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## **Adaptation Homework (Due: \_\_\_\_\_)**

In Science, we have been looking at living things in their habitats. We looked at how animals are suited to their environments. For example, a bird's habitat is a nest high up in a tree; this will help stop other animals (predators) from being able to reach them!

**Adaptation** means: 'something that changes to become suitable to a new or special situation.'

**List 2 or 3 ways that each animal is adapted to its habitat. The first one is done for you.**



A stick insect in a rainforest (tropical climate)

A stick insect is adapted to a tree because it is thin and brown like a twig, which helps it to blend or camouflage and hide from bigger animals. It moves in a swaying motion, to replicate the wind on the branches.



A toucan in the rainforest (tropical climate)



A polar bear in the Arctic (Polar climate)



A deer in a forest (temperate climate)



A camel in the desert (Arid climate)

Extension Homework—Can you think of 4 more animals and how they have adapted to their environments? Pick an animal from different climate zones.