Teaching Tier 3 Words: Content Vocabulary

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1 Provide an image

Images help ELs access the vocabulary word.



Target word: herbivore

2 Describe features

Characteristics, actions, & features help ELs form a definition.



Herbivores only eat plants.

3 Offer a non-example

Non-examples provide another way to think about the target word.



Tigers aren't herbivores because they only eat meat.

4 Use various contexts

Provide another context to learn the vocabulary word.



Identify other farm animals that are herbivores.

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