

## EYFS Knowledge Organiser – Animals of the World

### Key Vocabulary

Animal	Diet
Habitat	Herbivore (plants)
Environment	Carnivore (meat)
Adapt	Omnivore (plants and meat)
Life cycle	Jungle
Grow / Change	Ocean
Similarities	Desert
Differences	Arctic

### What we are learning in school

- Learning about animals from around the world
- Identifying where animals live (their habitats)
- Understanding how animals adapt to their environment
- Exploring animal life cycles and how animals grow and change
- Comparing similarities and differences between animals
- Learning about animal diets (herbivore, carnivore, omnivore)
- Exploring animal features and how they help them survive
- Talking about belief systems and how different people care for animals

### Talk About It at Home -

- Read books about animals from different countries
- Research an animal together and create a fact poster
- Talk about where different animals live and why
- Watch age-appropriate nature documentaries
- Compare two animals (How are they the same? How are they different?)
- Draw or build a habitat using junk modelling
- Visit a zoo, farm, or wildlife park
- Discuss how we care for animals and why this is important