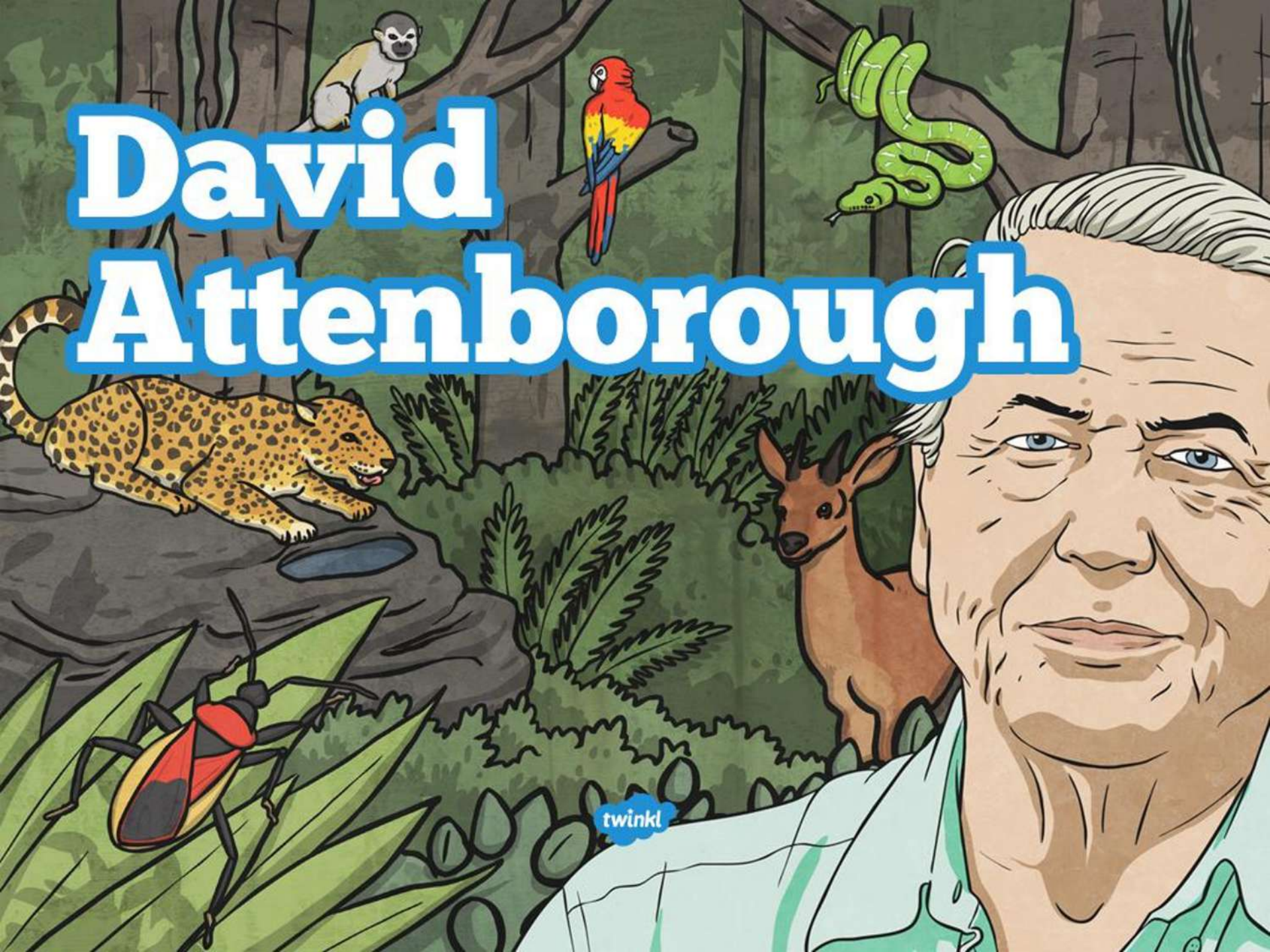




Science

Scientists and Inventors

David Attenborough



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Aim of the Science lesson

- I am learning to describe the work of David Attenborough.

Activity of the week

- I can answer questions about David Attenborough's work.
- I can identify how David Attenborough describes animals in his documentaries.
- I can watch a video clip and make some note about some of the information.

Life on Film

An illustration of David Attenborough, an elderly man with grey hair, wearing a light green short-sleeved shirt and tan trousers. He is standing on a boat, looking down at a sea urchin he is holding in his hands. To his left, a large professional video camera is mounted on the boat, with a hand visible near its controls. The background shows a blue sky with white clouds and a body of water with gentle waves.

David Attenborough is a wildlife film-maker and naturalist. This means he is a scientist who studies animals and their behaviour.

He has written and presented many popular documentaries about animals and their lives.

Attenborough has been a presence on our television screens for over 60 years and his programmes have brought him international recognition.

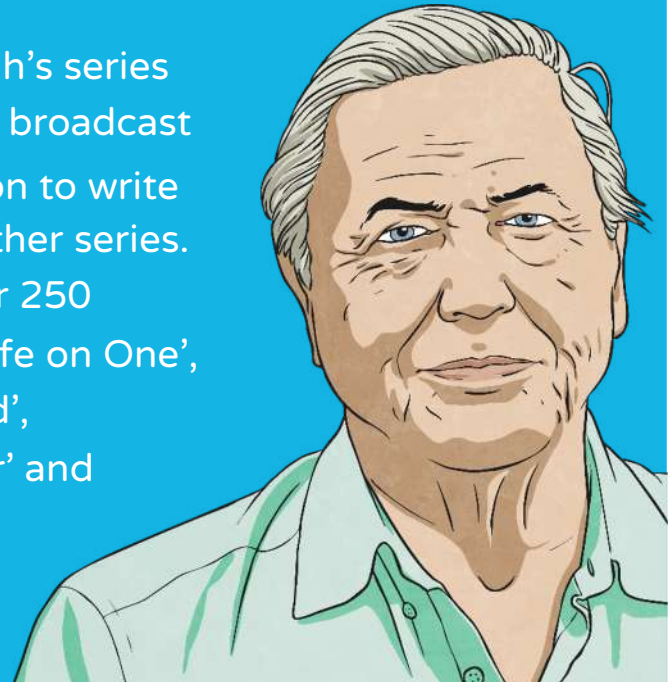
Documentaries



What type of films does David make?



After Attenborough's series 'Life on Earth' was broadcast in 1979, he went on to write and make many other series. These include over 250 episodes of 'Wildlife on One', 'The Natural World', 'Life in the Freezer' and Planet Earth'.



He is still working on new documentaries now.



You are going
to watch a video with David
Attenborough presenting.

[Click](#) on the link below



Answering Questions Time



When a human female has twins she will love and protect both babies! Remember that we are different from birds.



Killer Whale

What do killer whales hunt?

What does an abundance of krill mean?

How tall is a killer whale's fin?

Why do killer whales work as a team?

Shoebill bird

What is the name of their habitat?

What was the mother bird catching?

How many chicks were born?

Why did the mother choose the first chick?

Answering Questions Time 2

Can you name some of the hunters in the video?



In the streams

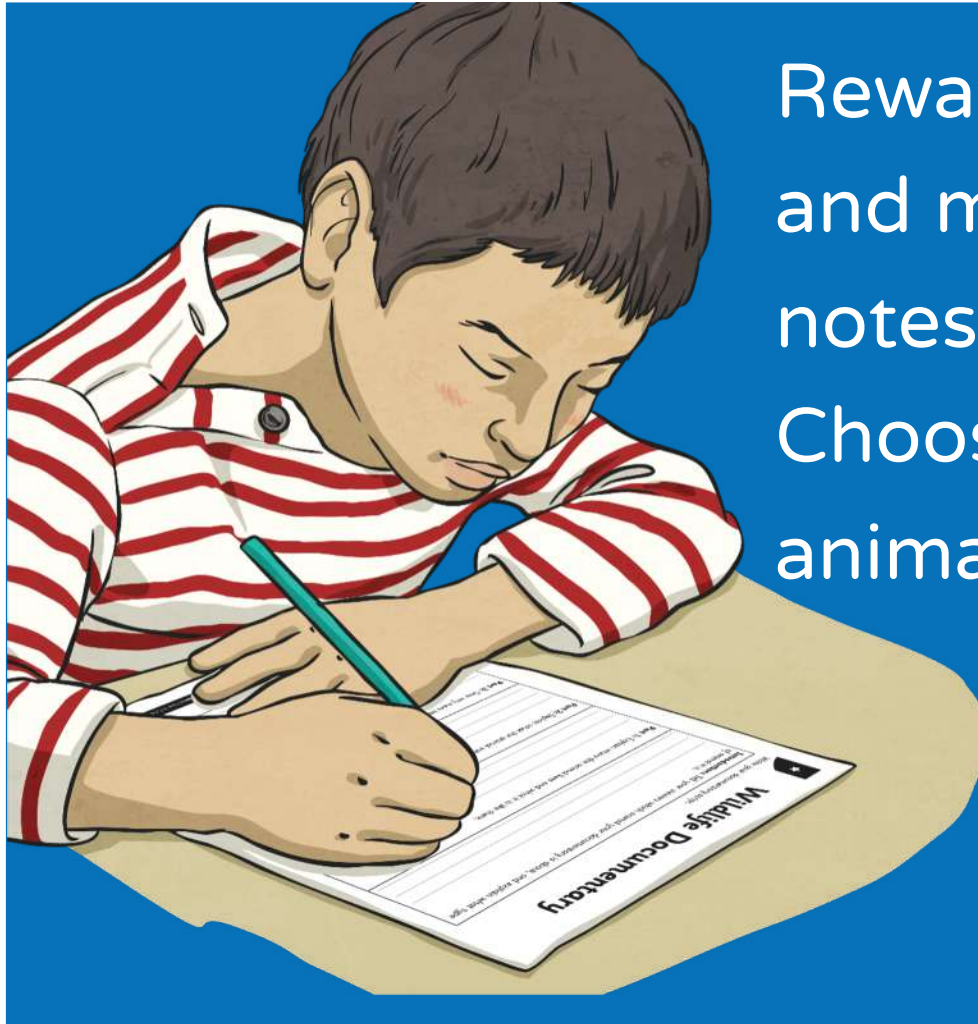
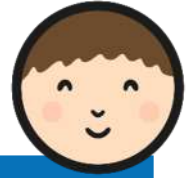
What are the bears hunting for? How long have they not eaten salmon for? What are the males battling for? Why are the salmon leaping? How do the bears catch the salmon? How many salmon survive?

In the Ocean

What do the sealions want to eat? What other predators are in the ocean? What do the cooper sharks smell?

Why do the walrus create a wall? What do they use their tusks for? What is the polar trying to do?

Wildlife



Rewatch the video
and make some
notes.

Choose one or two
animals to draw and
write about

You may want to email your
teacher a photograph of your
work or attach it .

Aim



- I can describe and answer questions about the work of David Attenborough.

By the end of this lesson

- I can identify how David Attenborough describes animals in his documentaries
- I can write some facts about how animals hunt and survive,

