



Animals That Jump



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Say

'Let's read the contents page together.'

Read

Read the contents page together with the students.

Check Understanding

- On which page will we read about the red fox?
- What will you read about on page 12?

Talk

What do you already know about the animals listed in the contents page?

I already know _____.

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Animals on the Move

Many animals move by running.
Others fly to go from place to place.
Many animals jump!
An animal might jump **towards** something it wants to eat.
Or, it may jump away from something that wants to eat it.



serval



grasshopper

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Say

'Let's read page 3 together and then read it again to yourself.'

Read

Read page 3 with the students and then allow time for them to read it again to themselves.

Check Understanding

- Why would an animal jump away from something?
- What does the word 'towards' mean?

Talk

What do you already know about how animals move?

I already know _____.

What do the photographs show you about how animals move?

The **photographs** show _____.

Say

'Read page 4 to yourself. Don't forget to look at the photographs and read the caption on page 5.'

Read

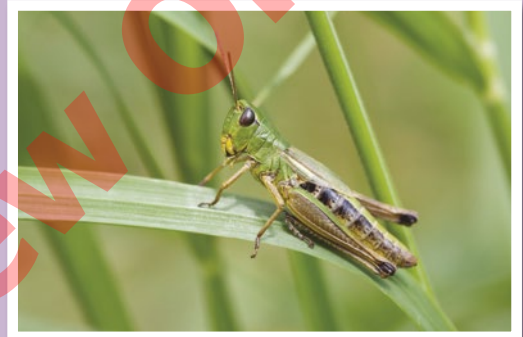
Ask students to read page 4 to themselves. Remind them to look at the photographs and read the caption.

Check Understanding

- What are the legs of a grasshopper like?
- What does a grasshopper use its legs for?
- Why might a grasshopper jump?
- What does the word 'escape' mean?

Grasshopper

A grasshopper has legs like tiny springs. It uses them to push off. A grasshopper may jump to find food. It may jump to escape an enemy.



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A grasshopper can leap from one blade of grass to another.

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Talk

What do you already know about grasshoppers?

I **already know** _____.

What new information about grasshoppers have you read on this page?

The **new information** I have read is _____.

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