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Animal Research Notes

Introduction: (Paragraph #1)

Animal: _____

Animal Class Name: (circle one) mammal bird insect reptile amphibian

Family Name: (look in encyclopedia) _____

What does the animal look like?

Color: _____

Height: _____

Weight: _____

Body: _____

What are some of your animal's family members: _____

Food: (Paragraph #2)

What is your animal? (circle one)

carnivore (eats only meat)

herbivore (eats only plants)

omnivore (eats both)

What specific things does your animal eat to survive?

Does your animal have any unusual eating habits? (For example, hyenas rarely hunt on their own. They wait for sick or injured animals to die, then they eat them)

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Draw a sketch of your animal's food web below. Label it. (Wait until your teacher teaches you what a food web looks like.)

Shelter and Space: (Paragraph #3)

Space - Where in the world does your animal live? (Make sure you will be able to find and label this place on a world map)

Space - What conditions does it need to survive? (For example, polar bears need somewhere cold and with snow so they can blend in)

Shelter – What type of home does your animal live in for protection from the environment such as a nest, cave, den, etc.?

Shelter - Does it live on its own or with others? _____

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Animal Adaptations: (Paragraph #4)

What tools does your animal have that helps it survive where it lives? (For example, polar bears have white fur to camouflage with its surroundings and ducks have webbed feet to allow it to swim faster to find food)

Enemies and Protection : (Paragraph #5)

What are your animal's enemies? (this could include humans)

How does your animal protect itself from its enemies?

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Interesting Facts: (Paragraph #6)

What are five interesting things you learned about while researching your animal that you did not know before?

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____
