

# Where do amphibians live?

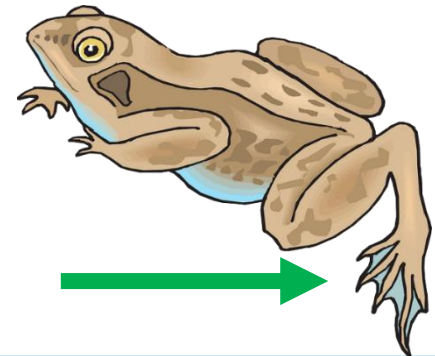
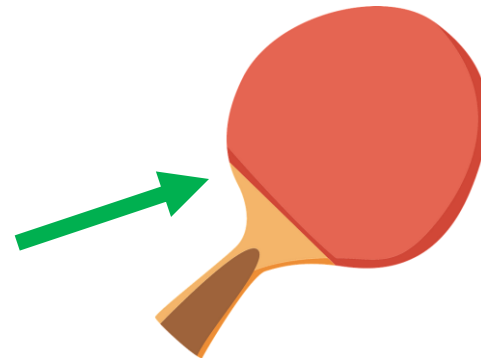
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# Let's learn new words!

- **larvae** or **tadpoles**: The babies of amphibians. They usually have tails and live in water.
- **lizard-like**: similar to lizards
- **paddle-like**: shaped like a paddle (wide and flat)
- **webbed feet**: In webbed feet, the toes are connected by skin, like a duck's feet.



# Let's read!

Hello! Today's lesson will be about **amphibians**.

Say it like this: [ am-FI-bi-yan ]



## What is an amphibian?

An amphibian is an animal that can live both on land and in water.

They can breathe and take in water through the skin. They lay eggs in water.



# Types of Amphibians

## FROGS and TOADS

Most frogs and toads lay eggs in the water.

The babies are called **larvae** or **tadpoles**.



Frogs have smooth, shiny skin.  
Toads have rough, bumpy skin.



# Types of Amphibians

## SALAMANDERS and NEWTS

Salamanders are **lizard-like amphibians** with long bodies and tails.



Most newts have **paddle-like tails** and **webbed feet** used for swimming underwater.





# Types of Amphibians

## CAECILIAN

[ see-SIL-yan ]

Caecilians look like worms or snakes. They live under the ground.

They have **no legs**. They have **tiny eyes**, and they have **rings** around their bodies.

Many caecilians wrap around their eggs to protect them.



# Let's Answer!

Use the pictures to complete the sentences.

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A newt looks

like a



It has a



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babies are

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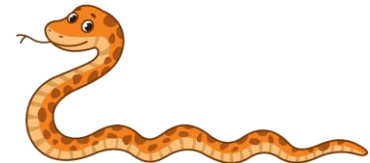
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# Let's Answer!

**Can you remember what we learned?  
Are these sentences TRUE or FALSE?**

- 1. Amphibians can live on land.**
- 2. Amphibians don't lay eggs.**
- 3. Salamanders have long bodies and tails.**
- 4. Tadpoles are the babies of frogs and toads.**
- 5. Caecilians have tiny eyes.**
- 6. Caecilians have webbed feet.**



# ANSWER KEY

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1. A newt looks like a lizard. It has a paddle-shaped tail.
2. A frog's/toad's babies are called tadpoles.
3. A caecilian has tiny eyes. It looks like a snake.

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1. TRUE
2. FALSE
3. TRUE
4. TRUE
5. FALSE

## Congratulations!

