

## TERM TWO

### PRIMARY THREE LITERACY ONE B

Monday, 10th August 2020

#### LIVING THINGS IN OUR DIVISION

There are two main groups of living things. These are:

- Plants
- Animals

#### **ANIMALS**

Animals are grouped into two:

- Domestic animals
- Wild animals

#### **Domestic animals**

What are domestic animals?

Domestic animals are animals kept at home.

#### **Examples**

- Dogs
- Cats
- Cows
- Goats
- Sheep
- Pigs
- Camels
- Horses
- Donkeys
- Rabbits etc.

#### **Pictures of domestic animals**

### Uses of domestic animals

	<b>Animals</b>	<b>uses</b>
1,	cows/bulls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• For milk and its products.</li><li>• For skins and hides.</li><li>• For horns.</li><li>• For beef.</li><li>• Cow dung for manure.</li><li>• Paying bride price</li><li>• Bulls for ploughing gardens</li><li>• Source of income</li></ul>
2.	Goats	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• For milk</li><li>• For paying bride price</li><li>• Dung for manure</li><li>• Source of income</li><li>• For meat</li></ul>
3.	Sheep	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• For income</li><li>• Source of income</li><li>• For mutton and</li></ul>

		wool. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For cultural purpose like sacrifice</li> </ul>
4.	Dogs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For guarding homes/ protection</li> <li>• For hunting</li> </ul>
5.	Cats	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For chasing rats</li> <li>• Kept as pets</li> </ul>
6.	donkeys/horses/camels	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For transport</li> </ul>
7.	pigs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For pork</li> <li>• For income</li> </ul>

### Exercise

1. What are domestic animals?
2. How are domestic animals useful to people?
3. Give three examples of domestic animal.
4. What was the first animal to be tamed by man?
5. Which animal is used for transport in hilly areas?

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#### **Dangers of domestic animals**

1. They destroy crops
2. Sick dogs spread rabies to people
3. They have vectors like fleas and ticks that spread diseases to people.
4. They dirty the compounds.

#### **Ways of caring for domestic animals**

1. By treating the sick animals.
2. By proper feeding.

3. By providing shelter/habitat.
4. By cleaning their habitat.
5. By being kind to them.
6. By protecting them from predators.

### **Exercise**

1. Identify three dangers of domestic animals.
2. State three ways of caring for domestic animals.
3. What are the habitats for these animals?
  - a. cow
  - b. horse
  - c. pig
  - d. goat
4. How can dogs be of a danger to people?

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## **WILD ANIMALS**

### **1. What are wild animals?**

These are animals which live in forests, bushes or water.

Some wild animals are kept in special places such as : game parks, game reserves or zoos. An example of a zoo in Uganda is Uganda Wildlife Education Centre (UWEC) found in Entebbe.

There are several examples of game parks and game reserves in Uganda. These are:

- Kidepo National game park
- Queen Elizabeth National game park
- Mt. Rwenzori National game park
- Lake Mburo National game park etc.

## **2. Examples of wild animals**

- Snakes
- Lions
- Leopards
- Rhinos
- Wolves
- Giraffes
- Baboons
- Antelopes
- Monkeys etc.

### **Pictures of wild animals**

## **Exercise**

1. How are wild animals different from domestic animals?
2. Write three examples of wild animals.
3. Name two special places where wild animals are kept.
4. Write UWEC in full.

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## **Uses of wild animals**

1. They attract tourists.
2. Some animals provide meat such as hippos, antelopes, buffaloes etc.
3. Animals are used for study purposes.
4. Some wild animals provide skins e.g. leopards, snakes etc.

### **Who are tourists?**

Tourists are visitors within or outside the country.

**NB.** These tourists pay money to our country called foreign exchange.

### **Dangers of wild animals**

1. Some wild animals like squirrels, monkeys and elephants destroy people's crops.
2. Some wild animals like lions kill people and domestic animals.
3. Some wild animals spread disease to people.

### **Exercise**

1. Give two ways in which wild animals can be useful to people.
2. State two dangers of wild animals to people.
3. Who are tourists?
4. How are tourists important to Uganda?

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### **Care for wild animals**

1. Be kind to them.
2. Protect them from poachers.
3. Feed those in zoos and game parks well.

#### **Who are poachers?**

**Poachers** are people who kill animals in game parks without permission.

#### **What is poaching?**

**Poaching** is the illegal hunting of wild animals in game parks.

#### **Things made out of skins and hides**

- Bags
- Shoes
- Belts
- Drums
- Wallets
- Some clothes

### Exercise

1. How are poachers a problem to wildlife?
2. Mention two uses of wild animals to people.
3. Draw and name any two things made from hides and skins
