



GRADE 4 EVS

**QUESTION BANK**

**SECTION A**

**Fill in the blanks**

1. Turtles lay eggs on \_\_\_\_\_.

Ans. **Land**

2. A polar bear has thick \_\_\_\_\_ to help it stay warm in the cold polar regions.

Ans. **fur**

3. \_\_\_\_\_ feed on plants.

Ans. **Herbivores**

4. Dolphins breathe with the help of \_\_\_\_\_.

Ans. **lungs**

5. Rabbits live in \_\_\_\_\_.

Ans. **burrows**

**Give one more example to each**

6. Lizard, crocodile, \_\_\_\_\_ (reptile)

Ans. **turtle / tortoise / alligator**

7. lion, snake, \_\_\_\_\_ (carnivore)

Ans. **Tiger / dog / whale (any other carnivore)**

8. Whale, dolphin, \_\_\_\_\_ (mammals that live in water)

Ans. **seal**

9. cow, elephant, \_\_\_\_\_ (herbivore)

Ans. **goat / giraffe / horse (any other herbivore)**

**SECTION B**

1. Why do mammals have hair on their bodies?

Ans. Mammals have hair on their bodies to protect them and keep them warm.

2. Where do reptiles live?

Ans. Reptiles like the crocodiles and alligators, live in water and also on land. Lizards mostly live on land. Some like to be in underground

burrows while others make their homes in trees. Many tortoises live on land. Turtles live in water.

3. What do snakes and crocodiles have on their skin to protect them?

Ans. Snakes and crocodiles have scales on their skin to protect them.

4. Why do reptiles like the crocodile keep their noses above water while swimming?

Ans. Reptiles can breathe only through their lungs. So, they keep their noses above water while swimming.

5. Why are bats called as mammals, even though they can fly.

Ans. Bats are mammals because they give birth to babies and the mother bats feed their babies with milk produced in their bodies.

6. How does the whiskers of cat help it?

Ans. The whiskers on the cat's face help it identify the size of spaces and also identify obstacles.

7. Why do you see reptiles such as lizards, chameleons and crocodiles basking under the sun in sunny days?

Ans. Garden lizards and crocodiles are cold-blooded, that is, they do not maintain a constant internal body temperature. Their body temperature changes along with the temperature of their surroundings. They bask in the sunlight to raise their internal body temperature and become active.

8. Write the differences between mammals and reptiles.

Ans.

<b>Mammals</b>	<b>Reptiles</b>
Warm-blooded	Cold-blooded
Have fur or hair	have scales
Give birth to young ones	lay eggs
The mother feeds its babies with milk from its body	the mother does not feed its babies with milk from its body