

Animal Adventures in Writing!

Materials Needed:

- Paper (lined or plain)
- Pencil
- Crayons or colored markers
- Optional: Pictures of different animals or animal books

Let's Get Started!

Hi there, awesome writer! Today, we're going on an adventure with words, all about our favorite topic: ANIMALS! Animals are so cool, aren't they? They can be big or small, fluffy or smooth, fast or slow. Let's use our words to tell amazing stories about them!

Warm-up: Animal Words Brainstorm!

Think about animals. What words come to mind? Let's think of words that tell us **what they look like** (like fluffy, big, spotty, green) and words that tell us **what they do** (like run, jump, swim, roar, sleep). Let's write down a few together!

Activity 1: Choose Your Animal Star!

Okay, out of all the amazing animals in the world, which one will be the star of our writing today? Pick your favorite animal. Is it a playful puppy, a majestic lion, a slithery snake, or a colorful parrot? Got one? Great!

Activity 2: Sentence Magic!

Now, let's write some sentences about your chosen animal star. Remember, a sentence is like a complete thought. We can start simple!

1. Think about its color. Let's write: "My [animal name] is [color]." (Example: My cat is orange.)
2. Think about something it does. Let's write: "My [animal name] likes to [action]." (Example: My dog likes to run.)
3. Think about how it feels or looks. Let's write: "It is [descriptive word]." (Example: It is soft.)

Try writing one, two, or even three sentences about your animal on your paper. Remember your best printing!

Activity 3: Draw Your Star!

Now for more fun! Draw a picture of your animal star on your paper. You can use your crayons or markers to make it super colorful. You can even label parts of your animal or things it does near your drawing!

Wrap-up: Show and Tell!

Wow, look at your wonderful work! You wrote sentences **and** drew a picture. Let's read your sentences out loud. Tell me about your animal star using your amazing writing and drawing! You are a fantastic animal author!

Optional Extension: Can you combine your sentences to make a mini-story? Or think of one more

sentence to add?