

Prior learning to reactivate

- Identify and name a variety of common animals (YI)
- Identify and name examples of carnivores, herbivores and omnivores (YI)

Key learning

Animals have basic needs for survival i.e. water, food and air

Exercise is important to all animals.

Nutrition is important (to humans).

Hygiene is important for good health.

Animals have offspring that grow into adults..

Key vocabulary	
Exercise	Activity to keep you fit and healthy
Healthy	Having a strong body, mind and friend- ships
Survival	Staying alive.
Growth	When something increases in size
Offspring	An animal's young/babies
Hygiene	Good routines to keep you physically clean and healthy
Nutrition	Food for health and growth

SCIENTIFIC SKILLS

By the end of the year, children should be able to...

- Ask simple questions
- Observe closely
- Perform simple tests
- Identify and classify
- Use observations to suggest answers to questions
- Gather and record data

Opportunities for scientific enquiry within the unit:

- Observe and measure how different animals grow (including humans)
- Ask questions about what things animals need to survive and stay healthy
- Suggest ways to stay healthy
- Sort and record different ways of classifying different animals.

