Amazing Animals: Knowledge Organiser

Book



Midnight at the Zoo

Story Synopsis
What happens at the zoo when all the people have gone home? Max and Mia are very excited about their school trip to the zoo, but when they arrive, not much is happening: the zebra is asleep, the lions are hiding, and they can't even see a monkey. Max and Mia make the best of it after all, if you look very carefully, there is something to see everywhere. But when they are accidently locked in the zoo at night, they realize that midnight is when the zoo comes alive!



Photographs of Eling, Totton



Eling Quay



Eling Tide Mill



Terraced Houses



Bartley Water Boardwalk

Places

Eling

We are very lucky to live in such a beautiful spot in England. In Eling, we have a working tide mill and beautiful woodland areas, as well as a river that leads to the sea. We have many features, both natural (physical features) and human made. Why not take a walk around Eling? Can your child find where the river is, the tide mill, the boardwalk or the woods? Our local geography is fantastic!

Science



fish



bird



mammal



reptile



amphibian



predator prey

Key Vocabulary

Eling Tide Mill - a mill with a waterwheel driven by the tide.
Pond - a small body of still water formed.
Boardwalk - a wooden walkway across sand or marshy ground.
River - a large natural stream of water flowing to the sea, a lake, or another river.
Forest - a large area covered mainly with trees and undergrowth.
Sea -the expanse of salt water that covers most of the earth's surface and surrounds its land masses.
Coast - the part of the land near the sea.
Beach - a pebbly or sandy shore, especially by the sea between high and low tide.
Harbour - a place on the coast where ships may moor in shelter
Habitat – a habitat is a home for an animal or plant.
Carnivore – a carnivore is an animal that eats meat.
Herbivore – a herbivore is an animal that eats plants.
Omnivore – an omnivore is an animal that eats both meat and plants.
Reptile – a cold-blooded animal that has scales or bony plates. They lay eggs on land.
Bird- they have a backbone, have feathers and lay eggs.
Amphibian – they lay their eggs in water, and can live on land and in the water.
Mammal – they are warm-blooded and have fur or hair. They give birth to live babies.
Fish - a limbless, cold-blooded animal with gills and fins living wholly in water.