

WHO AM I?

For this activity, you are going to think of an animal that has inherited traits and has learned behaviors. Write down three traits that your animal inherited and three behaviors your animal learned. Try to avoid vague answers like “my animal has four legs” or “my animal has eyes”. See if you can stump everyone else!

Remember...

Inherited = something they were born with

Learned Behavior = something they learned during their life

Example:

I have sharp teeth to tear apart my prey. (inherited)

I have strong hind legs that help me run fast. (inherited)

I have brown and tan spotted fur so I can blend in while I hunt my prey. (inherited)

I stay perfectly still and silent so that my prey doesn't know I'm there. (learned)

I look for the weakest animal in the pack to target when I hunt. (learned)

I mostly hunt in the early morning or evenings. (learned)

WHO AM I?..... I'm a Cheetah!

Inherited Trait #1:

Inherited Trait #2:

Inherited Trait #3:

Learned Behavior #1:

Learned Behavior #2:

Learned Behavior #3:

WHO AM I?..... I'M A _____!