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Animals of the Night at Sanctuary One



This workbook is to be used with the YouTube video Behind the Scenes at Sanctuary One

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UfRstAq-7oc>



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After watching the video answer the following questions.

Circle the name of the animals that you saw in the video:

- Cougar
- Skunk
- Coyote
- Fox
- Bobcat
- Rabbit
- Deer
- Bat
- Opossum
- Pig

Draw two of the animals you saw below.



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Interesting Fact: Foxes like to poop on top of tall things like picnic tables, rocks, and wooden fences. They do this to help spread their scent to mark their territory. Next time you're at Sanctuary One see if you can find some fox feces.

Use the space below to describe two things you noticed in the video:

1)

2)

Did you notice that the animals filmed at night had glowing eyes? In the space below describe why you think their eyes glow?



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The eye is made up of several different layers. The glowing that you see in the video is from a reflective layer in the back of the eye giving the eye the ability to absorb more light.

How could having the ability to absorb more light be useful?

Do you think humans have this reflective layer in our eyes? Why or why not?



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Animals that are active at night are called **nocturnal**. Animals that are active during the day are **diurnal**.

Are the animals in the video diurnal or nocturnal?

What about humans are we diurnal or nocturnal?

Do a fun activity! Turn off all the lights. Time how long it takes for your eyes to adjust to the dark.

Now try it with a parent or sibling how long does it take their eyes to adjust to the dark?

Thank you for participating in Sanctuary One education. To keep the fun going look out your window and imagine what nocturnal animals might be right outside waiting for night to come.