

## Animals in Transition



This half term, Transition have gone animal mad!

We have learnt about how scientists classify animals based on what they eat and the characteristics that they have in common. The children did really well at identifying whether an animal was a mammal, reptile, amphibian, fish or bird – some of them are REALLY tricky!

We explored our environment to see what animals live around us – even during the night with our amazing camera trap!

We have been lucky enough to have caterpillars and tadpoles in the classroom and we have been able to watch with fascination how they change. We have investigated their lifecycles and even found out what happens inside a chrysalis!

Our learning has stretched into art and English as well! The children loved writing clues to help their friends guess their mystery animals. In art we have made our own clay animal sculptures and explored camouflage.

We hope that the children have enjoyed sharing their learning with you!

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