



Knowledge Organiser – Animals

Key vocabulary

- **mammal** – an animal with fur or hair on its body



- **bird** – an animal that has feathers, wings and a beak



- **fish** – an animal that lives in water which usually has fins, scales and gills



- **amphibian** – an animal that lives on land and in water



- **reptile** – an animal that has dry scales



Amphibians

- **amphibian** – an animal that lives on land and in water



- **frog** – an amphibian with moist, smooth skin



- **toad** – an amphibian with dry, bumpy skin



- **newt** – a small amphibian with a long tail



- **webbed feet** – fingers and toes that are joined together to help with swimming



Mammals

- **animal** – a living creature



- **mammal** – an animal with fur or hair on its body



- **fur** – the fine, soft hair found on different animals



- **wild mammal** – a mammal that is not looked after by humans



- **pet** – an animal that is looked after by humans



Reptiles

- **reptile** – an animal that has dry scales



- **scales** – small, hard layers that grow from the skin



- **lizard** – a small reptile



- **crocodile** – a large reptile

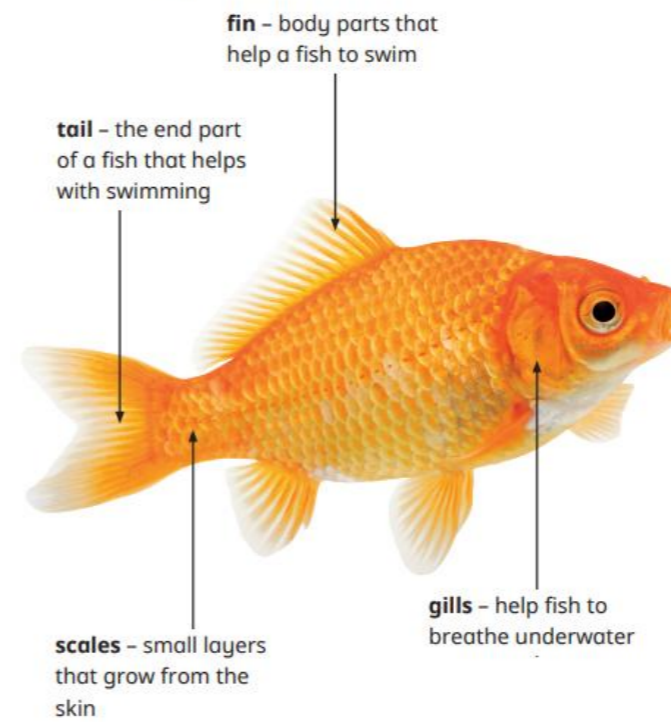


- **turtle** – a reptile with a shell



Fish

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Carnivores

- **carnivore** – an animal that eats other animals



- **sharp teeth** – teeth used for ripping and tearing



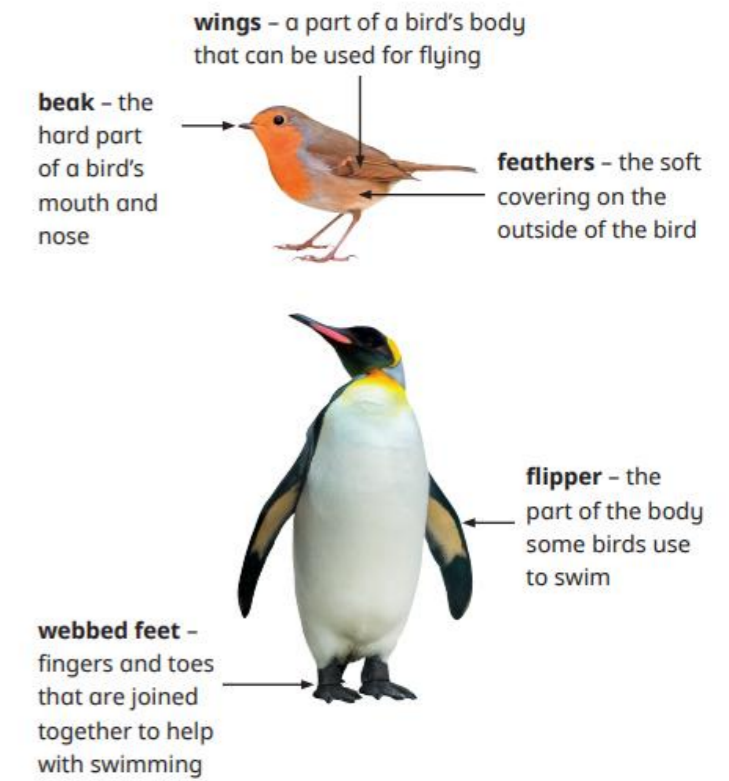
Omnivores

- **omnivore** – an animal that eats other animals and plants



Birds

- **bird** – an animal that has feathers, wings and a beak



Herbivores

- **herbivore** – an animal that eats plants



- **plants** – living things which usually grow in soil



- **vegetable** – a plant or part of a plant that is eaten as food



- **fruit** – the part of a plant that contains seeds

