

DRAW YOUR OWN ULTIMATE PREDATOR

Think about its **adaptions**. These are the features it has to *help it survive*.

Predator's species name: Habitat it lives in:

Draw your predator here, using the questions to think about your design.

Does it need camouflage?

Does it need claws?

What senses does it have?

What teeth does it need?

Does it hunt on its own or with others?

Can it climb, swim, run, jump...what does it need to help it do this?

PREDATOR ADAPTATIONS

Moving around

Some predators can move really fast to chase their prey, whilst others lie in wait. How they get about usually depends where they live.

Did you know... that cheetahs use their extra-long tail to help them balance when running at high speeds. They can sprint at up to around 70 miles per hour!



Teamwork

Some predators hunt on their own, but working in a team can be a good strategy to help some animals catch food.

Did you know... that painted dogs can live in groups of up to 27 members! This helps them to catch large animals like zebras.



Crafty camouflage

Camouflage can be really useful for sneaking up on prey. But predators have different camouflage depending on what habitat they live in.

Did you know... that jaguars can be black or spotty? Both these patterns help them hide in their South American habitats.



Terrific teeth

Lots of predators use their teeth to help catch and kill their prey, their teeth are often really sharp to help them with this.

Did you know... that Komodo dragons replace their teeth throughout their whole life!? When a tooth gets old and comes out, another one grows instead.



Super senses

Predators need to be able to find their food and they can do this using different senses.

Did you know... that Humboldt penguins can see really well both in the water and out of the water?

