



# Creating a Habitat

A **habitat** is the natural environment a living thing calls home. Some habitats include rainforests, mountains, swamps, grasslands, deserts, arctic tundras and oceans.



Habitats have both living and nonliving things that help various animals and plants survive. Some habitats are hot like in a desert, others are cold like in the arctic. Some are very moist like in rainforests, others are very dry like in deserts. Some are in salt water like in the oceans, others are in fresh water like swamps.

Create your own habitat!

You can create a habitat for you, your favourite animal, or an imaginary animal. There are 3 options of how you can create your habitat. Pick which one you would like to do (or do all 3!).

- 1) Go outside and make a habitat using things you find outside.
- 2) Draw your habitat on a piece of paper.
- 3) Get a cardboard box and decorate it like your habitat.

Get Creative!