

# PLATTSBURG

LEARNING FROM HOME

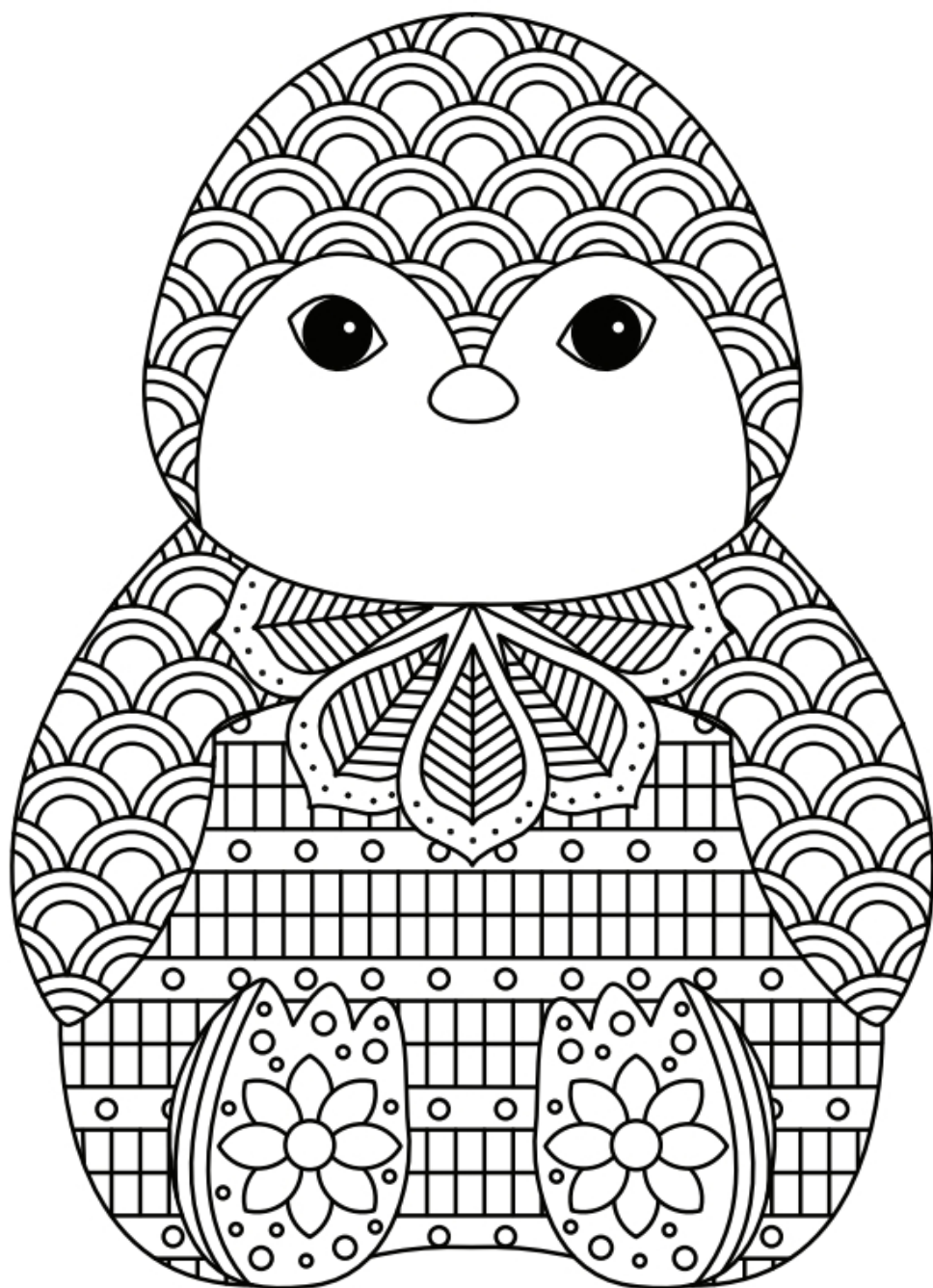
2D – RHINOS



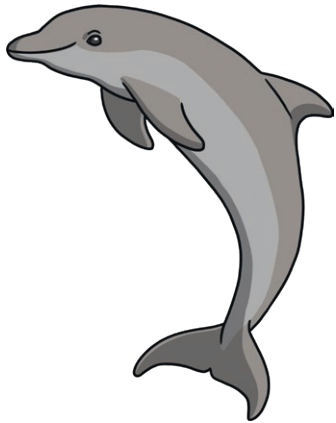
# LITERACY



Friday

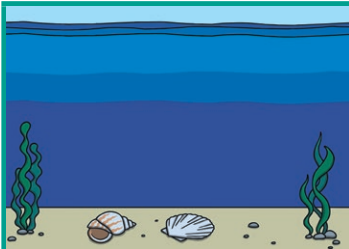


# Dolphins



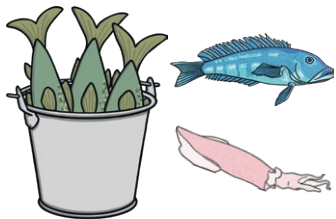
## What do dolphins look like?

A dolphin is a sea animal. They have two fins on the side and one on the back to help them to swim fast. They can be a mix of black, white and grey. Dolphins have fat under the skin to keep them warm in the cold seas. They breathe out of a nostril on the top of their head called a blowhole.



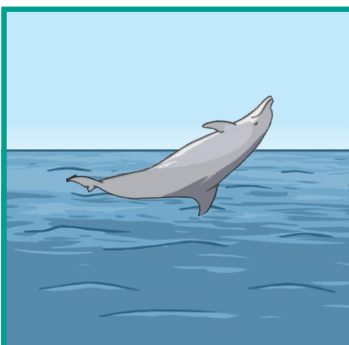
## Where do dolphins live?

Dolphins live in seas and rivers. They live together in groups called 'pods'.



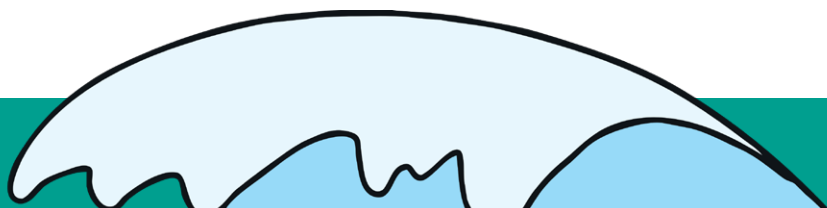
## What do dolphins eat?

Dolphins eat fish. They wait for the fish to jump out of the sea into their mouth.



## What do dolphins do?

Dolphins can jump out of the water and flip over to land on their back, belly or side. This is called 'breach'. They breach to let other dolphins know about food nearby.



# Questions

1. Why do dolphins have two fins on the side and one on the back? Tick one.

- to help them to jump out the water
- so they can swim on their back
- to help them to swim fast

2. Why do dolphins have fat under the skin? Tick one.

- to keep them warm
- to make them bigger
- to help them swim down

3. What is the name of the nostril on the top of their head? Tick one.

- horn hole
- blowhole
- spray hole

4. What do dolphins eat? Tick one.

- plants
- toast
- fish

5. What is it called when dolphins jump out of the water and flip over to land on their back, belly or side? Tick one.

- breach
- splash
- spin

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

## Tokyo 2021 Olympics

N X B P I B A S E B A L L C T M E U  
A U S T R A L I A U M N O H F E I L  
S I L V E R U M E J A V L L O M T W  
X A T H L E T I C S U D Y F O E J Y  
R P X F O M M D A N Q M M G T D A Y  
O R E L A Y O U I R F U P D B A P N  
Y U B R O N Z E X V J X I L A L A P  
A G W I C A N O E C I C C T L B N V  
F B K T O K Y O W L M N S V L B R K  
M Y S P T X N R M Z Z Q G E M W W J  
G O L D F Q P P R I N G S P G B W K  
M L G W U J S W I M M I N G I Q D S

Find the following words in the puzzle.

Words are hidden → ↓ and ↘ .

ATHLETICS  
AUSTRALIA  
BASEBALL  
BRONZE  
CANOE  
DIVING  
FOOTBALL

GOLD  
JAPAN  
JUMP  
MEDAL  
OLYMPICS  
RELAY  
RINGS

RUGBY  
SILVER  
SWIMMING  
TOKYO

Monday



# SPELLING WORDS – WEEK 6 – AW/AU/OR SOUND

*Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check (LSCWC)*

*Look* – Look at your spelling word.

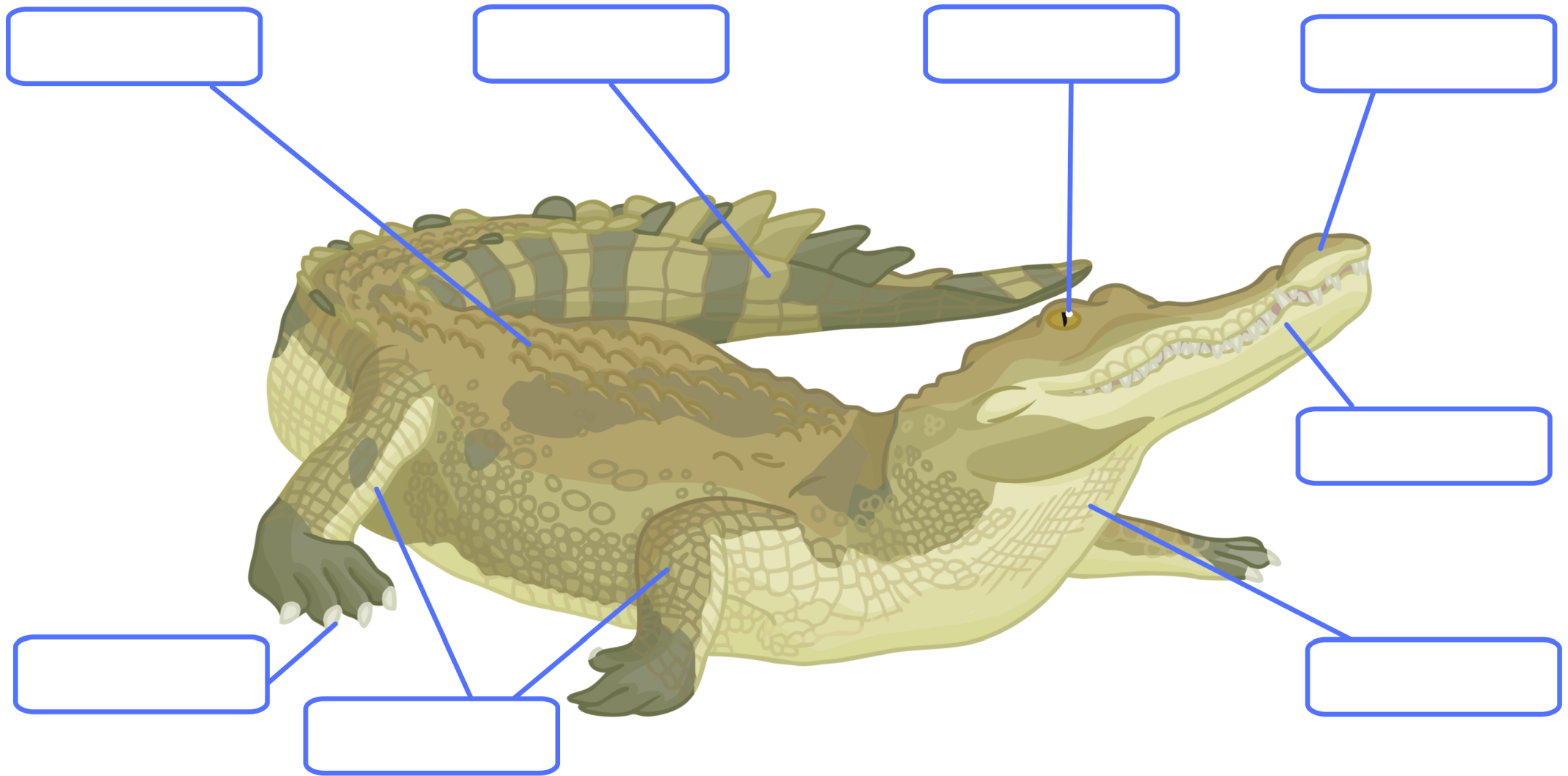
*Cover* – Cover your word up.

*Check* – Check to see your spelling.

*Say* – Say your spelling word out loud.

*Write* – Write your word into the correct box.

<i>Word List</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>
<i>paw</i>				
<i>claw</i>				
<i>hawk</i>				
<i>born</i>				
<i>launch</i>				
<i>tree</i>				
<i>move</i>				
<i>land</i>				
<i>plant</i>				
<i>meat</i>				



*Label the parts of a crocodile with words from the word bank.*

*legs*

*neck*

*claws*

*eye*

*snout*

*tail*

*teeth*

*back*



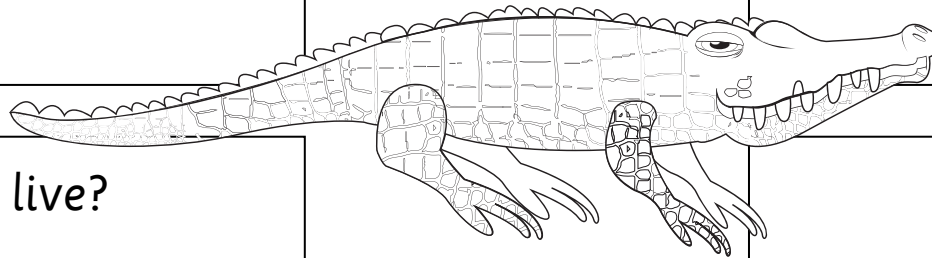
Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Crocodiles

What is it?

What does it look like?



Where does it live?

What does it eat?

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Crocodiles

Cut out the facts about crocodiles. Paste the facts under the correct heading on the next page.

reptiles

covered in scales

rivers and lakes

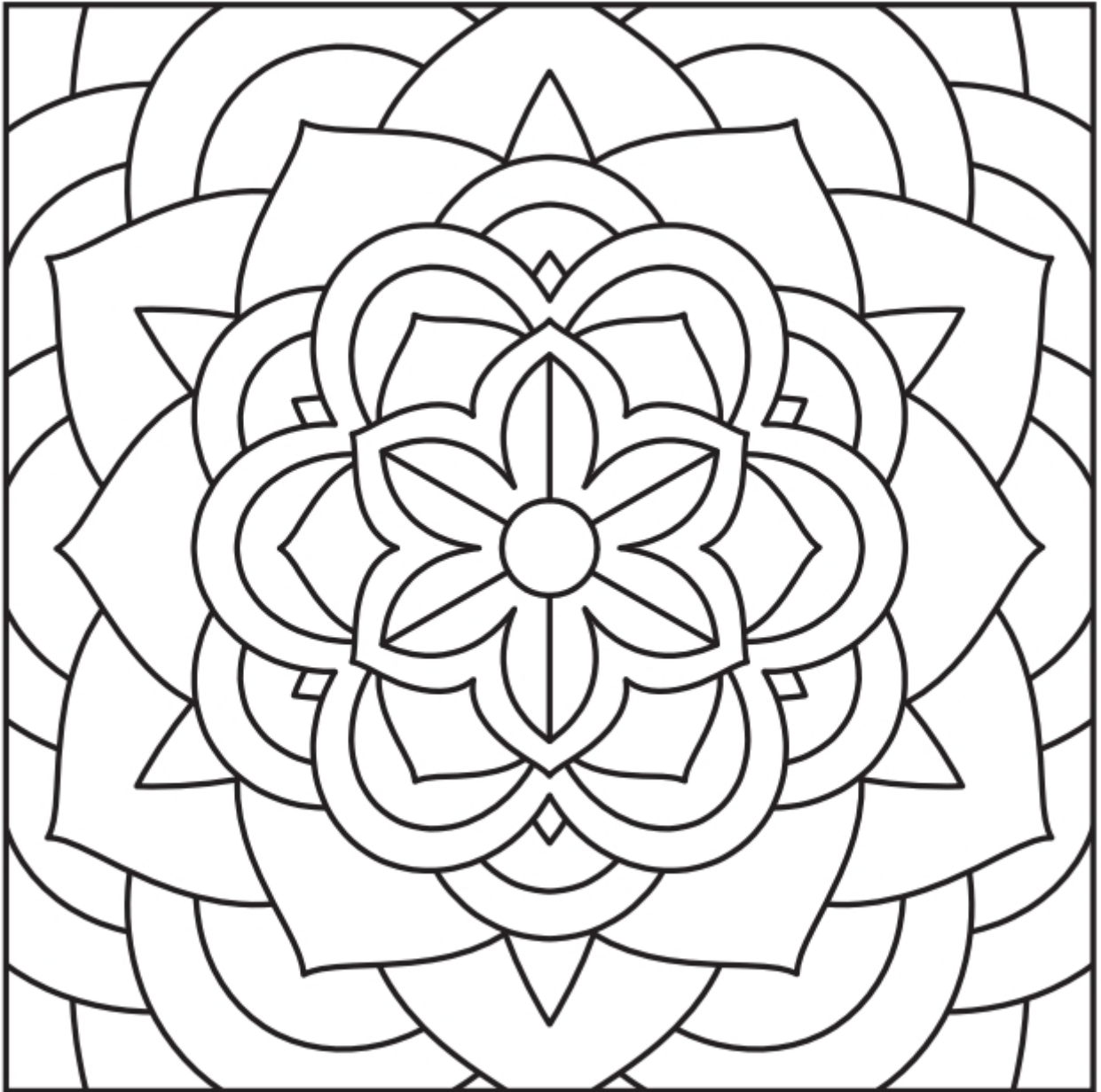
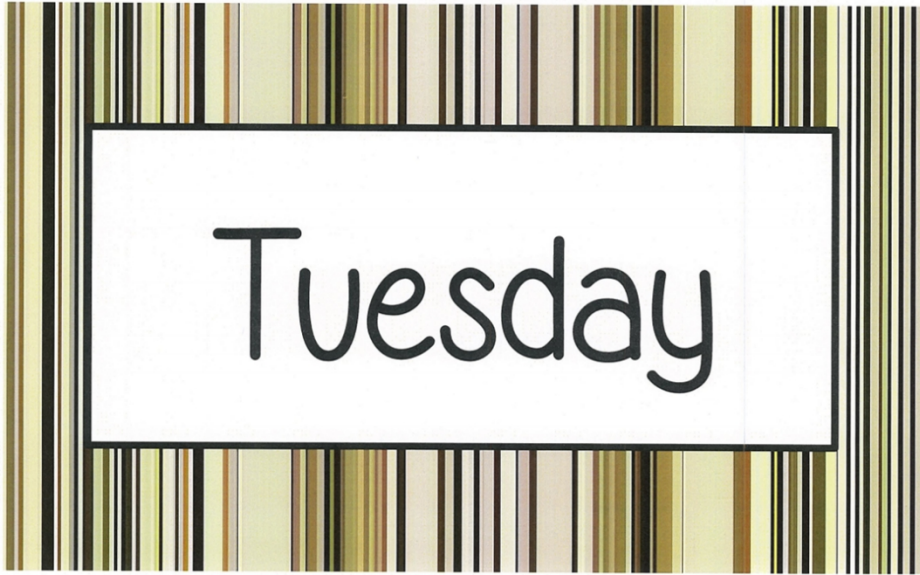
birds

fish

salt or fresh water

sharp teeth

cold-blooded animal



# Crocodiles

Use the following words to fill in the missing parts of the story.

crocodile	Saltwater	feed	grow	hunting
rivers	reptiles	waters	land	

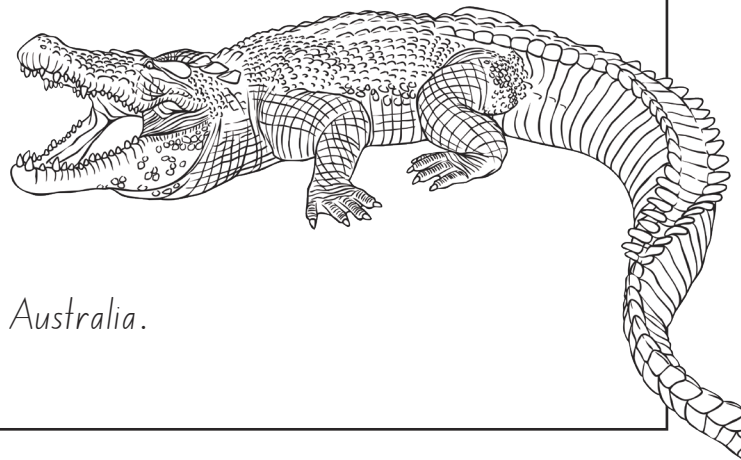
The saltwater crocodile is the largest species of c\_\_\_\_\_. They are also the largest type of reptile. The saltwater crocodile can g\_\_\_\_\_ to around 7 metres long and has 66 teeth. Their brain is only the size of a walnut however, they are smarter than most r\_\_\_\_\_.

S\_\_\_\_\_ crocodiles are found in India, Southeast Asia and Northern Australia. They live in salty coastal w\_\_\_\_\_ but can also live in freshwater r\_\_\_\_\_ too.

Crocodiles f\_\_\_\_\_ mainly on small water animals such as fish, crabs and water rats. They mainly do their h\_\_\_\_\_ at night time. On l\_\_\_\_\_ a crocodile runs with its tail raised in the air.

## Crocodile Facts

- Crocodiles sunbathe on the banks of rivers.
- There are no alligators in Australia.
- Crocodiles eat meat.
- There are freshwater and saltwater crocodiles in Australia.
- They can lay up to 80 eggs.



## Fast Finisher Activities

- Create an acrostic poem using the word crocodile. Try to use the information that you have just learnt.
- Draw a picture of a crocodile.
- Imagine that you were a crocodile for a day. Write a story about where you would live, what you would eat and what you would do during the day.
- Make up some crocodile cartoons or comic strips.

# Features Of A Crocodile

Learning Goal - To describe the features of a crocodile using adjectives.



teeth

sharp, pointed teeth

many sharp, pointed teeth

many sharp pointed teeth to kill its prey



eyes

yellow eyes



skin



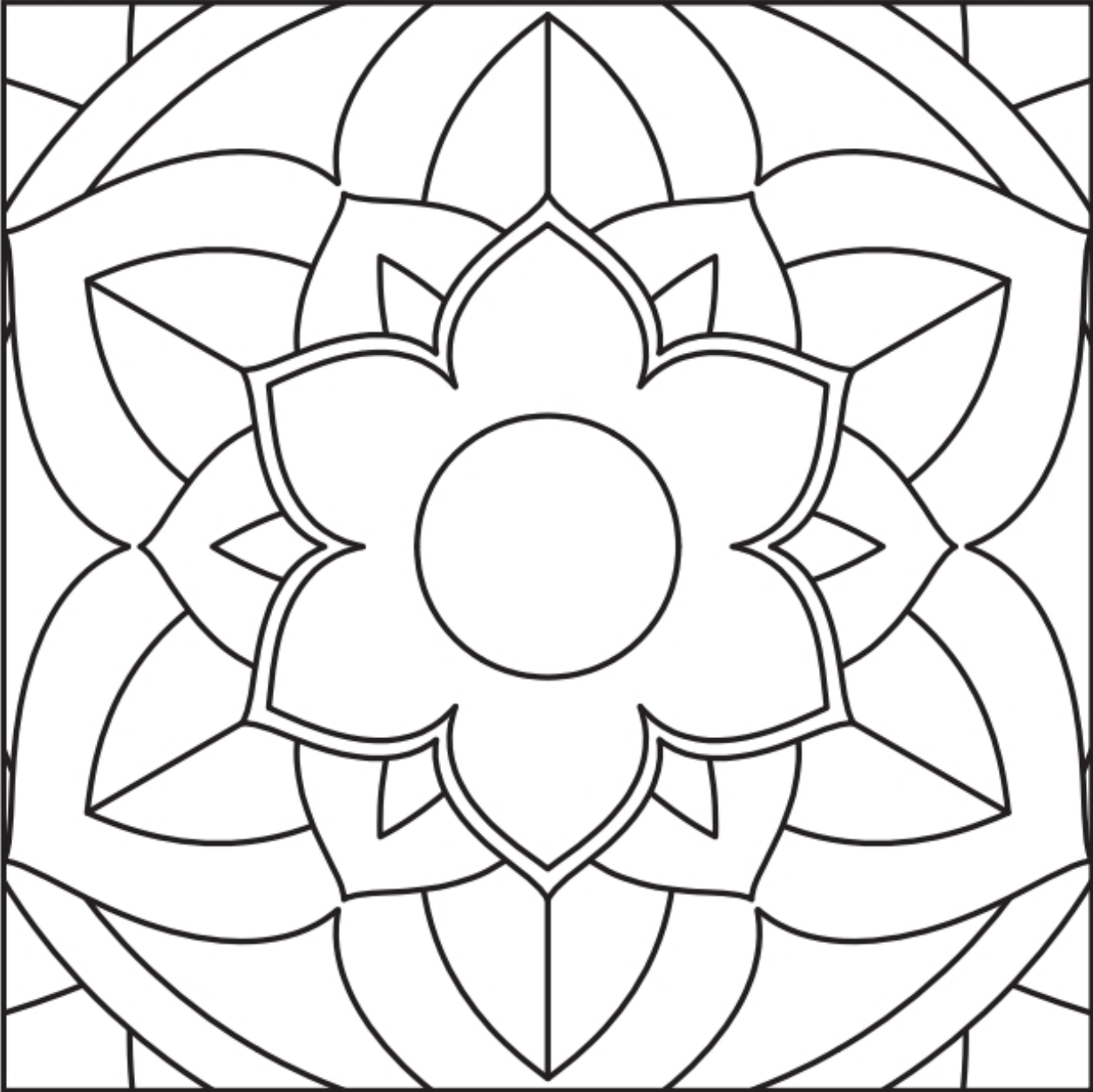
tail



legs



Wednesday



# Crocodiles

Remember, write full sentences for each fact in each box.

**Appearance / What does it look like?**

**Diet / What does it eat?**

**Classification /  
What is it?**

**Habitat / Where does it live?**

**Fun Facts**

# Coordinating Conjunctions

In English there are seven coordinating conjunctions which can be used to join sentences.

They are easy to use by remembering: FANBOYS

For            And            Nor            But            Or            Yet            So

Underline the conjunctions in the sentences below:

1. It was hot and humid weather last summer.
2. I would rather play basketball or soccer.
3. My brother wanted to have a vanilla ice cream but there was none left.

For each sentence, add the best conjunction:

1. The builder worked really hard on the house \_\_\_\_\_ that he would receive a good price.
2. My dog refuses to eat chicken \_\_\_\_\_ fish.
3. The flowers in the garden were beautiful \_\_\_\_\_ unfortunately I was allergic to them.

For each set of sentences below, choose the best conjunction (you may need to rewrite it slightly):

1. Benjamin played with the dog. Mary played with the dog.
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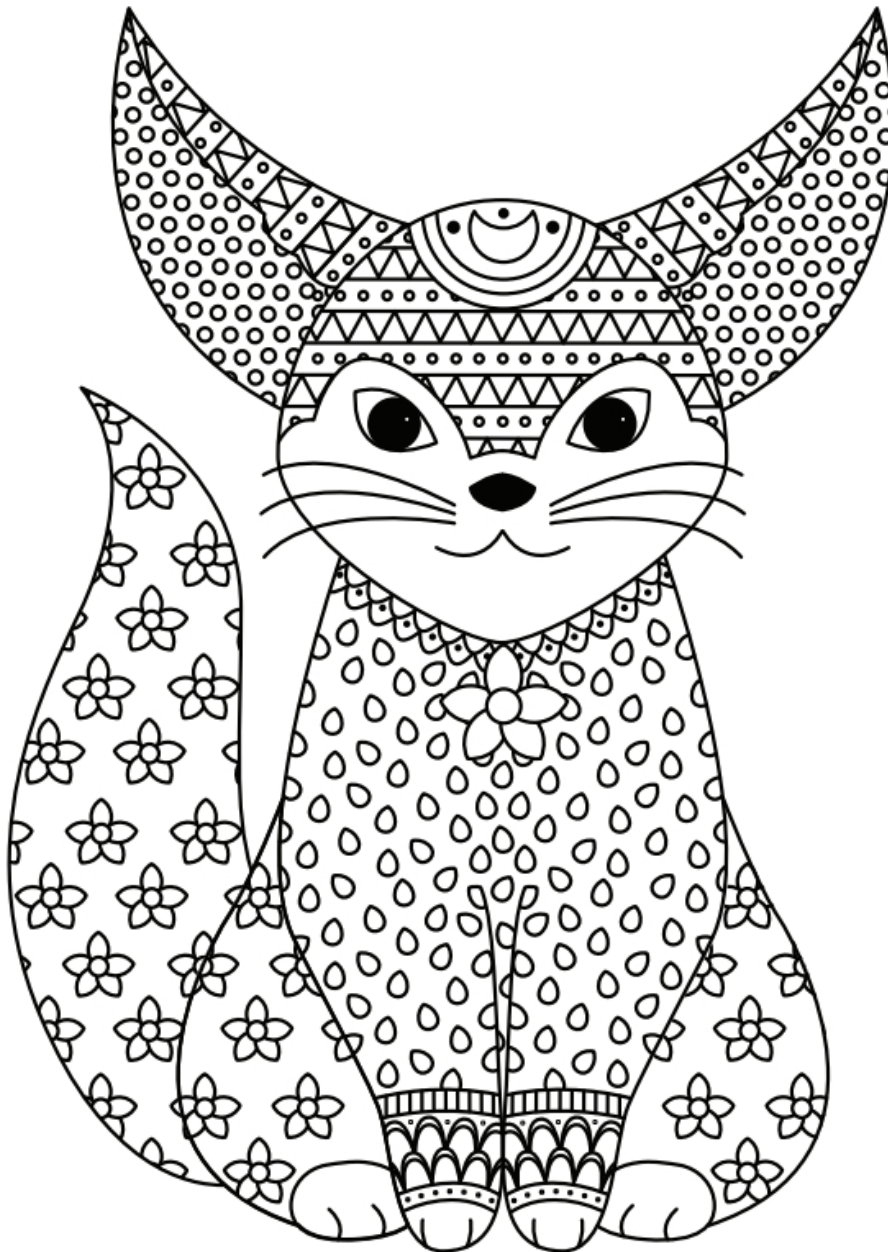
2. My friend used live bait when he went fishing. He thinks it catches the biggest fish.

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3. I wanted to go to the movies. Mum wouldn't allow me.

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Thursday



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Informative Texts - Scaffold

Title

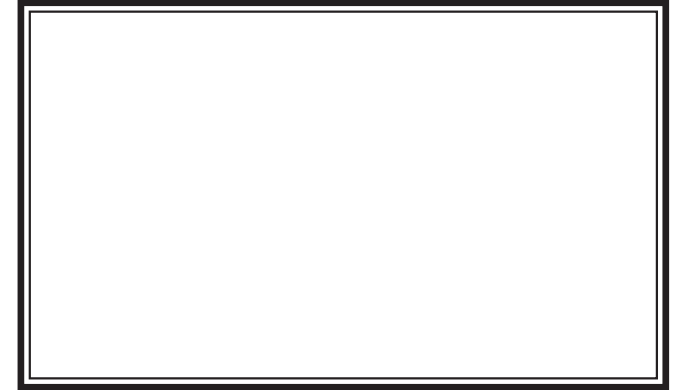
Classification

Fact 1

Fact 2

Fact 3

Concluding Sentence



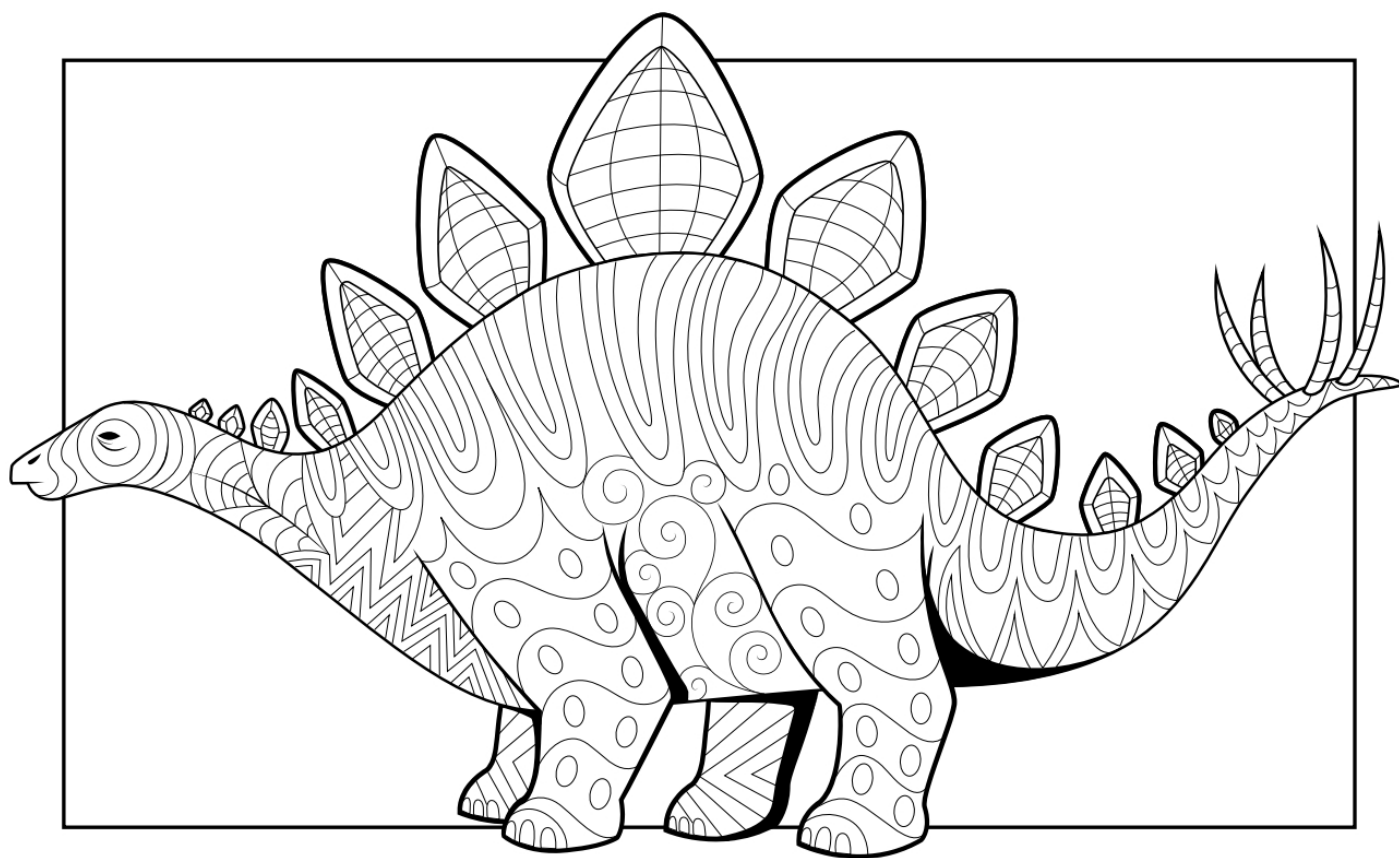
Crocodiles move on land by walking.

Crocodiles hunt in rivers where they hide in the water.

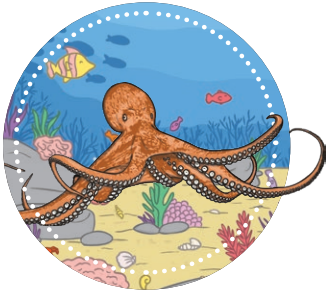
They are a carnivore, which means crocodiles only eat meat.

Crocodiles are awesome!

Friday

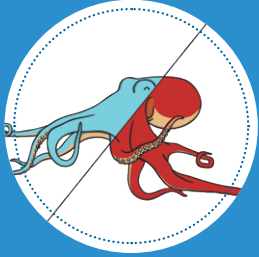


# Octopuses



## What Do Octopuses Look Like?

Octopuses live in oceans all over the world. They have six arms, two legs and three hearts.



Octopuses can change their skin colour to hide from creatures.



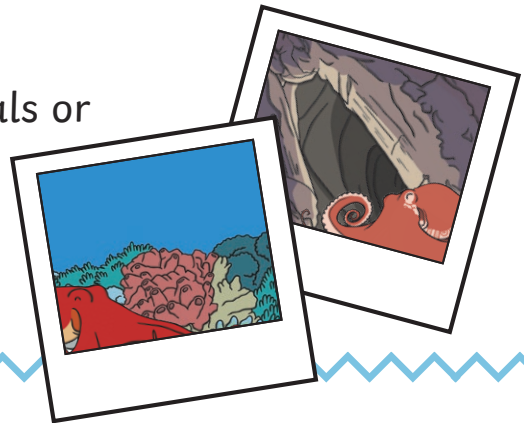
They have a sharp beak to break open shells on crabs.



They shoot a dark liquid when they are afraid. This is called ink.

## Where Do Octopuses Live?

Many octopuses live in gaps within corals or in caves near the bottom of the ocean. Some build homes from rocks. They like to be on their own.



## What Do Octopuses Eat?

Octopuses eat meat. They hunt for food like crabs and shrimp. Octopuses creep up on creatures. They catch creatures with their strong arms and bite them with their sharp beak.

# Questions

1. How many hearts does an octopus have? Tick one.

- one
- two
- three

2. Which word describes an octopus's beak? Tick one.

- sharp
- short
- soft

3. What is the name of the dark liquid that octopuses shoot? Tick one.

- petrol
- ink
- oil

4. What do octopuses eat? Tick one.

- rocks
- meat
- plants

5. What do some octopuses build their homes out of? Tick one.

- rocks
- shells
- plants

# aw

s t r a w b e r r y w n  
k o i d a w n d b a v x  
t a a s a l g v r t b l  
o h f p w c x t l a t n  
d f a a q c s j k z w x  
w z h w o q l d q a c c  
b s t n u p s a r k s r  
l c n t a b w q w f c a  
l u k f a w n a u z r w  
p r a w n w h l a a a l  
c c c n o j b g v m w a  
n d t r a w l p l p l k

strawberry

dawn

fawn

draw

straw

claw

hawk

shawl

scrawl

crawl

prawn

spawn

trawl

thaw

raw

squawk

