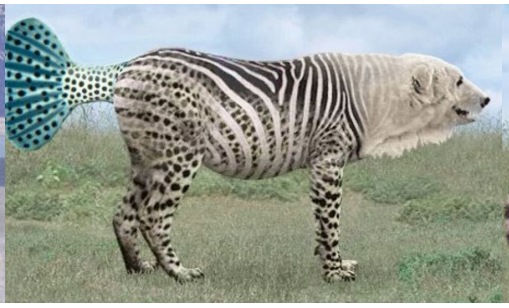
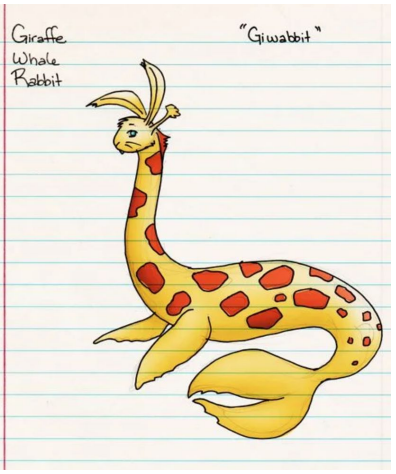


Create your own mythical creature!

- **Research animals that your new animal might be like:**
  What size is it?
  What do they eat?
  Are they nocturnal?
  Do they hibernate?
  What habitat do they live in?

- **Design and label your own animal - this can be a combination of your favourite animals or one that you have completely made up! Think about:**
  - How it is adapted to live in its environment, diet, camouflage etc.

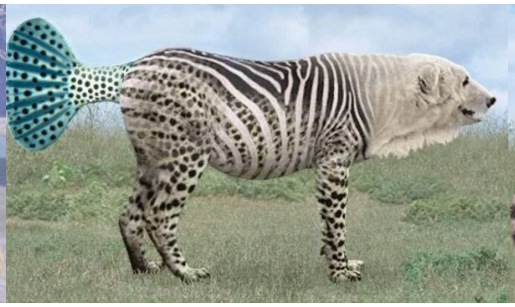


- **Think of your own animal. Write a character description of your animal. Think about:**
  - What do they look like: face, ears, eyes, nose, tail.
  - How can you describe these features?
  - What is their personality like?

- **Write about the habitat that your animal lives in think about:**
  - What country/continent they can be found in.
  - What climate they live in.
  - What their source of food is.

- **Write a creative piece about your animal, this could be:**
  - A poem - eg. 'Guess the animal poetry'
  - A narrative
  - A play/role play
  - A comic strip

- **Write an information text on how to care for your animal. Think about:**
  - What they eat.
  - What exercise they need.
  - What toys/entertainment they need.
  - How much sleep they need.



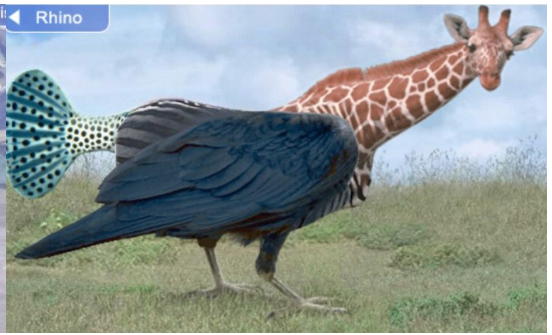
Useful links

Research animals and habitats:

- https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/explore/nature/habitats/
- https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/animals/
- https://www.colchester-zoo.com/discover/our-animals/

Create your own animal:

- https://switchzoo.com/zoo.htm

Animal Poetry:

- https://www.poetry4kids.com/topic/animals/