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Worksheet 1

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Topic: geography, animals

ŠVP: životní prostředí, osobnost regionu- autorka

Level: B1-B2

Number of lessons: 2-5

Skills: reading, writing, listening, speaking

Forms and methods:

individual work, pair work, group work, S-S, T- Ss, S- Ss interactions

CHAPTER 1 OUT TO THE ISLAND

CHAPTER 2 NONSUCH HOUSE

Before you read

1. Work with a world map and find the island Bermuda.
2. Revise the names geographical features.
3. Revise the articles connected with geographical names.
4. Draw and describe the island (p.6).

While you read

1. Write the names of animals mentioned in the chapter :

(Clue: pet crow, butterfly, insect, native animals, cat, dog, rat, pig, land crab, rock lizard, the Cahow, seabird, goat, Dodo, labrador dog, humback, whale, spider, cockroach, wolf spider, tarantula, ant, Bermuda skink).

2. What kind of animal is it? Fill the gaps.

a) The are another story. My parents tell me to like the spiders, because they eat Sometimes you can hear them in the night, crunching and sucking on them. But none of us likes the They're the big American ones, dark brown and papery, with long feelers, and yellow circles on their heads that look like giant eyes. You don't see them much in the day, but they lurk everywhere. You can't move a pan in the kitchen cupboard, or get paper out of a drawer, or shift a picture on the wall without startling one, and it startles you, too!

I know it's not supposed to be hygienic to have in your house, but as far as I know, we've never been ill because of them.



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BISKUPSKÉ GYMNAZIUM Žďár n. Sáz.

b) The armies of tiny are kept at bay by the fridge, and by plastic containers, too. But we use " traps", as well. These are little pots of water which the legs of the food cabinet and kitchen table stand in. The don't swim across the water, so as long as the piece of furniture isn't touching any wall, the can't get onto it.

c) These little lizardy animals are smooth and charcoal grey, and no trouble at all. In fact, they're hardly ever indoors, except when a baby with a bright blue tail wanders in by mistake. Normally they live in the cracks in the wall below the porch, and they come up at every meal to be fed. They're very greedy, and eat most things, but they love tuna fish best.

d) The last animals in the household, are the They range from size of my thumb to the size of Dad's hand, at the biggest.

They have reddish- orange legs, and a deep purple body. They're nocturnal, which means they scabble around under your bed at night, making a rasping noise on the wooden floor.

(Clue: p. 23-24, p. 27-28)

CHAPTER 3 DOWN AT THE DOCK

3. Match the English name with the Czech translation.

lobster
dolphin
parrotfish
angelfish
Calico Clan
spiny lobster
green moray
barracuda
remora
shark
scorpion fish
jellyfish
Portuguese Man. of- War
black sea urchin
eel

měchýřovka portugalská
humr
pomcovité ryby
ostnatí humři
sasanky
ropušnice
medúza
žralok
škeble
zelená moréna
štítovec
barakuda
delfin
úhoř
ježovka

After you read



1. Find the pictures of the mentioned animals on the Internet.
2. Write typical animals.

the Czech Republic	Great Britain

3. Describe an animal. Other students guess what it is.
pair work, group work, S- Ss interaction

3. Prepare and tell a story:

My unusual meeting with an animal.

(Clue: at home, at a cottage, at the zoo, in the street, at my friend's house, in a film, in a book).

- a) Why are you talking about this animal?
- b) Describe the animal.
- c) What happened?