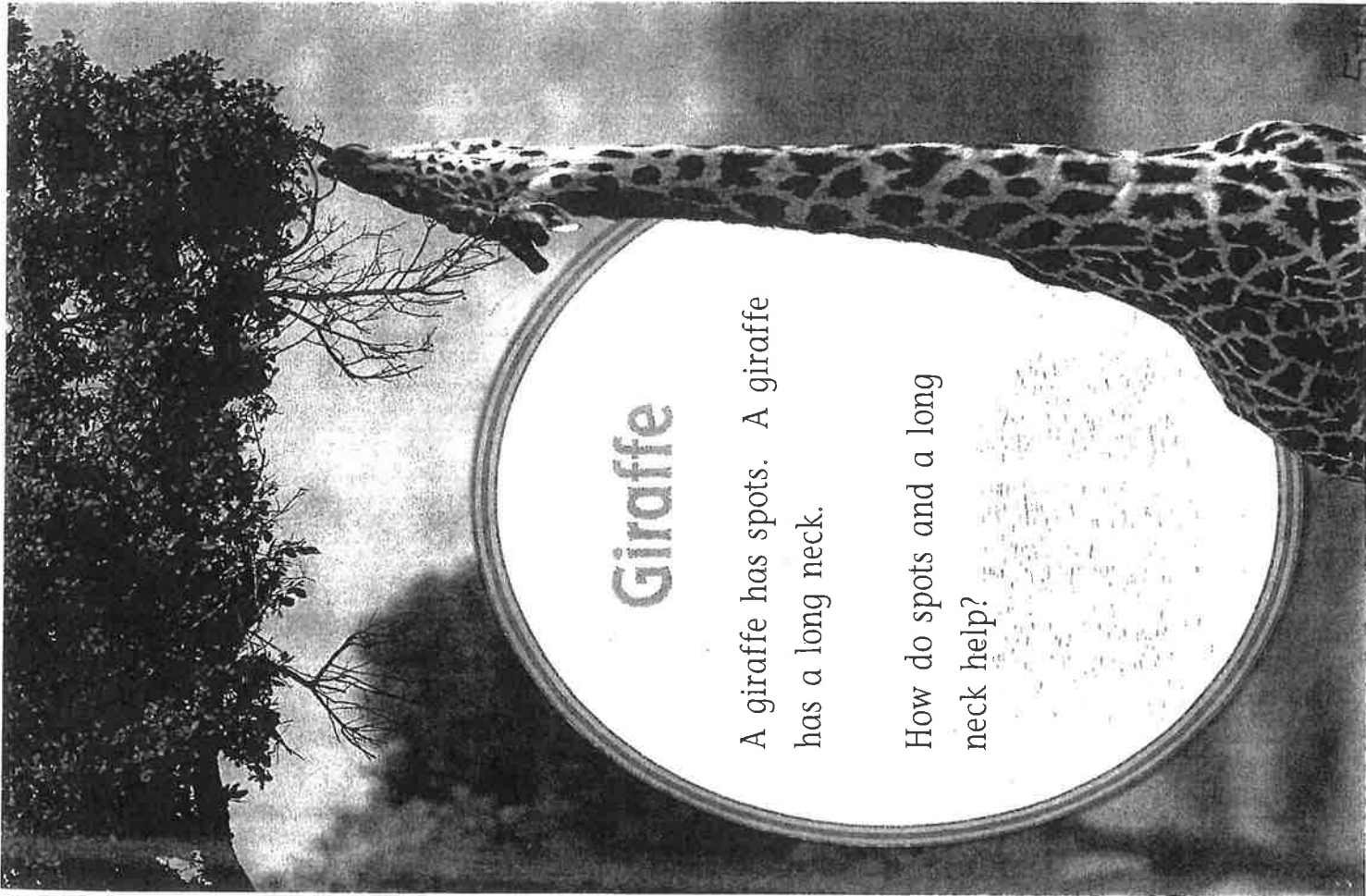
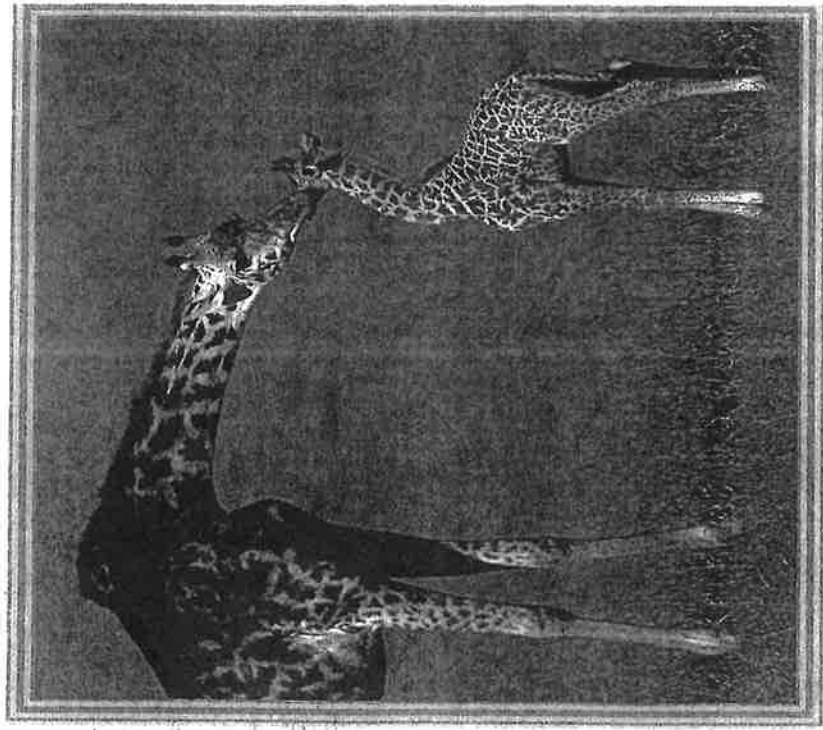
# Giraffe

A giraffe has spots. A giraffe has a long neck.

How do spots and a long neck help?

A giraffe's spots help it hide. A giraffe's long neck helps it reach the leaves of trees.

This giraffe's long neck helps her reach her baby. She gives him a big kiss!





# Porcupine

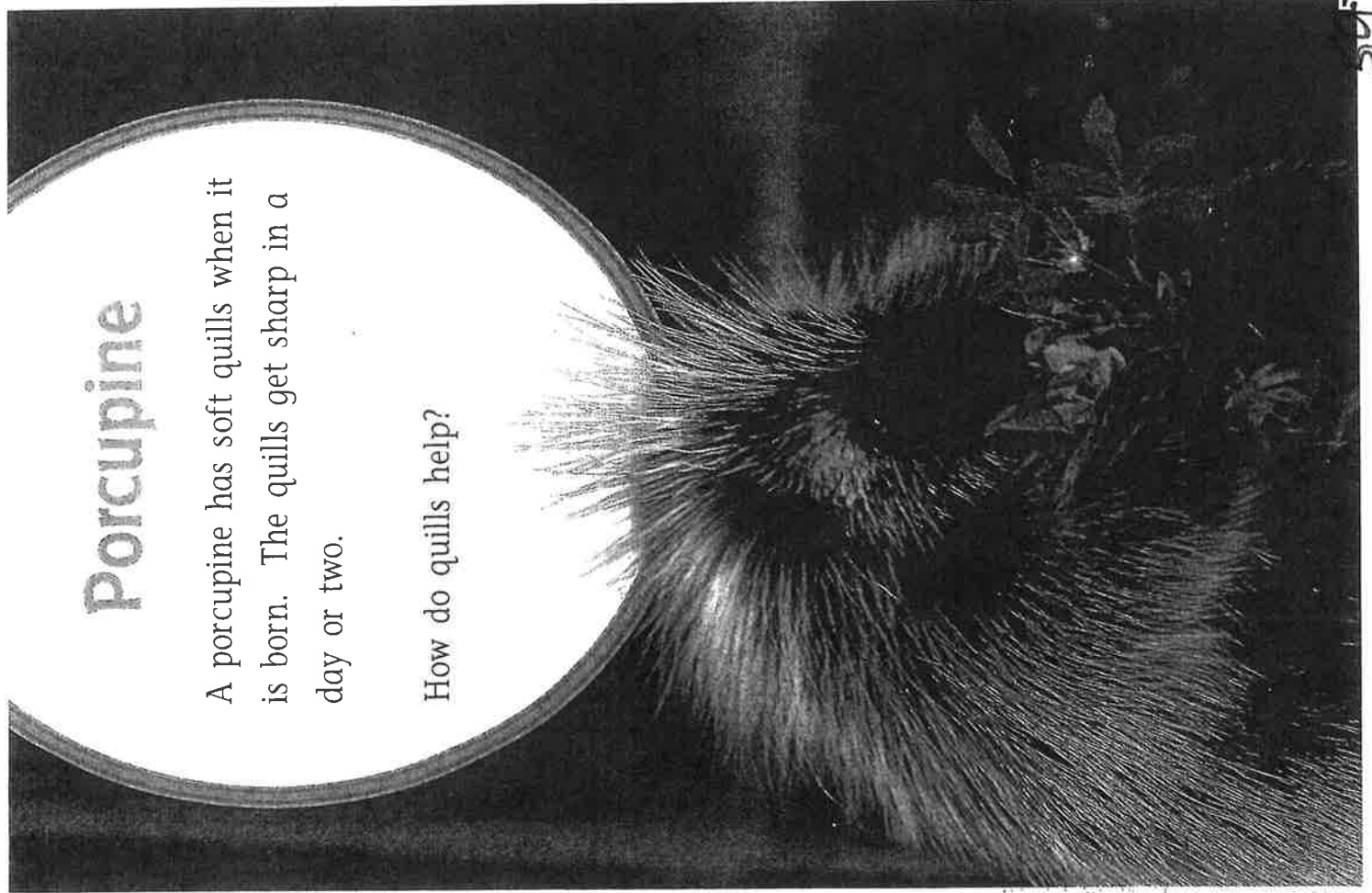
A porcupine has soft quills when it is born. The quills get sharp in a day or two.

How do quills help?



Quills help keep a porcupine safe. If an animal begins to come too close, the porcupine backs into it. The sharp quills hurt!

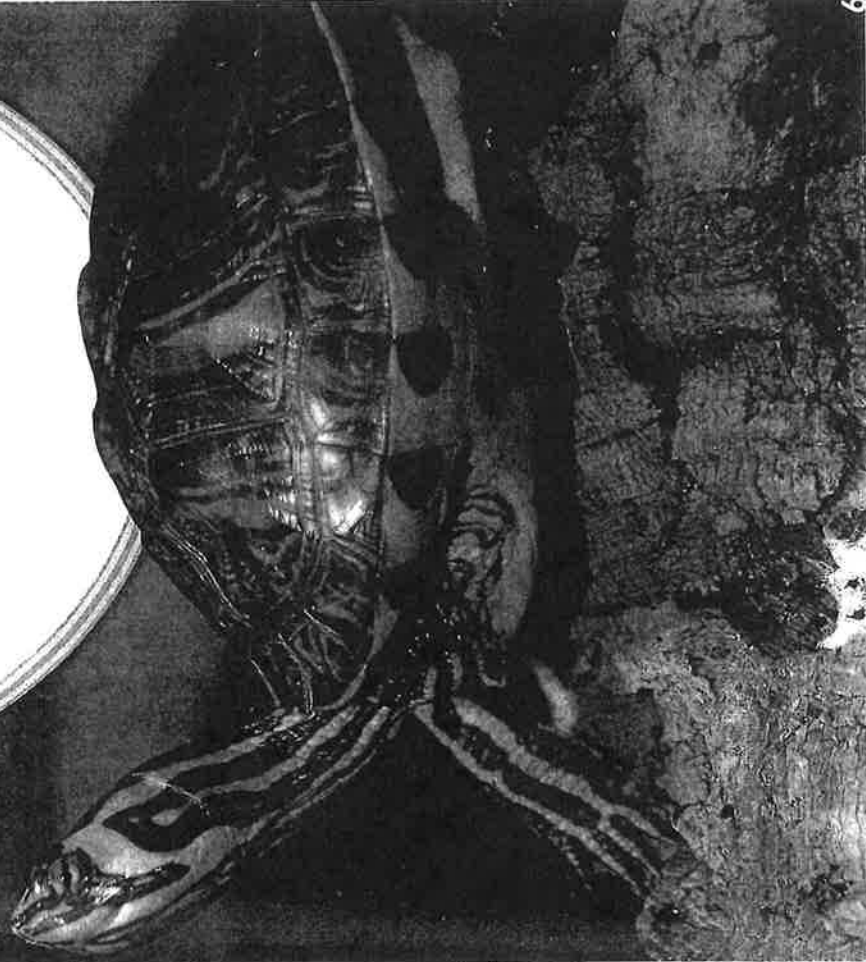
Quills tell this cub to stay away!



# Turtle

A turtle has a shell that is very hard.

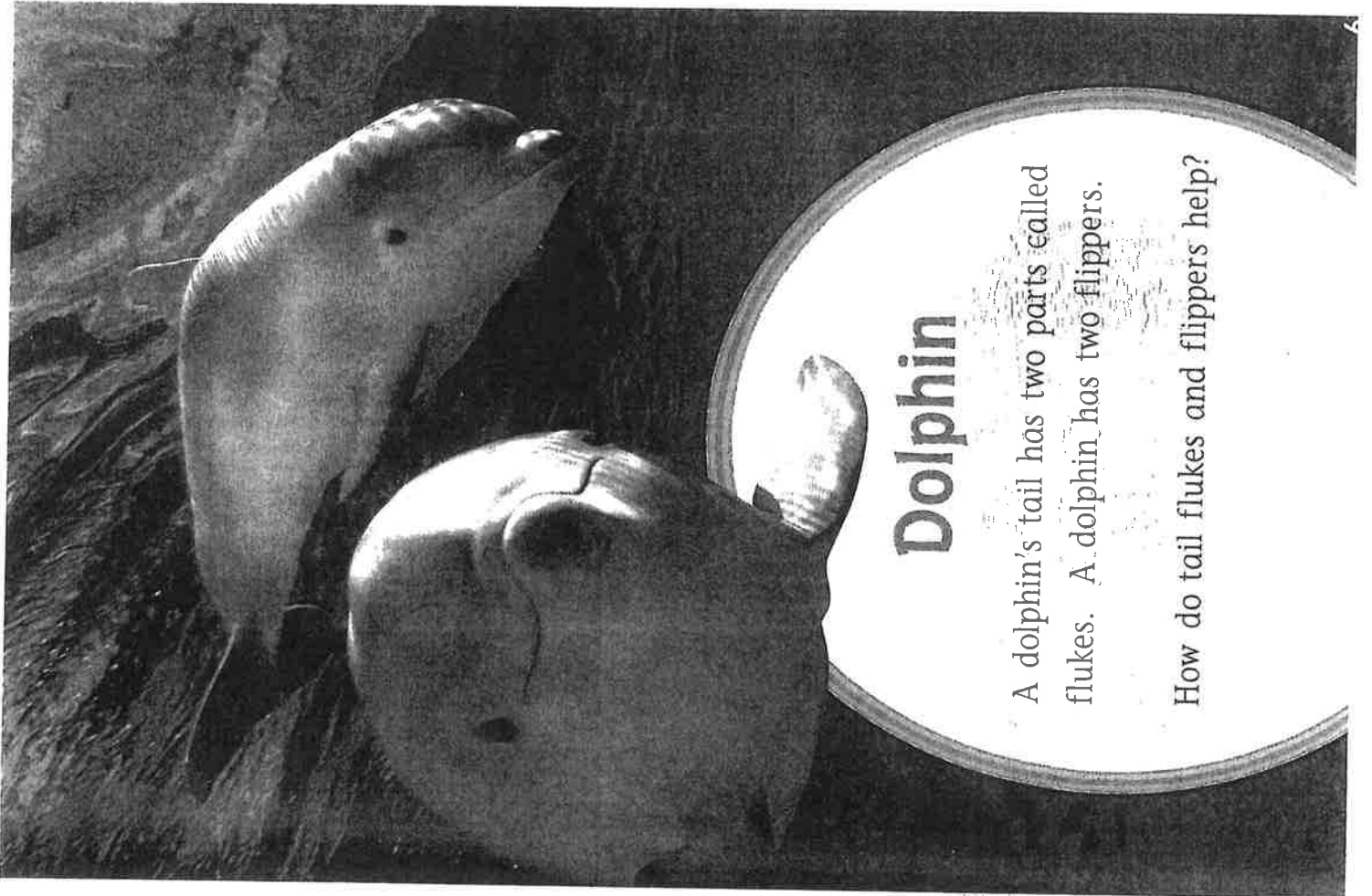
How does a hard shell help?



A turtle can hide inside its shell from an animal that may hurt it. The turtle waits until the animal goes away. Then the turtle comes back out.

You're safe now, turtle!

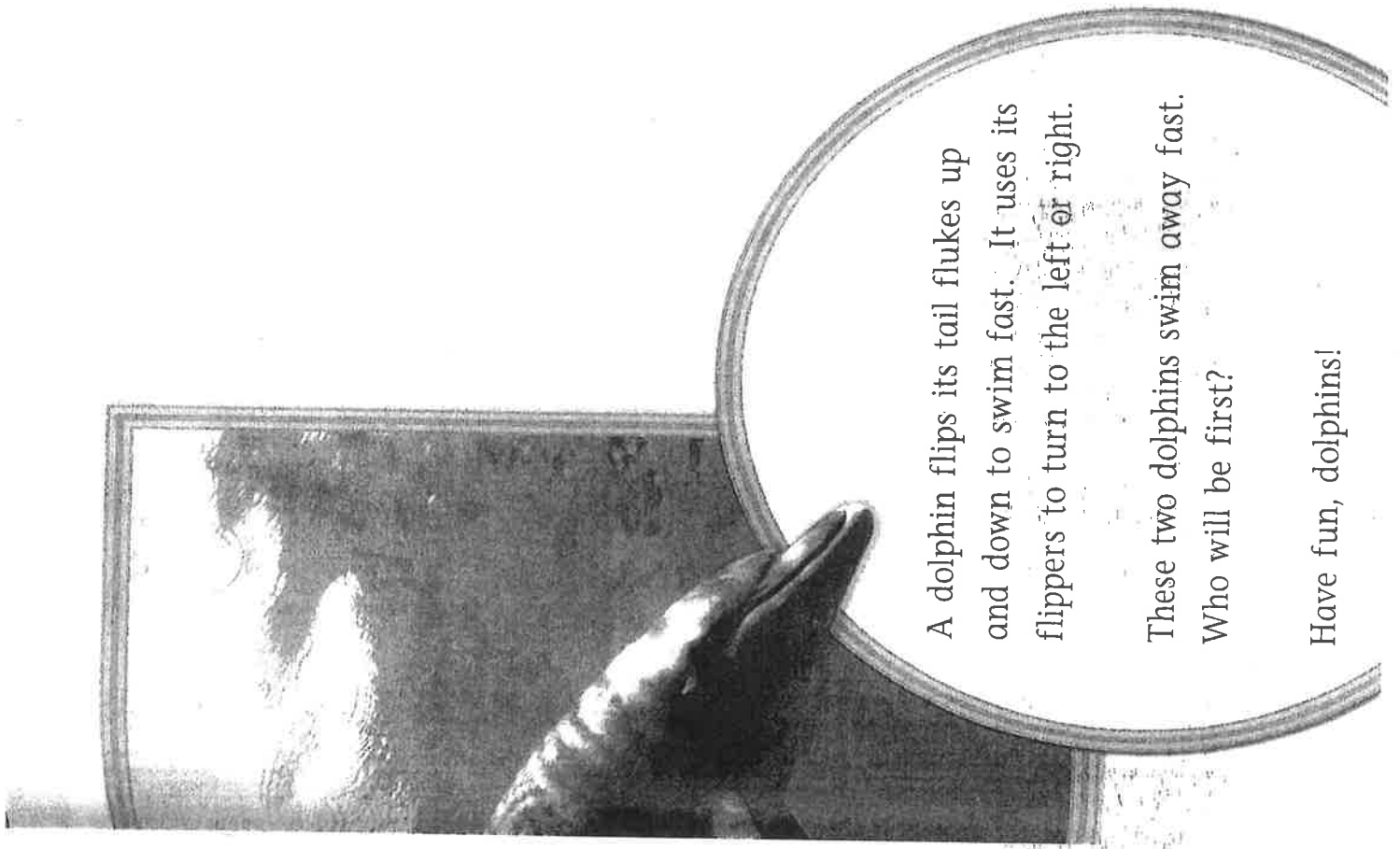




## Dolphin

A dolphin's tail has two parts called flukes. A dolphin has two flippers.

How do tail flukes and flippers help?



A dolphin flips its tail flukes up and down to swim fast. It uses its flippers to turn to the left or right.

These two dolphins swim away fast. Who will be first?

Have fun, dolphins!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Amazing Animals**  
Vocabulary Word Cards

<b>baby</b>	<b>learning</b>
<b>begins</b>	<b>until</b>
<b>eight</b>	<b>years</b>
<b>follow</b>	<b>young</b>

Name \_\_\_\_\_

# Spelling Words with *r*-Controlled Vowels *er, ir, ur*

**Amazing Animals**  
Spelling: Words with *er, ir, ur*

## Spelling Words

sir  
fern  
girl  
her  
third  
hurt  
fur  
bird  
turn  
stir

 Write the Spelling Words with *er*.

_____	_____
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1. _____	2. _____

 Write the Spelling Words with *ir*.

_____	_____
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3. _____	4. _____
_____	_____
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5. _____	6. _____
_____	_____
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7. _____	

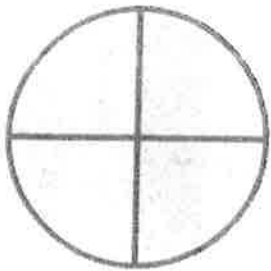
 Write the Spelling Words with *ur*.

_____	_____
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8. _____	9. _____
_____	_____
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10. _____	

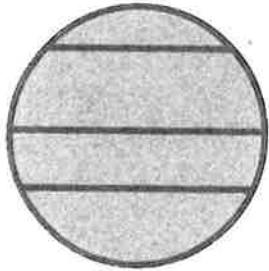
## Words to Practice

fern	bird	curl
clerk	shirt	curd
her	stir	hurt
herd	girl	blurt
jerk	third	purse
verb	first	nurse
serve	chirp	burn
nerve	dirt	curb
**swerve	**quirky	**sturdy
**perfect	**confirm	**disturb

**\*\*Challenge words**



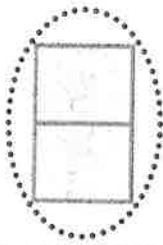
Shapes can be divided into parts, or shares. Sometimes the shares are equal.



Sometimes the shares are not equal.



Which shows 2 equal shares?



2 equal shares



Which shows 4 equal shares?



4 equal shares



### Do You Understand?

**Show Me!** Is this shape divided into equal shares? Explain how you know.



☆ **Guided Practice** Decide if each picture shows equal shares. Then circle **Yes** or **No**.

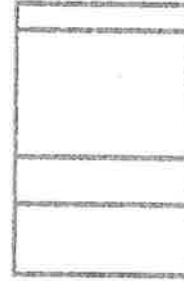


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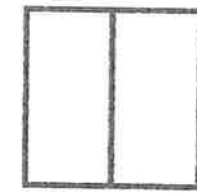
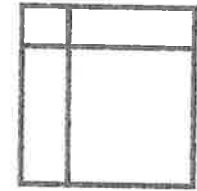
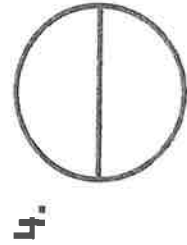
Yes

No

No



3.



Yes

No

Yes

No

Yes

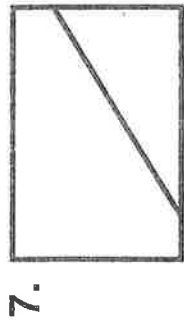
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☆ **Independent**

Write the number of equal shares in each shape.

☆ **Practice**

If the shares are **NOT** equal, write 0.



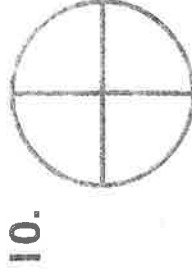
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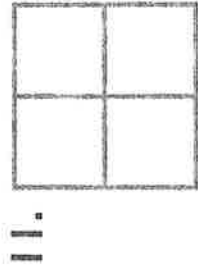
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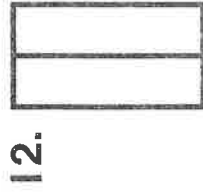
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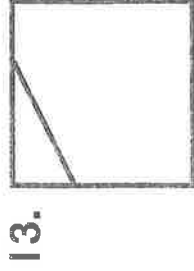
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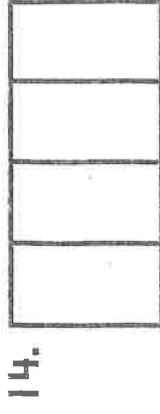
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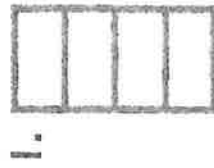


\_\_\_\_\_ equal shares



Write the number of equal shares in each shape.

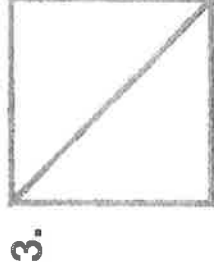
If the shares are **NOT** equal, write 0.



\_\_\_\_\_ equal shares



\_\_\_\_\_ equal shares



\_\_\_\_\_ equal shares



NTI Day 31  
Physical Education

Grades K-2:

-Continue working on the fitness calendar for the month of April. Complete each daily activity 3 times per day.

-Pattern Fitness 1 & 2: Complete both pattern fitness pages. Complete the pattern by performing the exercise that is missing in each row and labeled with a "?".

# PATTERN FITNESS 1.0

**Directions:** Complete the pattern by performing the exercise that is missing in each row and labeled with the "?".



25  
WINDMILLS



JOG  
2 LAPS



30 SECOND  
STRETCH



25 JUMPING  
JACKS



15 SQUATS



15 SECOND  
LEG STRETCH



10 PUSH-UPS



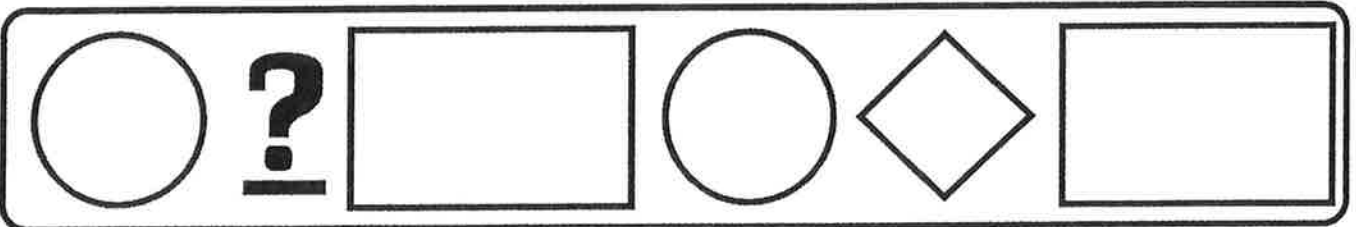
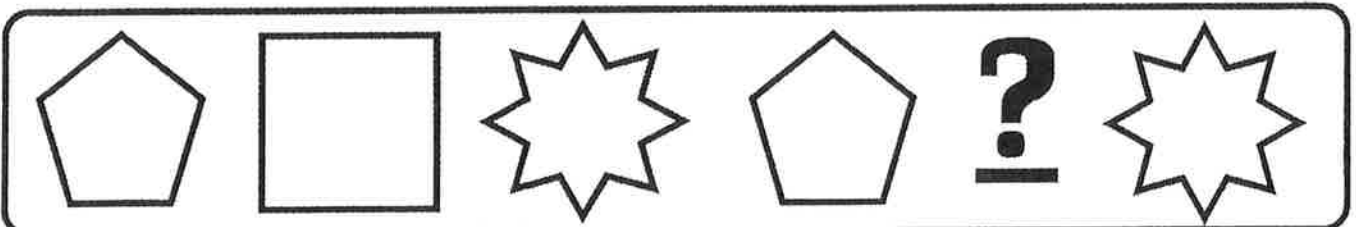
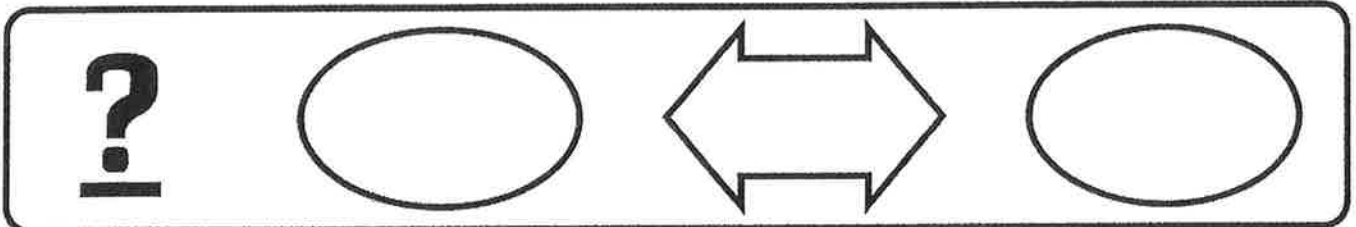
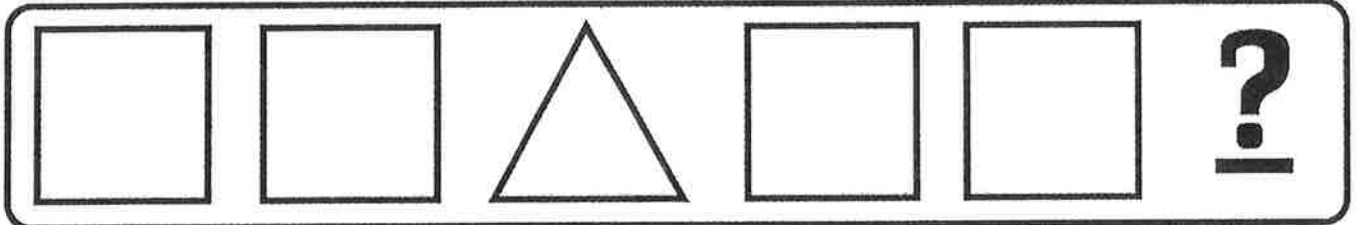
15 SECOND  
LEG STRETCH



10 SIT-UPS













30 SECOND  
PLANK













# PATTERN FITNESS 2.0

**DIRECTIONS:** COMPLETE THE PATTERN BY PERFORMING ONLY THE EXERCISES THAT ARE MISSING AND MARKED WITH A "?".

 20 SQUATS	 30 SECOND STRADDLE STRETCH	 20 SQUATS	?	 20 SQUATS	 30 SECOND STRADDLE STRETCH
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 30 JUMPING JACKS	?	 30 JUMPING JACKS	 20 MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS	 30 JUMPING JACKS	 20 MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS
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 20 JUMPS IN THE AIR	 20 SECOND STRAIGHT LEG STRETCH	 20 JUMPS IN THE AIR	?	 20 JUMPS IN THE AIR	 20 SECOND STRAIGHT LEG STRETCH
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 30 SECOND BUTTERFLY STRETCH	 BALANCE ON ONE FOOT FOR 30 SECONDS	 30 SECOND BUTTERFLY STRETCH	 BALANCE ON ONE FOOT FOR 30 SECONDS	 30 SECOND BUTTERFLY STRETCH	?
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