

ANIMALS HELPING ANIMALS

Why do animals help each other? Can animals be friends?
Find out all about snow monkeys, honeybees
and helpful birds.

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New words



fungus
(fungi)



glue
(noun)



nectar



nest



hole



honey



pollen



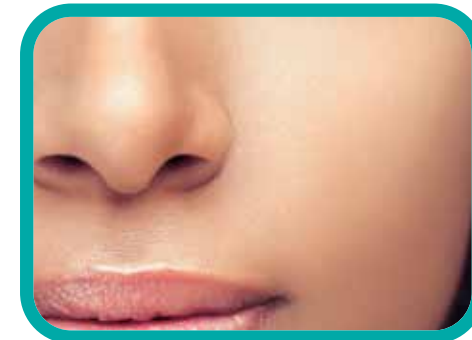
shell



hunt
(verb)



insect



skin

Why^{do} animals help each other?

Many animals live together in groups or families. They help each other to find food and water, and to stay safe.

Parents look after their babies.

These snow monkeys are cleaning each other.

This parent gives its baby food until the baby can fly and find its own food.

These bear cubs learn how to get food by watching their mother.

Clownfish and sea anemones live together.

They are different types of animal, but they help each other!



PROJECT

Work in a group.

Make a list of all the things you do to help your friends and family. Which three things are the most important?

Who looks after the babies?

Most baby animals need adults to help them.

Some animals live in big families. The families help to look after the babies.

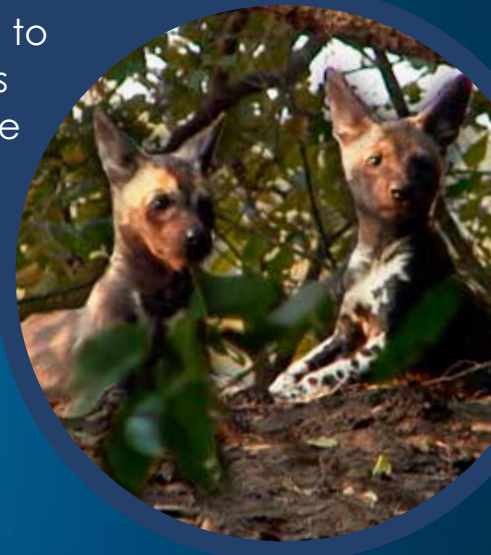
A baby whale is called a calf. When the mother whales look for food, the family looks after the calves.

This sperm whale is looking after lots of calves. Their mothers are looking for fish to eat.



A family of elephants all look after the young elephants together.

When hunting dogs go to find food, the babies stay at home with one adult dog.



WATCH!

Watch the video (see page 32).
How does the hunting dog help the babies it is looking after?