

Animal Teeth Worksheet

There are many different teeth for doing different jobs. The sharp incisors, bite and cut up food. The flat back teeth, grind food before it is swallowed. There are also pointed teeth near the front of your mouth that grip and pierce food. These are called canines. Animals such as lions have large canines to catch and kill prey.

1. Why does the rabbit have large incisors?

2. Why doesn't the rabbit have canines?

3. How can you tell that the cat catches and eats other animals?

4. Why does the cat have such small incisors?

Look at your teeth in a mirror. Name the type of teeth you can see. Are you an omnivore, herbivore or carnivore?

