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## Animal Camouflage

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❑ 1. Define the following terms as related to animals hiding in nature.

a. Camouflage

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b. Adaptation

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2. Explain the purpose of animal camouflage.

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3. Describe and give an example of each of the following types of animal camouflage:

a. Concealing coloration

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b. Disguise

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c. Mimicry

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**d. Disruptive coloration**

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**4. Do three of the following projects:**

- a.** Create a game based on animal camouflage and play it with a group.
- b.** Write and tell a children's story with an Animal camouflage theme.
- c.** Create a poster or display showing at least four (4) different environments with animals that might be camouflaged in each.
- d.** Create a display of pictures you have taken or drawn of five (5) different animals in camouflage.
- e.** Spend a minimum of ½ hour observing an animal which uses camouflage (in its natural setting, if possible) and write a report on your observations.
- f.** Create a children's book with illustrations about animal camouflage.
- g.** Participate in a panel discussion about the use of animal camouflage giving specific examples and details and the type of hiding it uses.
- h.** Create a scale model, creating animal and habitat showing how it can hide in nature.
- i.** Make a scrapbook of the five (5) animal camouflage types (see #3) and pictures of five (5) animals in each of those types.
- j.** Using multi-media, create a presentation about animal camouflage.
- k.** Create your own project (submit it for approval from your Club Director before starting)

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**5. Discover how Satan uses disguise to deceive people regarding Jesus' plan of redemption. Include the following passages in your discussion. Portray your findings in a skit, play or puppet show.**

- a.** Genesis 3 (Temptation in the Garden)
- b.** Chapters 2 & 3 in *Patriarchs and Prophets*.

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## Animal Camouflage, Advanced

- 1. Have the Animal Camouflage Honor.
- 2. What role does camouflage play in the world today? Describe ways that three industries or organizations use camouflage.

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- 3. Pick one animal from each of the following habitats and describe what type of camouflage it uses:

a. Desert

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b. Prairie/Grassland

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c. Tundra

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d. Forest/ Jungle

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e. Ocean

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- 4. Pick one animal from each of the following phyla and describe what type of camouflage it uses.

a. Reptile

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**b. Mammal**

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**c. Amphibian**

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**d. Bird**

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**e. Fish**

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**f. Mollusk or Crustacean**

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**5. Do one of the following:**

**a. Visit a pet shop, zoo or other zoological park and find a minimum of five (5) animals that use animal camouflage.**

**i. List each animal**

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**ii. List what types of camouflage they use**

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**iii.** List what environment/habitat they inhabit in the wild

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3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

**iv.** Using a Venn diagram or its equivalent, compare and contrast three of the animals with specific attention to their use of camouflage.

**b.** Own and/or help care for (2 weeks) an animal who uses camouflage.

**i.** List the type of camouflage it uses

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**ii.** List what environment/habitat they inhabit in the wild

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**iii.** Using a Venn diagram or its equivalent, compare and contrast its use of camouflage with a similar animal that does not use camouflage.

**iv.** Describe what role you played in its care and whether it ever used its animal camouflage to hide from you.

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c. Visit a Park or Habitat Protection Area and with the help of a docent or interpretive media, identify several native species of wildlife that use animal camouflage.

i. List each animal

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2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

ii. List what types of camouflage they use

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

iii. List what environment/habitat they inhabit in the wild

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2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

iv. Using a Venn diagram or its equivalent, Compare and contrast three of the animals with specific attention to their use of camouflage.

6. Prepare and present a devotional about animal camouflage. Include a meaningful spiritual application. Bible passages that may be used include:

a. Psalm 32:7

b. Psalm 119:14

c. Jeremiah 23:24

d. 1 Peter 5:8

e. Titus 1:10

f. Hebrews 4:13

g. Revelation 6;15-16.

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## Venn Diagram: Three Concepts

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