

Spelling List 12

vertebrates

llama

chameleon

rhinoceros

porcupine

squirrel

chimpanzee

porpoise

armadillo

coyote

ostrich

fauna

giraffe

opossum

mosquitoes

kangaroo

penguin

Jeremiah (Jer.)

leopard

platypus

Lamentations (Lam.)

jaguar

tortoise

cougar

iguana

amphibian: an animal that lives both on land and in water

zoology: the study of animals and animal life

veterinarian: an animal doctor

mammal: a warmblooded animal with hair or fur whose females produce milk for their babies

pachyderm: a thick-skinned animal with hoofs; an elephant, rhinoceros, or hippopotamus

bovine: the scientific name for cattle

feline: the scientific name for all members of the cat family

canine: the scientific name for all members of the dog family

instinct: an inherited behavior pattern

intelligence: the ability to learn and understand

