

ADAPT IN THE HABITAT PRE-VISIT SUPPORTS



We hope you enjoy these supports as you prepare your students for the Adapt in the Habitat field trip experience with CMoR. We encourage you to use these resources to help students anchor their learning!

VOCABULARY

Key words to introduce prior to your visit.

Habitat: a place that has all 5 basic needs (air, food, water, shelter, space) for an animal to survive

Adaptation: a special skill, mutation, or genetic change that helps an organism survive in its environment

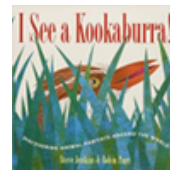
Camouflage: way of hiding that helps animals blend into environments to avoid predators

Behavioral Adaptation: changing how an animal acts (change in diet, how it protects itself, how it moves)

Physical Adaptation: changing how an animal's body looks to better survive (claws, fur, etc.)

BOOK SUGGESTIONS

Dive into learning before the big day!



I See a Kookaburra! Discovering Animal Habitats Around the World
By Steve Jenkins

We Build Our Homes: Small Stories of Animal Architects
By Laura Knowles



Welcome Home, Bear: A Book of Animal Habitats
By Il Sung Na

VA. STANDARDS OF LEARNING

SCIENCE:

- Scientific and Engineering Practices
 - K.1 (a, c)
 - 1.1 (c)
 - 2.1 (a)
 - 3.1 (a)
- Matter
 - K.3 (a, b, c, d)
- Living Systems and Processes
 - K.7 (a, b, c)
 - 1.5 (a, b, c)
 - 2.5 (a, b, c)
- Earth Resources
 - 2.8 (b)