

# A NEW SPECIES OF ANIMAL HAS BEEN DISCOVERED

## ACTIVITY 1

Design your own animal (you don't have to use this picture). Draw a picture of it. Create a word mat around it describing its features.



## ACTIVITY 2

Animal description. Use your word mat to create sentences to describe your animal. These can be written underneath your picture/words.

## ACTIVITY 3

Choose a writing activity using your animal as inspiration. You can choose more than one if you want!

Don't forget to use the 'What to think about when writing...' documents on Google Classroom.

Ideas:

- 1) Newspaper Report: A mysterious animal has been spotted in High Lane
- 2) Information Text: All about...(Insert the name of your animal here)
- 3) Instructions: How to look after a...(Insert the name of your animal here)
- 4) Story: Any story about your animal
- 5) Any other genre you want to write in

## ACTIVITY 4

Edit your writing in a different colour thinking about:

- Punctuation
- Spelling
- Sentence openers
- Descriptive vocabulary