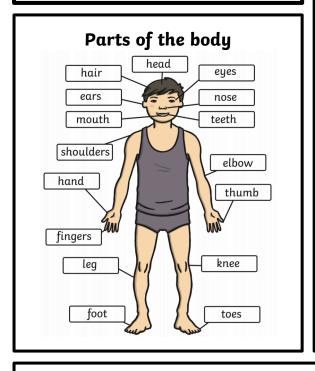
## **People and Animals**



## The 5 Senses

Humans have five senses. The senses are linked to parts of the body.

Sense	Part of the body
sight	eyes
smell	nose
touch	hands, feet, etc.
hearing	ears
taste	tongue

The study of Animals is part of the discipline of **Biology** – the study of **living organisms.** 

## **Biomes**

A **biome** is an area with plants and animals. There are 7 main biomes in the world.

Aquatic – these biomes cover most of the earth and are rivers, lakes, oceans and seas.

**Desert** – very low rainfall means the soil here is very dry. They can be very hot or very cold.

**Forest** – a place with lots of trees and plants.

**Grassland** – large area of grasses, flowers and herbs.

**Savanna** – a tropical grassland with a warm temperature all year round.

**Rainforest** - a forest with tall trees, a warm climate and lots of rain.

**Tundra** – a cold, large tree-less area where the soil is frozen.

## **Animal Groups**

Animals are grouped together into 'families' based on shared properties. There are 5 main animal groups.

Mammals — mammals have hair or fur. They give birth to live young. Mammals produce milk for their babies.

**Fish** – fish live in water. They have fins, scales and gills.

**Reptiles** — Reptiles have dry, scaly skin. They lay eggs on land.

Amphibians – Amphibians live on land or in water. They lay eggs in water.

**Birds** — Birds have 2 legs, wings and feathers. They have a beak or bill and hatch from eggs.