

Year 2 Science – Animals including humans



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All living things **reproduce** and have **offspring**.

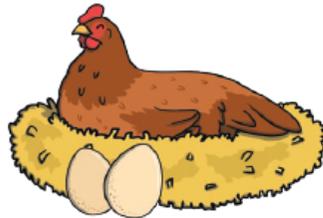
Some animals give birth to **live young**.

Their offspring normally look like them when they are born.



Some animals lay eggs which hatch into live young. This **young** then develops into an **adult**.

When these eggs hatch, some animals look like their adult, e.g. birds and reptiles.



Other animals have offspring which do not look like them, e.g. fish and amphibians.



To stay alive, all animals have 3 basic needs:



To stop illness and infections spreading, we must be hygienic and keep ourselves clean.



Key Vocabulary

adult	A fully grown animal or plant.
offspring	The child of an animal
reproduce	When living things make a new living thing of the same kind.
diet	The food and water that an animal needs.
exercise	A physical activity to keep your body fit.
Heart rate	The number of times a heart beats in one minute.