Caroline Haslett Primary School - Science Topic: Animals Including Humans (inc invertebrates) Year 1

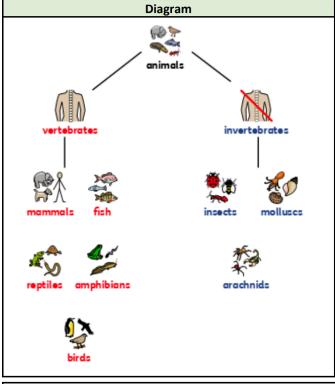
What should I already know?

- The names of some common animals.
- The parts of the human body and how they are associated with each sense.

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What will I know by the end of the unit?		
What are vertebrates?	Vertebrates are animals that have a backbone. There are five groups of vertebrates:	
vertebrates	mammals	
	• fish	
	• birds	
	• reptiles	
	amphibians	
What are	give birth to live young	
mammals?	usually have hair or fur	
	warm-blooded	
	cannot breathe underwater	
	some common mammals are:	
	 pets such as dogs, cats, hamsters 	
	farm animals such as cows, sheep and	
	horses	
	wild animals such as foxes, hedgehogs, lions and giroffes	
	and giraffes • humans	
What are fish?	have fins and scales	
	breathe underwater using gills	
	• lay eggs in water	
	• cold-blooded	
	some common fish are salmon, cod and tuna	
What are birds?	warm-blooded	
	have wings and beaks	
	have feathers	
	lay eggs	
	some common birds are ducks, chickens, penguins	
and a	and pigeons	
What are reptiles?	• cold-blooded	
Teptiles:	• lay eggs	
	have scales	
	cannot breathe underwater some common reptiles are snakes and lizards	
What are	• cold-blooded	
amphibians?	• lay eggs	
	 live on land and water - can breathe 	
	underwater through gills	
	some common amphibians are frogs and toads	
What are	Invertebrates are animals that do not have a	
invertebrates?	backbone.	
	They include:	
	 insects such as flies, ladybirds and bees 	
	arachnids such as spiders	
	 molluscs such as snails 	

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	Investigate!
•	• use observations in the local environment to compare animals or
	through videos and photographs
•	 describe how to identify and group animals
•	 group animals according to what they eat
•	research how to take care of animals taken from the local

environment and how to return them safely



What do animals eat?

- Animals that only eat meat (other animals) are called carnivores (examples include lions and eagles.
- Animals that only eat plants are called herbivores (examples include cows and giraffes)
- Animals that eat plants and meat are called **omnivores** (examples include humans and squirrels)

Vocabulary		
backbone	the column of small linked bones down themiddleof your back	
carnivores	an animal that eats meat	
cold-blooded	a body temperature that changes according to the surrounding temperature	
environment	all the circumstances, people, things, and events around them that influence their life	
farm	an area of land used to produce crops or to breed animals and livestock	
gills	the organs on the sides of fish and other water creatures through which they breathe	
herbivore	an animal that only eats plants	
invertebrate	a creature that does not have a spine, for example an insect, a worm, or an octopus	
omnivore	person or animal eats all kinds of food, including both meat and plants	
pet	a tame animal kept in a household	
temperature	a measure of how hot or cold something is	
vertebrate	a creature which has a backbone	
warm-blooded	a fairlyhigh body temperature which does not change much and is not affected by the surrounding temperature	
wild	animals or plants that live or grow in natural surroundings and are not looked after by people	

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