

Primary Worksheets: Reptiles

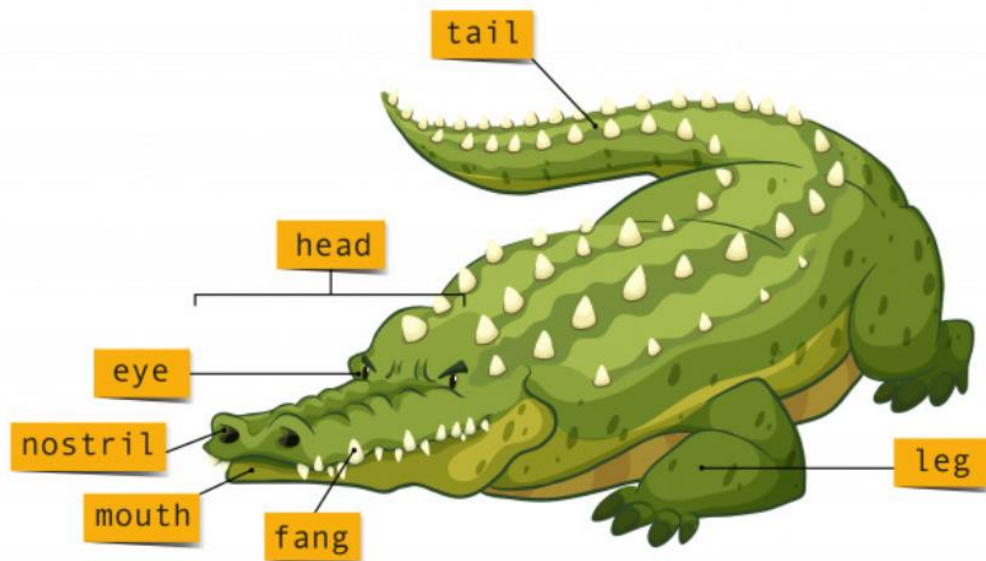


Reptiles can be found all over the world, except in cold areas. They have lived on Earth for more than 280 million years.

Reptiles are animals that have scales instead of fur or feathers. They can live on land, trees, or even in water. Most reptiles can be found in hot and humid tropics.



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Reptiles are vertebrates, an animal with a backbone. Reptiles have various sizes.

The largest crocodiles and snakes can grow to more than 9 meters long. The smallest reptiles can be 5 centimeters long!

All reptiles have four limbs, except for snakes. Limbs can be an arm or a leg. Reptiles have four legs.

Reptiles have scales that covers their dry skin. They can shed and replace their scales throughout their life!

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Reptiles are cold-blooded animals. They need warm weather to warm themselves up. Reptiles are inactive during winter, as they hibernate.

Reptiles eat many kinds of animals, including insects and birds. They have different ways of finding their food. Some like to follow their pray, while others like to hide and wait.

Most reptiles lay eggs. Some lay just one egg, while some can lay up to 200! It can take up to 105 days for the eggs to hatch. It can take a year after hatching for reptiles to mature.



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Answer the questions.

What is a reptile?

Where do reptiles live?

What do reptiles eat?



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Answer the questions.

How big and small can reptiles be?

What do reptiles have?

How do reptiles get their food?

