

## Rumble in the Jungle!

Read or watch the Rumble in the Jungle Poem Book for some great ideas! <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m9W5upzGfFU>



- Can you move like a jungle animal?
- Can you do a jungle dance?
- Get creative and make some jungle art. Look at the ideas below;



## Jungle Poems

Explain that somebody who writes poems is called a poet. What do we call a person who writes books? Do you know any poems?



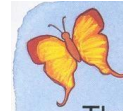
### **Rainforest Poem**

Anyone seen my rainforest?  
Bright bananas  
Slithering sloths  
Enormous trees.

Anyone heard my rainforest?  
Gorillas shuffling  
Chimpanzees screeching  
Tigers roaring.

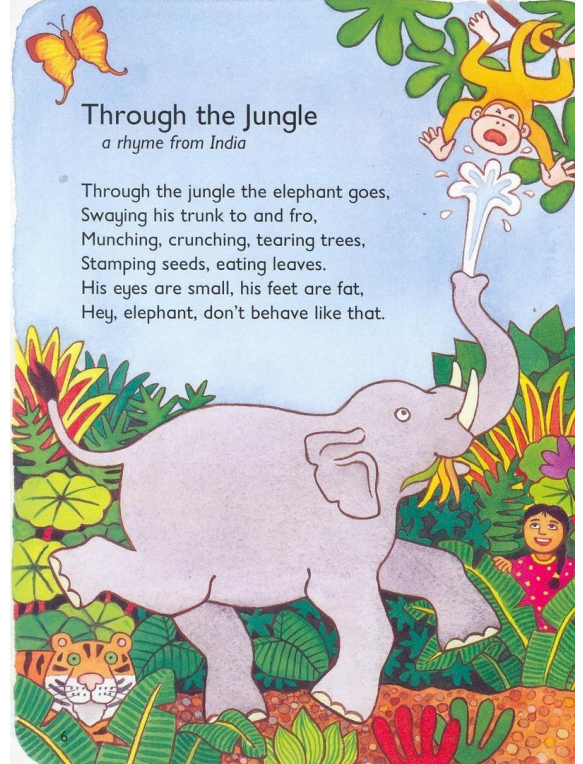
Anyone smelled my rainforest?  
Sweet flowers  
Fresh trees  
Musty manatees.

Anyone felt my rainforest?  
Prickly plants  
Rough rocks  
Sticky stingies.



### **Through the Jungle** *a rhyme from India*

Through the jungle the elephant goes,  
Swaying his trunk to and fro,  
Munching, crunching, tearing trees,  
Stamping seeds, eating leaves.  
His eyes are small, his feet are fat,  
Hey, elephant, don't behave like that.



### **Monkey Babies**

By Irene Rawnsley & John Foster

Don't leave your monkey baby sitting by  
the swamp, a crocodile might eat him,

**Chomp! Chomp! Chomp!**

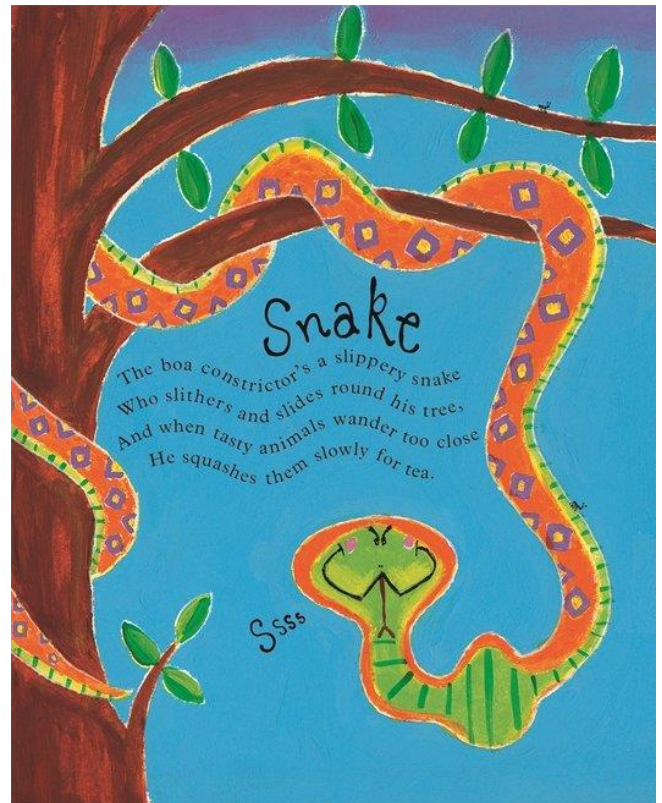
Don't leave your monkey baby sitting  
under trees, a snake might wrap him up

**Squeeze! Squeeze! Squeeze!**

Don't leave your monkey baby sitting by  
the track, a lion might be lurking,

**Snack! Snack! Snack!**

Keep your monkey baby high up in the  
trees. Feed him on bananas,  
Help pick off his fleas!



### **Snake**

The boa constrictor's a slippery snake  
Who slithers and slides round his tree,  
And when tasty animals wander too close  
He squashes them slowly for tea.

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Now can you use the 5 senses information and poem template to make your own poem?

## Jungle Animal Fact File

Choose your favourite animal and find out as much information as you can. Can you make a non-fiction book about your animal?

Use the fact file template if you like and the monkey and tiger facts as a starting point.

Have a look at the following links for more information;

- Andy's Safari Adventures

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/b09s2qb6/andys-safari-adventures>



- Science for kids

<https://www.scienceforkidsclub.com/jungles.html>



- Nature on CBBC

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/shows/nature-on-cbbc>

A great list of nature and animal programs to watch



### **Nature on CBBC**

Check out all the latest animal and nature quizzes, clips and more from across the BBC.



**Tigers** hunt for food. They like meat but don't like vegetables.



**Tigers** have cubs. They are baby tigers and when they are born they cannot see.



**Tigers** are strong swimmers and spend lots of the day near the pools in the jungle.



**Tigers** sleep in a den often in a big crack in a rock.



**Tigers** are orange and have black stripes on their fur so they can't be seen.



**Monkeys** swing in trees and branches. They jump from tree and tree.



**Monkeys** like food like bananas, seeds, leaves and insects. They love ants!



**Monkeys** go up high trees to sleep at night.



**Monkeys** travel on their hands and feet.



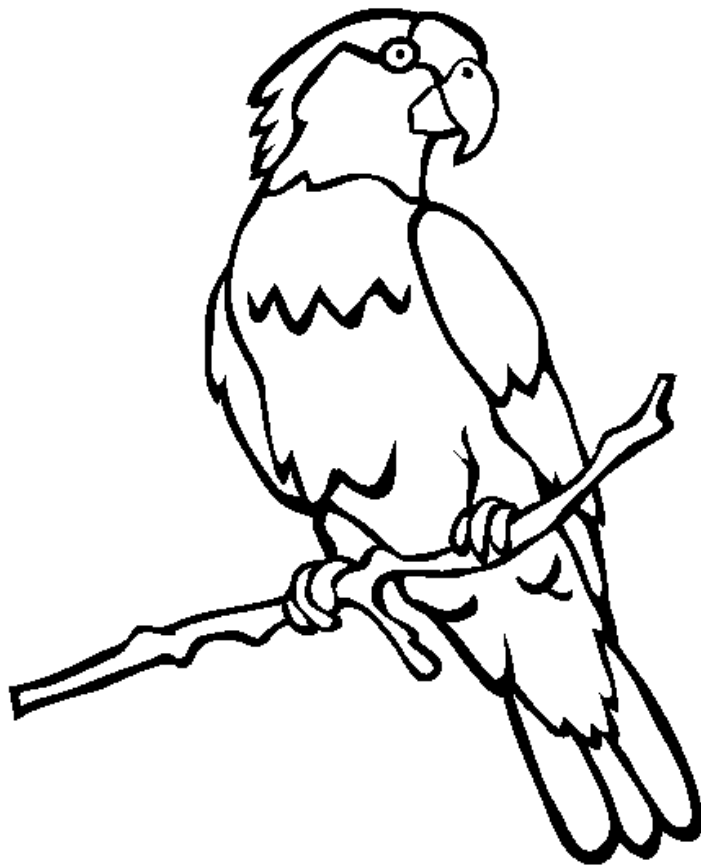
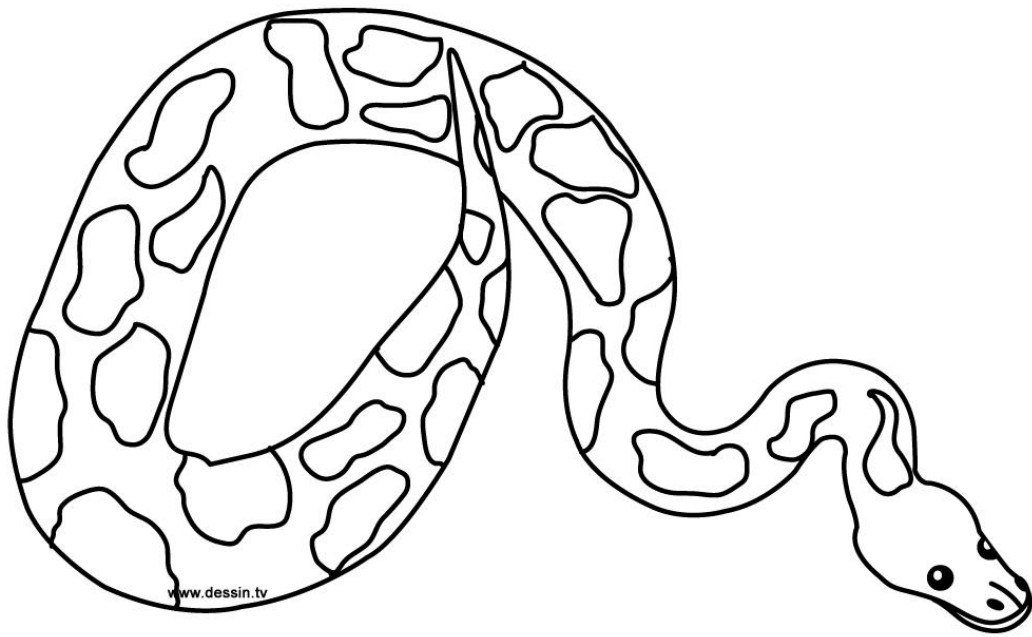
**Monkeys** have long tails and have black, brown or red fur and have fingers like us.

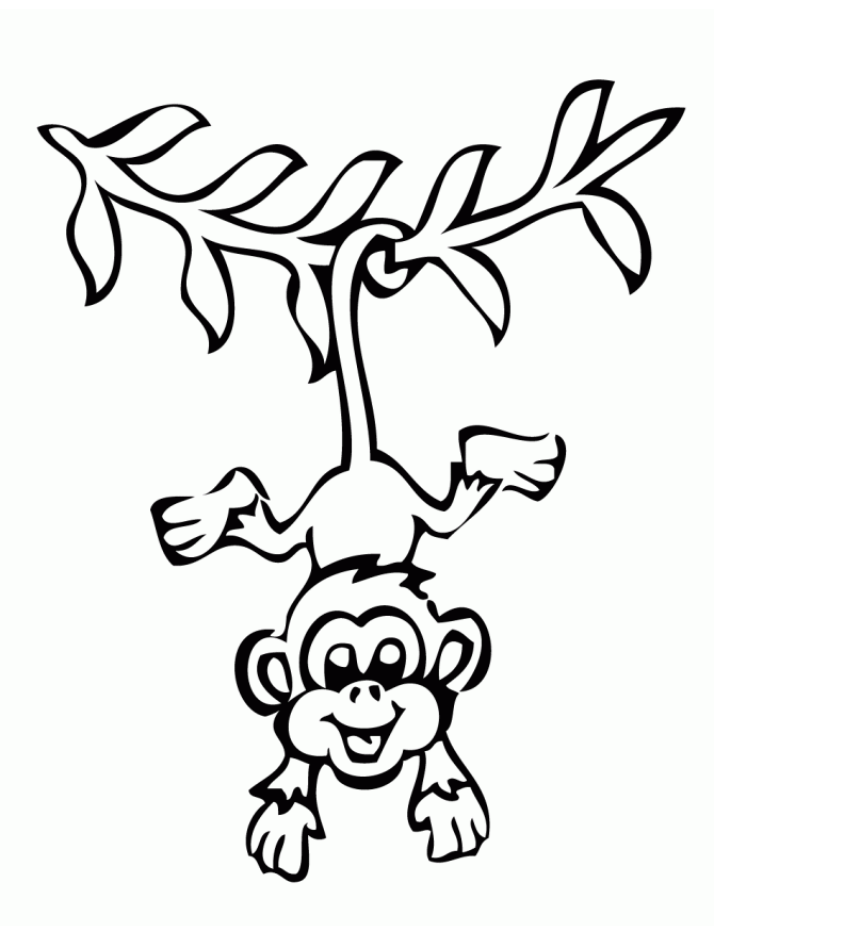


**Monkeys** pick the fur of other monkeys, this is grooming they eat the bugs they get from the fur.



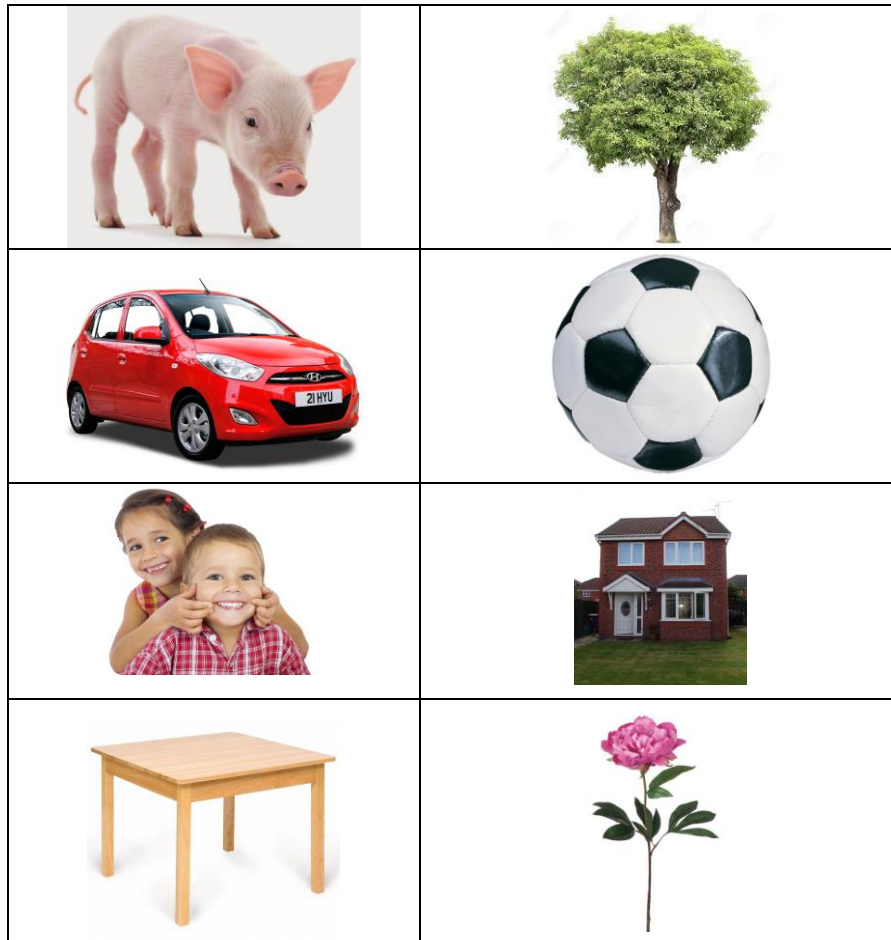
Can you colour the animals and write some describing words?





Living and non-living

Can you cut out and sort the pictures into living and non-living?



What other things can you find that are living or non-living around your house or garden?



Challenge!



Can you find anything that used to be alive?

Can you sort the pictures into the town and jungle?  
How do you know if you are right?



Verbs are 'doing' words!

Cut up the words below and put them in a cup/box. Take it in turns to pull out a word and if it is a verb, do the action. If it is not a verb, then it must be a different type of word (noun).

We are only learning about verbs today.

jump	sing	hop
skip	clap	nod
sing	bed	chair
tree	hat	green
pen	foot	sit

Can you read a verb and match it to the correct picture?

hop

jump

sing

sit

run

sleep



Can you write a verb to describe what the animals are doing?



Can you write a poem about some animals using verbs?  
For example;

I can see a jumping rabbit  
I can see a sleeping cow



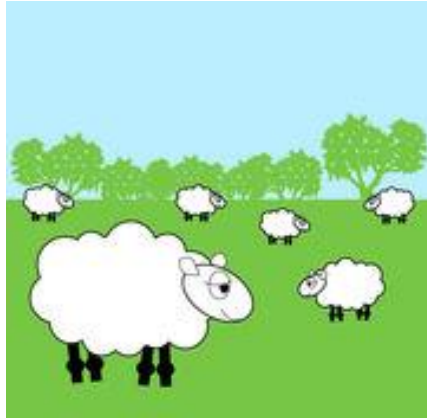
Challenge



Can you add a describing word (adjective) too?

I can see a fluffy jumping rabbit  
I can see a black and white sleeping cow

Can you write a sentence about the picture?



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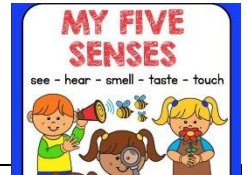
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Do you know what your 5 senses are? Look at the 5 senses poster to find out and go on 5 Senses Hunt around your house and garden or the park!



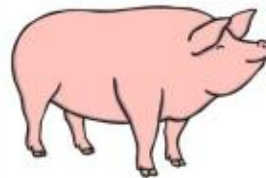
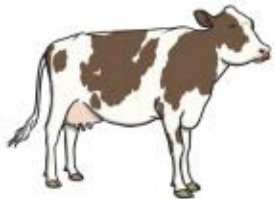
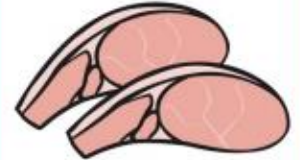
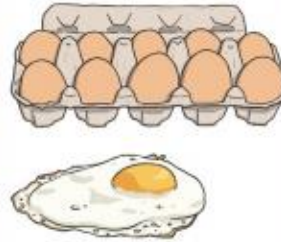
See 	hear 	touch 	taste 	smell 

### Where does food come from?

Label the pictures and draw a line to match where the food comes from.

Can you find out more about where your favourite food comes from?

Tomato ketchup



Tomato