

Camouflage and Mimicry		Grade 2: Growth and Changes in Animals	
Curriculum Connections	Topic	Life Systems	
	Fundamental Concepts	Structure and Function	
Description Students will gain an understanding of how animals use camouflage and mimicry as adaptations in their habitat.			
Big Ideas Animals have distinct characteristics	Overall Expectations 2. investigate similarities and differences in the characteristics of various animals 3. demonstrate an understanding that animals grow and change and have distinct characteristic		
Specific Expectations 2.5 investigate the ways in which a variety of animals adapt to their environment and/or to changes in their environment 3.2 describe an adaptation as a characteristic body part, shape, or behaviour that helps a plant or animal survive in its environment			