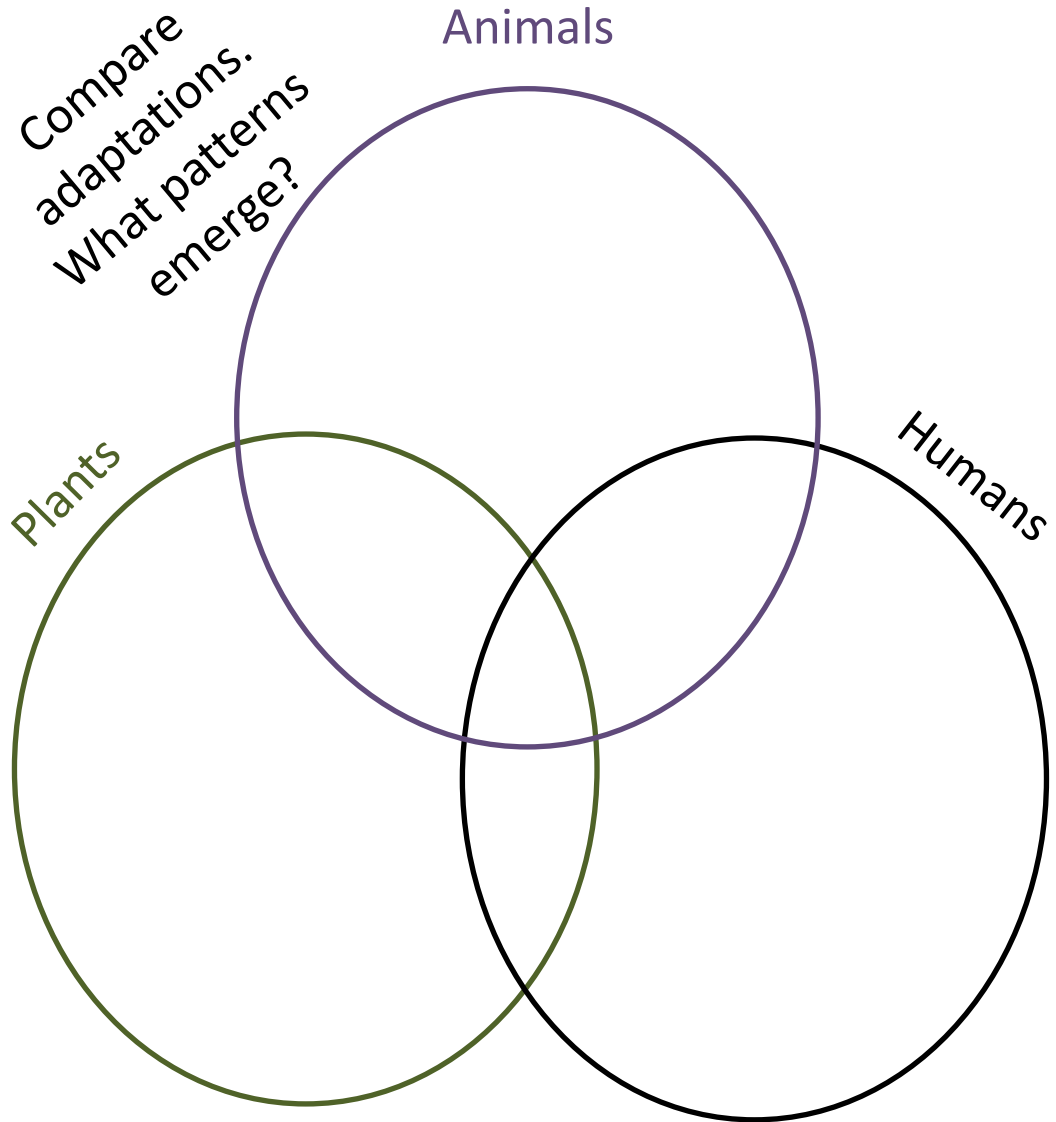


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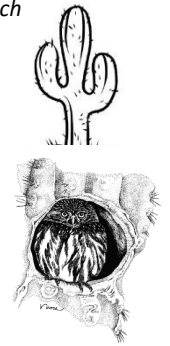


ADAPTATIONS are features or behaviors that help a plant or animal survive in its environment.

Match the *adaptations* to the picture!
Adaptations might have more than 1 match



- Flying
- Burrowing
- Scales
- Spines



Adapt: to fit, adjust, modify

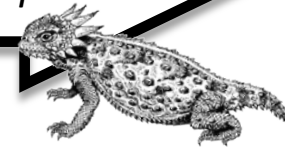
Explore **adaptations** at the Desert Museum!
Hint: You can ask a docent for help!

Get outside! Send us a pic showing how we're all connected.
Email or scan to: education@desertmuseum.org

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I Spy: Plants!

Describe 2 features that help desert plants catch and store water.

1.



2.



I Spy: Mountains!

Bigger animals like mountain lions and bears are more common in mountain woodlands than in low deserts. Why?



I Spy: Water!

Fish move efficiently through water. List two *adaptations* that help them swim.

1.

2.



Find A Saguaro Draw it!

Do saguaros help animals survive?

Yes No

What's your evidence?

I Spy: Habitats!

The Sonoran Desert region has many types of environments. How many can you name? (Hint: look at the exhibit areas on the Museum map)



I Spy: Animals!

Desert animals have *adaptations* that help them survive in hot environments, like burrowing to avoid the sun.

A) Find an animal to observe.

B) What is it? _____

C) What *adaptations* does it have to stay cool?

