**St Mary’s Catholic Primary School**

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| **Subject: Science** | **Year Group: 1 Term: Advent 1** | **Title: Penguins, Possums and Pigs** |

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| **What should I know?*** The features of living things and how they grow and change
* How to care for and show concern for living things
* How living things can have similarities and differences
* That patterns can be found when studying living things
 | **Facts I will learn…*** The different species of animals
* Whether animals are carnivores, herbivores or omnivores
* The features and structure of common animals
* Similarities and differences between common animals
 | **Key Questions…*** How do we know they are animals?
* What makes an animal an animal? What features does it have?
* What things are similar between two different animals
* All animals are the same. True or False?
* How do animals move?
* What if animals couldn’t move around?

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| **Key Skills…*** Identifying animals and their features
* Grouping and classifying animals according to their features, habitats and eating habits
* Comparing and contrasting at first hand or via photos
* Labelling pictures correctly.

 | **Experiences that school will provide:*** Observations of animals through real life and video.
 | **Key Vocabulary and Definition:** |
| **Web Links**<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects> (Animal area)<https://www.everyschool.co.uk/science-key-stage-1-animals.html>  |