

Animals live in all different types of habitats



Not all animals go to another place when it's winter. Some animals like bears hibernate. They hibernate in the winter because it's the coldest season.

Reflecting on the children's conversations we noticed that the questions and wonderings came more from what the children wanted to know based on their understandings of what they had discovered so far.

As a result of this the children began to look more closely at cause and effect. Did the change in the seasons and weather have an effect on the choices the animals made as to how they chose to live in their environment?

The camel's legs are very tall because the sand is so hot that it is too hot for the camel's body. If the legs were short the camel's body would be too close to the sand and because the sun makes the sand so hot because the sun in the desert is very hot the camel's body will touch the sand and it will get burnt.

I have chosen a snake because there are snakes in the desert. If the snake can't find any water it has to go underground to keep cool. It has to go back and forth and back and forth to make a hole and then it goes into the hole to keep cool. The further it goes down the cooler it is because it's getting away from the sun.

