



REPORT ROADMAP

Animals

How do I find information about animals at the library?

Use the Catalog

catalog.ppld.org

Type in these example search words:

mammals and juvenile
(or reptiles, birds, fish, marsupials, pets)

bears and juvenile
(or whales, monkeys, lions, sharks, gorillas.....whatever you need.)

Try Kids Web

ppld.org/kids

From KidsWeb ,click Homework Help-> Next, click on Animals->scroll down the page for the best Kids Databases and Kids Magazines for animals. (From home, you will need your library card number and PIN to access these databases.)

Best picks for databases:

EBSCO Animals

online animal encyclopedia

Britannica Online for Kids

online encyclopedia

Grzimek's Student Animal Life Resource

Online encyclopedia

Best web picks:

Animal Diversity Web

<http://animaldiversity.ummz.umich.edu/site/index.html>

Animaland

http://www.aspc.org/site/PageServer?pagename=kids_home

Colorado Division of Wildlife

<http://wildlife.state.co.us/WildlifeSpecies/Profiles/>

Smithsonian: North American Mammals

<http://www.mnh.si.edu/mna/main.cfm>

Just Go to the Shelf

J-Nonfiction call numbers:

590 Introduction to Animals
591 Animals and habitat
595 insects, bugs, spiders, etc.
597 reptiles and fish
598 birds
599 mammals
636.1 horses
636-639 pets

J-Reference shelf: these books do not check out but are always available to use.

595.7-599 *World of Animals* (50 volumes)

599.03 E56 *Encyclopedia of Mammals*

Helpful Hints

What does Juvenile (J) mean?

Juvenile is another name for kid or child. Books with a "J" at the beginning of the call number are written for children.

What's a database?

Quality, published information in an electronic format that is bought by the library for you to use online at home, school or the library.

