

You just took field notes on specimens, just like scientists do!

Scientists use their observations to draw conclusions about a creature. With just specimens, a scientist can figure out where a creature lives, what it eats, and even what it looks like.

Using your notes and specimens to help you, **take a moment to answer the following questions about your creature.** You may write down your answers on a separate sheet of paper if that is helpful. You may also draw a sketch of your creature as you come up with new ideas.

Remember, there are no wrong answers. This is a fantasy creature that has never existed before, so any of your ideas can work!

How big is this Fantasy Creature?

What kinds of limbs does this creature have? Arms and legs? A fin? Wings? How many of these limbs does it have?

What does this fantasy creature eat?

What type of environment/habitat does it live in?

Does your creature build its shelter? What kind of shelter does it build?

Does this creature live alone (like a bear does), or travel in a pack (like wolves do)?

*Describe any other interesting features of your creature. Does it have thumbs? Does it love to swim? Be as creative as you want! If you get stuck, **use your specimens to guide you.***

Give your creature a name!