

Study Guide for Animal Summative

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Life Science

- I can observe that offspring resemble their parents. Organisms are similar to their parents in appearance and behavior, but still show some variation.
- I can identify ways that organisms have different structures and behaviors that serve different functions and that their physical features are associated with the environments where they live.
- I can describe how plants and animals have life cycles that are part of their adaptation for survival in their natural environments.

- Know the difference between a vertebrate and an invertebrate
- What are adaptations and how do they help animals survive? Be able to name an animal and provide several adaptations that the animal uses to survive
- Characteristics of mammals, reptiles, insects, and birds and examples of each type
- Understand inherited and learned traits, be able to provide examples of each
- Understand inherited and learned behaviors, be able to provide examples of each
- What is an instinct and provide an example
- What is mimicry and provide an example
- Lifecycles of mammals, insects, and amphibians

Use online resources, worksheets and activities from class, and animal unit vocabulary words to study for this summative!