

Understanding Animals and Their Young Ones

Chapter 2: Animals and Their Young Ones · Topic 1

Key Concept

A baby cow is called a calf. A baby dog is called a puppy. A baby cat is called a kitten. These names help us describe baby animals more precisely.

A baby hen is called a chick. A baby goat is called a kid. A baby horse is called a foal. Each animal family has its own special name for babies.

Mother animals take good care of their young ones, just like our parents take care of us - feeding them, protecting them, and teaching them how to survive.

Learning the names of animal babies helps us talk about animals more clearly and understand how animal families are similar to human families in caring for their young.

Quick Revision Notes

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- A baby dog is a puppy.
- A baby cat is a kitten.
- A baby hen is a chick.
- A baby goat is a kid.
- A baby horse is a foal.
- Mother animals take care of their young ones.
- Animal families care for babies similar to how human families do.

Practice Questions

- 1 Match five animals with their young ones.
- 2 Draw a mother animal with its baby.
- 3 Name one animal baby you have seen in real life.
- 4 Why do mother animals take care of their babies?
- 5 Compare how a mother cat cares for kittens and how your parents care for you.
- 6 Make a small chart of five animals and their babies.