



LESSON PLAN

REMARKABLE REPTILES

Series: Reptiles

Objective

To help students find and describe key ideas while reading a nonfiction book about reptiles.

Supplies

- One or more books in the Reptiles series
- Remarkable Reptiles worksheet (attached)
- Pencils

Before the Activity

Print a copy of the Remarkable Reptiles worksheet for each student.

Activity

Each book in the Reptiles series focuses on a different reptile, describing what it eats, where it lives, and if it has any special abilities, such as blending in with its surroundings or using a strong sense of smell to find prey.

Invite each student to choose one book from the Reptiles series to read for this activity. Then pass out the Remarkable Reptiles worksheet. Explain that it includes eight questions about the book's main ideas. Students should look for the answers to these questions as they read. They should write their answers on the worksheet. Remind students to write each answer as a complete sentence.

Evaluation

Collect the worksheets at the end of the activity. Could students find an answer to each of the eight questions? Did they write each answer as a complete sentence?



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Student Name: _____

Book Title: _____

1. Where does the reptile live?

2. What does the reptile eat?

3. What abilities or body parts help the reptile hunt or survive?

4. How big or small is the reptile?



5. How long does the reptile live?

6. How does the reptile have babies?

7. How soon can the baby reptiles live on their own?

8. What is your favorite fact about this reptile?
