



There are so many different animals around the world. You are challenged to think of an animal that begins with each letter of the alphabet. Your family can help you and you can research more unusual animals on the internet with a grown up too.



Sing '5 Little Speckled Frogs' with your family. Can you find how many frogs there would be if there was 1 more or 1 less. e.g. There are 6 frogs on a log. One jumps into the pond. How many frogs are left on the log? Or There are 8 frogs on a log. One more jumps back onto the log. How many frogs are there now? What about if there were different animals in their own habitats. e.g. parrots in the rainforest or polar bears in the Arctic. Can you solve 1 more or 1 less problems with them too?

Do you have any pets at home? Draw a picture of your pet or pets or one which belongs to a friend or family member. Remember to draw like a scientist, looking carefully at their colours and features to make your drawings accurate. Can you write their names? If you don't have a pet, draw the pet you would like to have a make up a name for them.



Visit the 'My Pet and Me' website on CBeebies and play the game to find out how to look after pet animals.

[My Pet and Me - CBeebies - BBC](http://www.cbeebies.com/my-pet-and-me)



Have a go at turning a paper plate into your favourite animal. You could add extra details using paint, colouring pencils or pens, collage materials, pipe cleaners and anything else you can find around your home. Here is some inspiration.



Take a walk around a garden, park or outside area. What minibeasts can you find? Try looking under plant pots or stones, looking on leaves or bushes or around the plants and flowers. You could take a photo or draw a picture of what you see on your minibeast hunt and upload it to Tapestry.



Have a go at making your own animal habitat. You could use junk modelling materials, paper and card or your own construction toys. Think about the habitat you are creating and its features. e.g. a rainforest, the arctic, a pond, the savanna, a coral reef, a farm, the woodlands etc.

What kinds of animals would like to live there? You could add the animals in too.



Read some books about some of the amazing animals from around the world. They could be story books, poems or non-fiction books. I wonder what habitats they live in. Maybe you could take a trip to the library to find even more books about animals!

