

Alpha Level 4

Predators



Word Study

A Write the word for each picture.

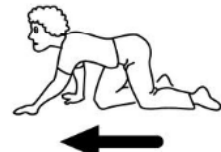
Word Box

predator trap stinger poison noise alone creep dive





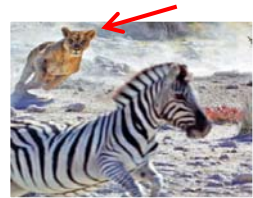












B Write the word next to its meaning.

Word Box

hunt poison predator trap still alone sting

- 1) _____ : not together
- 2) _____ : a thing or a hole to catch animals or birds
- 3) _____ : something harms or kills people or animals when swallowed
- 4) _____ : staying in the same position without moving
- 5) _____ : animals that hunt other animals
- 6) _____ : catch and kill animals for food
- 7) _____ : push a sharp part into skin to kill or cause a pain

Word Study

C Complete the sentences using words in the box.

Word Box

than sometimes away under also from any

- 1) Tigers hunt alone. Sharks also hunt alone. also
- 2) Lions surround an animal. This makes an animal hard to **get** _____. _____
- 3) Poison stops an animal _____ being able to move. _____
- 4) Cheetahs can run faster _____ any other animals. _____
- 5) Mountain lions hide and don't make _____ noise. _____
- 6) Even the best hunters can only catch food _____. _____
- 7) Polar bears can smell seals _____ snow and ice. _____

D Write your own sentences using the same pattern.

'be called' means 'be named'.

Animals that hunt other animals **are called predators**.

1) What do your friends call you?

⇒ I am called _____.

2) What do you call this?

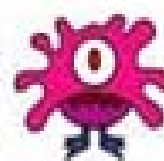
⇒ This is _____ a book

3) What do you call them?

⇒ They _____.

4) What do you call him?

⇒ _____



A Answer the following questions.

- 1) Is there one way to catch animals? (pg. 3)
 - Ⓐ Yes, there is.
 - Ⓑ No, there isn't.
- 2) What animals hunt alone? (pg. 4)
 - Ⓐ Lions and shark do.
 - Ⓑ Tigers and shark do.
- 3) How do scorpions catch their food? (pg. 8)
 - Ⓐ They use poison in the end of their tail.
 - Ⓑ They hide and attack an animal.
- 4) What happens to spiders' food when they get caught in a web?(pg. 14)
 - Ⓐ They can run away quietly.
 - Ⓑ They can't get away.
- 5) Can the best hunters catch food all the time? (pg. 16)
 - Ⓐ Yes, they can.
 - Ⓑ No, they can't.

B Read and choose the right word.

- 6) All animals need food to stay alive / alone .
- 7) Predators have different / the same ways of catching other animals.
- 8) Tigers and sharks hunt in groups / alone .
- 9) Mountain lions / Cheetahs hide in grass or trees to hunt.
- 10) Scorpions make traps / use poison to catch food.

Comprehension

C Write the book report

What is the title of the book?

How do these animals hunt others?

Tigers and sharks

They hunt alone.

Wolves and lions

_____ and _____

They _____.

They use poison.

Cheetahs and _____

Mountain lions and _____

They use speed.

They _____ and _____.

Spiders

They use _____.

They _____ seals and attack.

Word Box

Scorpions snakes eagles alligators polar bears traps
hunt in groups hide smell surprise

D Write and Speak

<How do you get food?>

The animals in the book hunt other animals for food.

But I never hunt! No way!

When my family needs food, we go to _____

Where do you get food?

We buy _____

What do you get there?

I like _____

What is your favorite food?

