

Defining Adaptations

Name: _____

Period: _____



Follow along with the photos and video clips in the slideshow. Use your observations to fill in the boxes and sentence frames below.

What do you see in the first slideshow picture that helps these organisms to survive?

The _____ helps the _____ to survive because...

I see a(n) _____. This organism has _____ that helps it to survive by...

The characteristics of the _____, such as _____, help it to survive because...

Essential question: How do adaptations help organisms to survive?	
Questions	Notes
What is an adaptation?	
Choose 2 plant adaptations from the video. Describe how they help that plant to survive	1. _____ helps _____ to survive because _____ _____ 2. _____ helps _____ to survive because _____ _____
[on your own] What are at least 2 adaptations of the venus flytrap? How do they help it to survive?	1. _____ _____ 2. _____ _____
[as a group] Which adaptation is most important to the survival of the venus flytrap and why?	The _____ is the most important adaptation of the venus flytrap because _____ _____
[on your own] What are at least 2 adaptations of the Indian Red Scorpion? How do they help it to survive?	1. _____ _____ 2. _____ _____
[as a group] Which adaptation is most important to the survival of the Indian Red Scorpion and why?	The _____ is the most important adaptation of the Indian Red Scorpion because _____ _____

Summary: An adaptation can be described as _____

Adaptations are important because _____
