Vocabulary

mystery science

Lesson: How many different kinds of animals are there?

animal	a living thing that needs to eat other living things
bird	a type of animal that lays eggs, has feathers, and has bones
birth	when animals have babies
bones	the hard parts inside many animals that help give their bodies shape
characteristic	something you can observe about an object, place, or living thing
hatch	to come out of an egg
invertebrate	a type of animal that does not have bones
mammal	a type of animal that has hair or fur and usually does not lay eggs
pattern	something that can be observed again and again and again in a way that can be predicted
reptile	a type of animal that has scales and lays eggs
vertebrate	a type of animal that has bones