

# Super English

Level 4 - Unit 3 Habitats - Lesson 1





# Vocabulary







habitat: the place where plants and animals live (noun)





An alligator's habitat is usually in a river, swamp, or wetland.



adaptation: a change to a plant or animal that helps it live easier in its habitat (noun)





The giraffe's long neck is an adaptation that helps it eat leaves from trees.



send: to make something go to a different place (verb)





He used his phone to send a message to his friend.



store: to keep things somewhere so that you can use them in the future (verb)





They store many boxes full of things in the garage.

# Let's Read!











One day in the hot, sandy desert, some animals gathered to chat. Each animal was telling why they love the desert. The desert is a very hot and dry <u>habitat</u>, but their <u>adaptations</u> let them live here.







The rattlesnake slithered up and said, "Hey everyone, did you know that I can stay cool in the hot desert because of my scales? And I love to eat the mice and birds that live here."







Then the desert hare hopped over and said, "I don't need much water to live, and my big ears <u>send</u> out heat to keep me cool. My favorite food is desert grass and cactus pads."







Next, the camel ambled in and said, "And I can <u>store</u> fat in my hump so I can go for days without eating and drinking. I love to munch on the prickly pear cactus and many green desert plants."







The scorpion finished listening to the other animals and said,
"And I can hide under rocks or dig holes to get out of the hot sun.
I love to dine on insects and spiders at night."







The desert is too hot and dry for people and most animals to live in. But some plants and animals have adaptations that make the desert the perfect place to live.

# Let's do Grammar!

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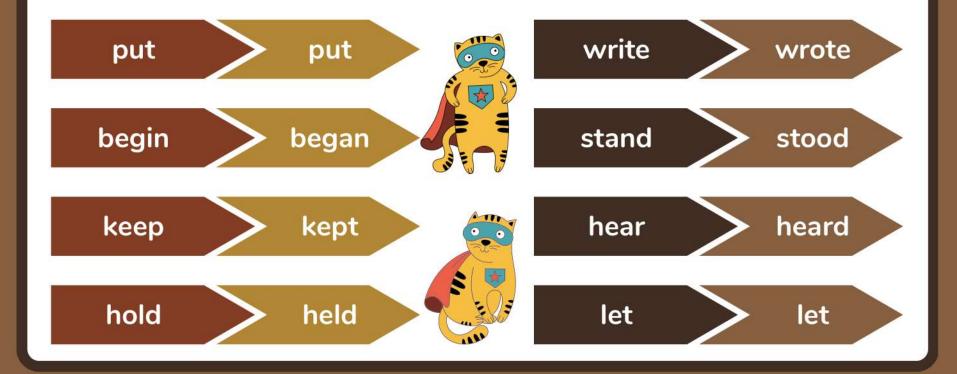
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#### Simple Past Tense Verbs

Let's learn some more irregular past tense verbs!



# Phonics





#### Phonics

All words have syllables. Learning how to count syllables will help you say new words. Saying a word slowly or clapping helps you count the syllables.

Dog has just one syllable.





Happy has two syllables.





Basketball has three syllables.











## Clap and Count!

#### Let's practice counting!

1 syllable

cart bank desk flame grade jump 2 syllables

into
sailboat
without
undo
funny
candle

3 syllables

afternoon
anyway
butterfly
December
eleven
important



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See You Next time!

