Animal Tails

Activity Sheet



The **tail** is the section at the rear end of certain kinds of animals. For an animal, a tail is a very important tool. Different animals use their tails in different ways. Some of the uses for tails are: keeping warm and dry, moving themselves around and keeping their balance, defense against predators, communicating with other animals, and brushing away biting insects. Draw a line from the animal on the left to its matching tail. Then, think of a way each of these animals might use their tail and write it down on the line next to the animal.

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