

Physical traits

What does the body part do?

Look at each picture. Match the body part and its purpose to the images using the blocks on the next page. Write the correct letter and number in the two circles, e.g. 'B | 2'.



My answers:



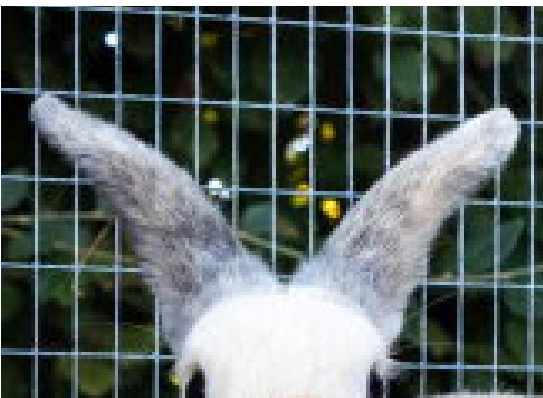
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Physical traits

What does the body part do?

Body parts

A

Ears

B

Teeth

C

Eyes

D

Nose

E

Tail

F

Legs

Purpose

1

Communication
and keeping
their balance

2

Moving and
supporting the
body

3

Smelling and
exploring their
environment

4

Hearing
and
communicating

5

Eating, chewing
and
grooming

6

Seeing and
finding their way
around

Physical traits

Healthy or problematic?

Cut out the pictures of each animal and sort them into two piles:

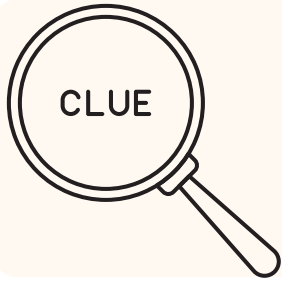
- **Healthy:** The animal's body shape helps them live normally.
- **Could cause problems:** The physical trait may make it harder for the animal to live comfortably or behave normally.

You can use the clue cards on the next page if you need extra help.



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Healthy or problematic?



Muzzle: A healthy animal's muzzle should give them enough space to breathe easily through their nose and airways.



Ears: Healthy ears should allow an animal to hear and move normally. Their shape should allow them to stay clean and dry, and should not affect the healthy development of the bones and joints.



Skin: Healthy skin should be easy to keep clean and dry, without deep folds or wrinkles that trap moisture and dirt.



Body shape: A healthy animal's body shape should allow them to move comfortably, with a back and legs that support their body without putting extra strain on the spine.