

TERRESTRIAL ANIMAL CLOSE-UPS

Can you guess the animal from a single magnified glimpse?

What you'll need:

- The matching page
- Pencil or pen
- Observation skills

How to Play

1. You can print this game out or play it online.
2. There are two questions per animal.
3. When you look at these close-up pictures, can you guess which terrestrial (or land) animals they are?
4. Some of them live on Canadian soil, but others don't. Can you guess which ones can be found in Canada?

What you need to know

Many Canadian species are well adapted to survive cold winters. Some, like the Arctic hare and Arctic fox have thick fur and short ears to reduce heat loss, while others such as the Canada goose migrate to warmer areas—the southern United States and Mexico—during winter.

In contrast Canadian summer can be quite hot and humid. Summer is when many cold-blooded insects, such as cicadas and butterflies, enter their colourful adult stages and find a mate.



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 b) Hippopotamus
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- a) Rose-ringed parakeet
 b) andrill
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- a) American bumblebee
 b) Emperor scorpion
 c) Black carpenter ant
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- a) Common warthog
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 b) Komodo dragon
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- 10
- a) Tree frog
 b) Luna moth
 c) Green winged cicada
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