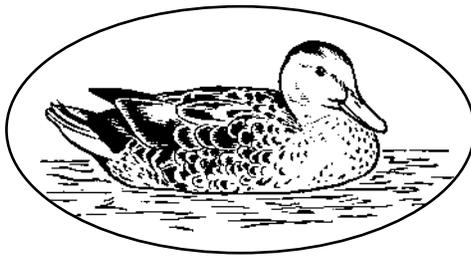


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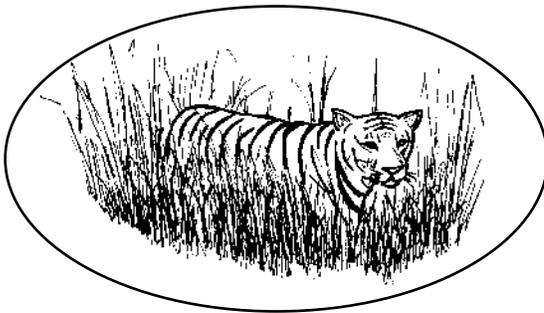
Put a ✓ beside the things that are true.

1. God gave the duck



- oiled feathers.
- thick layers of fat.
- webbed feet.
- a layer of down.

2. Some animals protect themselves by



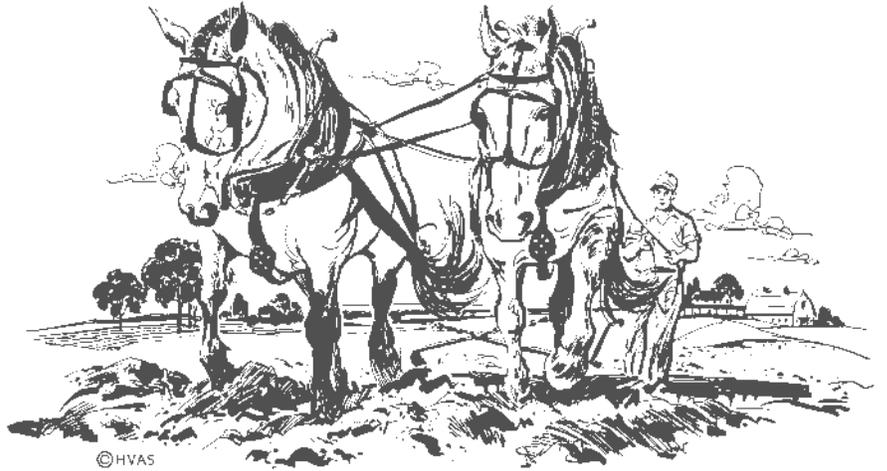
- using their teeth and claws.
- running fast.
- stinging.
- camouflage.

Do we use animals for  
anything besides food and clothes?

We get food and clothes from animals. But that is not all that animals do for us. Animals can do work for us.

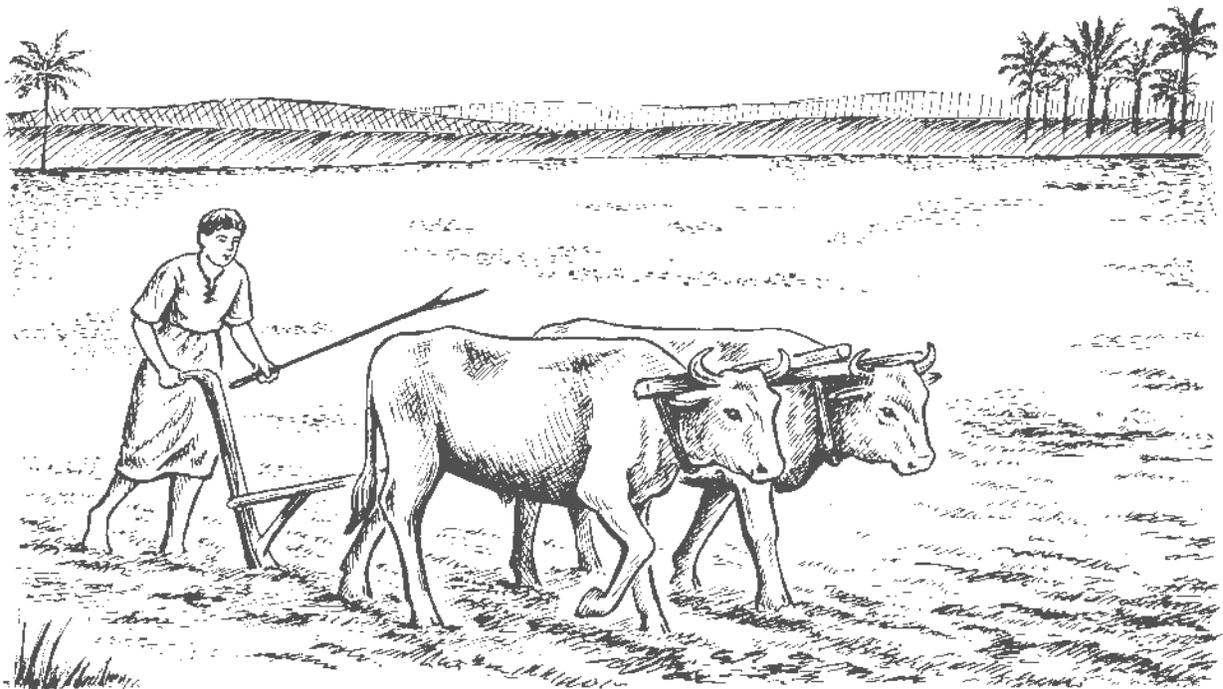
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Horses are very useful animals. Before people had cars, they rode horses to where they wanted to go. They had horses to pull their wagons and carriages.



People who live on a ranch ride horses. Some people have horses to pull their wagons or buggies. Some people keep horses to ride just for fun.

Before people had tractors, they had animals to help do farm work. Some farmers had horses. Others used oxen. Oxen are very strong animals that could do a lot of work.



Some farmers had mules to help them. These animals could pull a plow to plow a field. They could help in other ways too.

In some countries there are many mountains. The people make their fields on the mountainsides. But they cannot use tractors to work in their fields. The fields are so steep that a tractor would roll down the mountain. So the farmers use mules or oxen to work in their fields.

Dogs can work for us too. Dogs can watch your house. They will bark when someone comes.

Some farmers may train their dogs to work for them. Their dogs can round up sheep or chase cows into the barn.

In the North, the weather is very cold. It snows a lot. People sometimes use sleds to travel on top of the snow. Dogs pull the sleds for them. Long ago, nearly everyone had a team of dogs to pull their sleds. Now dogs are not used much.

Many people in other countries use animals to work for them. Elephants, water buffalo, llamas, and reindeer are all animals that work for people.

Some blind people have dogs that work for them. The dogs guide them as they walk. The dogs keep the blind people from bumping into things or falling down the stairs.



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Circle *T* for *true* or *F* for *false*.

3. T     **F**    Animals are important only for food and clothes.
4.  **T**    F    Oxen are very strong.
5.  **T**    F    Farmers can use animals to help do farm work.
6. T     **F**    No one uses horses anymore.



Answer these questions.

7. Why did people long ago use animals for work more than they do today?

They had no cars or tractors.

8. What is one way dogs can work for us?    Any one:

watch, work with animals,

pull sleds, guide the blind

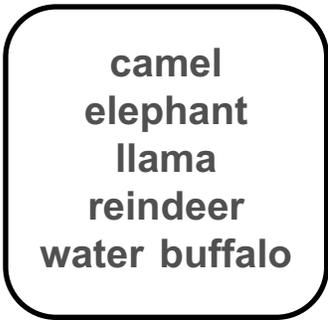
- △ 9. Does any animal help you work? Tell about it.

Answers will vary.



**Do this activity.**

Look at the list of animals in the box. Choose one animal and read about it in the encyclopedia. Find out how that animal works for people.



**Lesson 10 We Enjoy Animals**

***WE REMEMBER***



**Match.**

- |    |     |         |                                      |
|----|-----|---------|--------------------------------------|
| 1. | (a) | milk    | a. comes from cows and other animals |
| 2. | (d) | pork    | b. meat from deer                    |
| 3. | (c) | eggs    | c. a food we get from chickens       |
| 4. | (e) | beef    | d. meat from pigs                    |
| 5. | (b) | venison | e. meat from cattle                  |



**Name three kinds of cloth we get from animals.**

6. leather silk wool

"He hath made every thing beautiful."  
Ecclesiastes 3:11

The Bible says that God made everything beautiful. Everything in His creation is beautiful. The animals He created are beautiful too.

God wants us to enjoy the things He made. Have you ever taken a walk in the woods or in a pasture? Did you see any of the animals God made?

We like to see the deer that live in the woods. It is fun to watch a toad hop away from us in the garden. We enjoy seeing the birds and listening to their songs.

Animals can be our friends too. Many people have a dog or cat for a pet. Dogs can run and play with you. You can teach a dog to do tricks. A dog can go with you and keep you company. Cats and horses are good pets too.

A pet can keep you from feeling lonely. Did you know that many old people like to have a dog or cat? The pet keeps them company. They are not so lonely.

God knew we would use animals for many things. Aren't you thankful that He made animals?





Fill in the blanks with these words.

enjoy      lonely      company  
 friends      beautiful      watching

7. Everything God made is beautiful.
8. God wants us to enjoy the things He created.
9. We can enjoy watching the animals God made.
10. Animals can be friends.
11. Animals can keep us from getting lonely.
12. Many old people like to have a pet to keep them  
company.

## Quiz Time

What have you learned as you did Section 3? It's time to see how much you remember.