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REPTILES
What is a reptile?

Turtles and snakes and lizards and crocodiles are reptiles.

Reptiles hatch eggs on land.

Reptiles have scaly skin.

Reptiles need warmth to live.
Reptiles are cold blooded.

A reptile's body changes temperature if it is cold or hot outside. Reptiles like when it is hot outside.

Reptiles lay in the sun to stay warm.

Reptiles move slow when they are cold.
Reptile Senses

Reptiles see and smell and hear.

Some reptiles smell with their tongue.

Iguanas can see great.

Snakes use body heat of other animals to see at night.

Snakes don't have ears.

Snakes feel the ground vibrate to hear.
Reptile Dating

Male reptiles need to find a female reptile so she can make an egg.

Reptiles change their body to find a female reptile.

Some male reptiles show colors on their body.

Some male reptiles fight each other.

Some male reptiles make their neck big.
Many lizards and snakes live in trees.

Some lizards have claws to hold the tree.

Some lizards have sticky feet to hold the tree.

Some snakes have bumps on their belly to hold the tree.

Some tree snakes and lizards twist their long tail around tree branches.
Other animals try to eat reptiles. Reptiles must stay alive.

Some reptiles change color to hide.

Some reptiles make scary noises.

Some reptiles smell stinky.

Some reptiles change their body.

Some snakes play dead so other animals will not eat them.
Reptiles hide from other animals who want to eat them.

Chameleons change colors.

Lizards change colors to look like the ground.

Geckos change to look like a leaf.
Reptiles on the ground.

Most reptiles move on 4 legs.

Snakes have no legs and move by wiggling their bodies to move.

Lizards have strong back legs to move through the sand.

Turtles move slowly and have strong legs to carry their shell.
Snakes Squeeze and Eat

All snakes eat meat.

Many snakes kill by biting with their poisonous fangs.

Some snakes squeeze other animals before eating them.

A snake's mouth is big and can open to eat big animals.
The end.