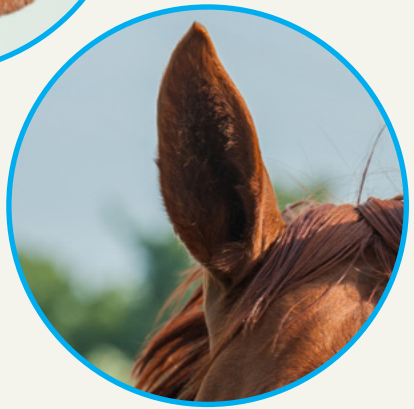


Exploring with Books

Whose Ears?





Animals have ears just like you.

Ears help animals hear,

but they also help them do

other things.



An elephant's ears are **huge**.

Their big ears **shade** them from the sun.

The bigger their ears,
the cooler they are.



Jackrabbit ears are long.

Their long ears let out heat.

The longer their ears,

the cooler they are.



Fox ears are short.

Their ears hold in heat.

The shorter their ears,
the warmer they are.



Horse ears are **cupped**.

Their ears move to find any noise.

The more cupped their ears,
the more sounds they can hear.



Basset Hound ears are floppy.

Their ears wave smells to their noses.

The floppier their ears,

the more Basset Hounds can smell.

Word List:

Basset Hound: a kind of dog (p. 6)

cupped: in the shape of a cup (p. 5)

huge: very big (p. 2)

jackrabbit: a medium-sized furry animal (p. 3)

shade: to cover from light or heat (p. 2)

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