

Creative Awards Activities for Schools Lower KS2

Science

Animal Adaptations

Activity: Compare human body parts (like hands and feet) to those of animals (paws, hooves, wings).

Discuss how they are suited to their environments (this could be written or drawn).

LO: Understanding of evolution, adaptation, and function in living things.

Skeleton Comparisons

Activity: Draw diagrams of human and animal skeletons to identify similarities and differences.

LO: Reinforces learning about bones, muscles, and support structures.

Literacy

Shared Stories

Activity: Write a short story or poem imagining a day as a specific animal.

LO: Encourages creative writing, empathy, and understanding of animal behaviour.

Fact Files

Activity: Create a fact file comparing an animal with a human (eg. diet, habitat, daily activities).

LO: Develops research and reporting skills.

Art and Design

Morphing Art

Activity: Create a drawing, collage or mosaic blending human features with an animal.

LO: Encourages creativity and exploring shared traits like hair, eyes, or posture.

Habitat Diorama

Activity: Build a miniature habitat showing how humans and animals share environments and have similar needs.

LO: Hands-on learning about ecosystems and conservation.





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Animal Emotions

Activity: Discuss and draw parallels between how humans and animals express emotions like fear, happiness, or curiosity. Create a poster showing these paired emotions.

LO: Promotes emotional literacy and empathy.