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- The child has learned about the blue tongue lizard's appearance, specifically its blue tongue.
- The child has gained knowledge about the habitat and natural environment of blue tongue lizards.
- The child has learned about the diet and feeding habits of blue tongue lizards.
- The child has learned about the behavior and defense mechanisms of blue tongue lizards.

After finding a blue tongue lizard, the child can continue their learning by creating a habitat for the lizard and observing its behavior in a controlled environment. They can also research more about the different species of blue tongue lizards and their unique characteristics. Encouraging the child to document their observations and create a presentation or report can further enhance their understanding of these reptiles.

Book Recommendations

- <u>The Blue-Tongued Lizard</u> by Janeen Brian: This book provides insightful information about blue tongue lizards, their habitat, and behavior.
- <u>The Lizard Man of Crabtree County</u> by Lucy Nolan: A fictional story about a boy's encounter with a blue tongue lizard and his adventures in the Australian outback.
- <u>Lizards: A Natural History of Some Uncommon Creatures</u> by Sneed B. Collard III: This book explores the diverse world of lizards, including blue tongue lizards, with stunning photographs and engaging text.

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