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ABC Safari Teaching Activities Animal Sorting and Graphing

Copy enough pages for each child or group and have children cut out the animals below.

Using the fun facts in the book, children should determine what class of animal it is and whether it eats plants or meat.

Have them place the card in a pile in the appropriate square of the chart on the next page.

As a variation for older children, have them guess which square should be used and then check their answers with the information in the book.

Graph the number of cards in each square.

Have children refer to the chart and the graph to help answer the following questions:

Which animal class has the highest amount of animals in the book?

Do you think this means there are more of those animals on the earth?

Why or why not?

Do all mammals, reptiles, amphibians or birds eat the same thing?

Which animal class eats the most plants?

Which animal class eats the most meat?

Are there any animal eating habits that surprise you?



CHART OF ANIMAL CLASSES AND WHAT THEY EAT

ANIMAL CLASSES	PLANTS	MEAT
MAMMALS		
REPTILES		
AMPHIBIANS		
BIRDS		
FISH		

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