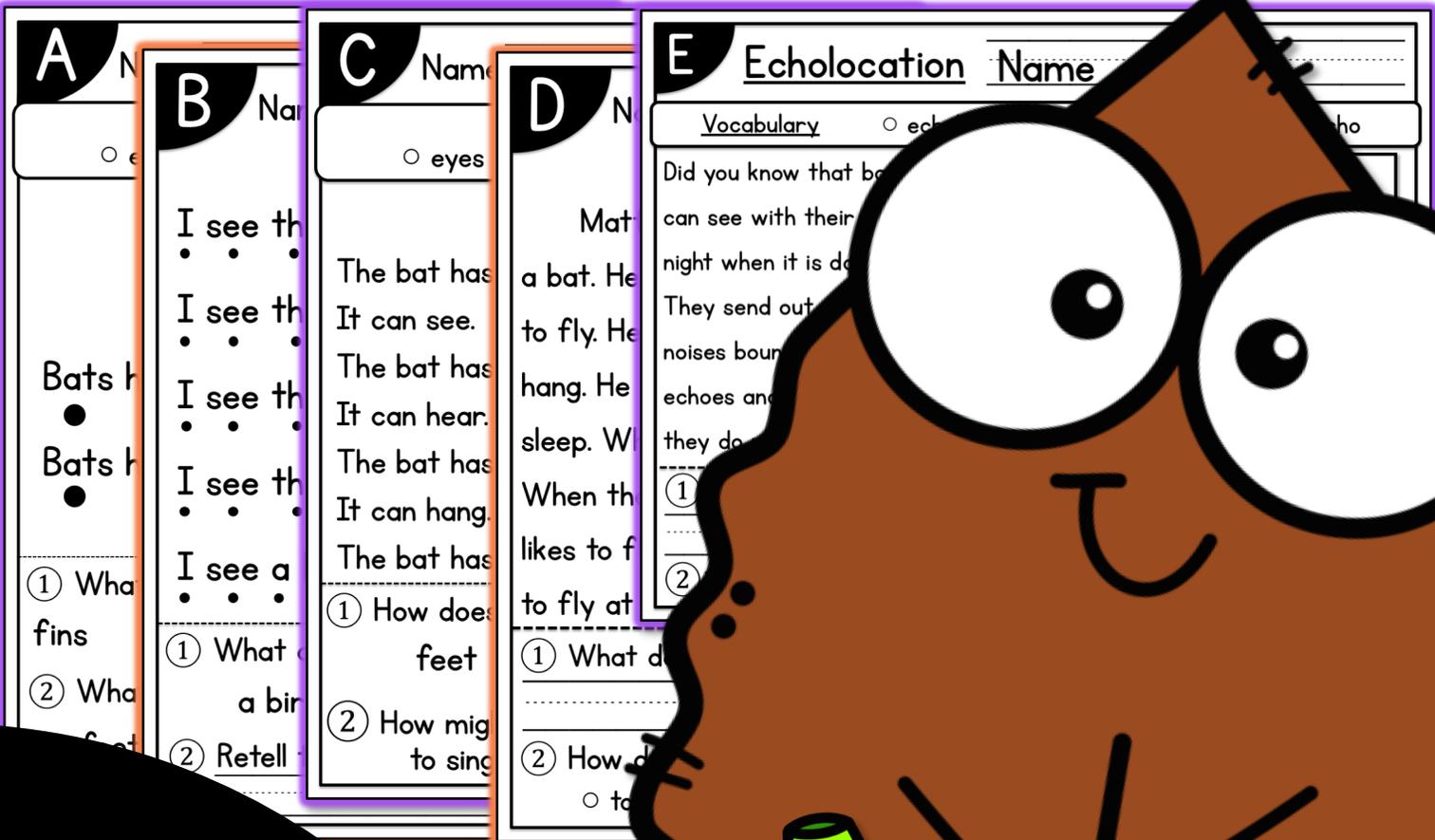


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The collage shows five overlapping reading cards. Card A is partially visible on the left. Card B is titled 'Bats' and contains the text 'I see th...' and 'Bats h...'. Card C is titled 'C' and contains the text 'The bat has... It can see... The bat has... It can hear... The bat has... It can hang... The bat has...'. Card D is titled 'D' and contains the text 'Mat... a bat. He... to fly. He... hang. He... sleep. W... When th... likes to f... to fly at...'. Card E is titled 'E Echolocation' and contains the text 'Did you know that ba... can see with their... night when it is do... They send out... noises boun... echoes and... they do...'. Each card has a 'Name' field and a 'Vocabulary' field. A large, friendly cartoon bat character with large white eyes and a brown body is positioned on the right side of the collage. In front of the bat's feet is a carved jack-o'-lantern with a green stem and a smiling face.

Levels
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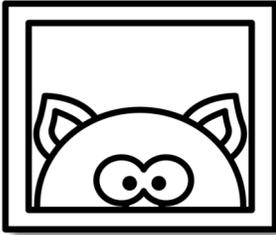
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Pumpkins	1 fiction 1 nonfiction	A-E
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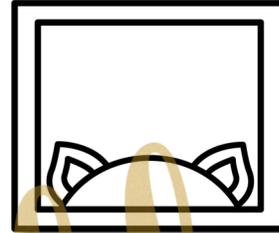
A

Name _____

Bat Can



Bat can see.



Bat can hear.



Bat can hang.



Bat can fly.



① What can Bat do?

swim

fly

run

② What else can Bat do?

hang

jump

flip

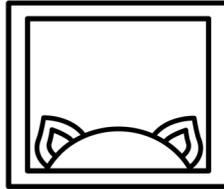
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Name _____

Bats

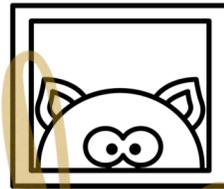
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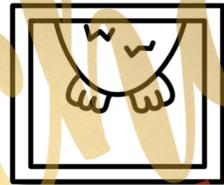
I see the eyes.

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I see the feet.

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I see the wings.

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I see a bat!

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① What does he see?

a bird

a bat

a bug

② Retell the story. Who did you tell?

C

Name _____

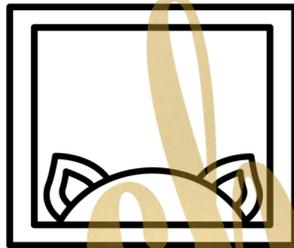
Bat Likes

I see the bat.



It can hang.

I see the bat.



It can hear.

I see the bat.



It can fly.

I see the bat.



It sees me!



① What does she see?

the bat fly the bat cry

② How does she feel?

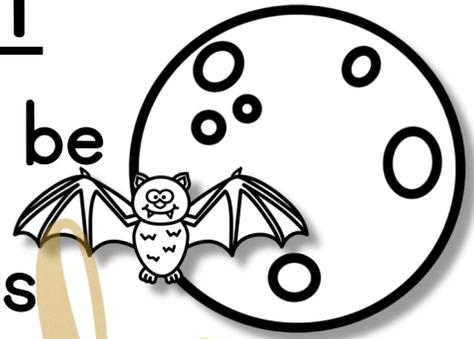
sad mad surprised

D

Name _____

Matt the Bat

Matt is a bat. He likes to be a bat. He likes to use his wings to fly. He likes to use his feet to hang. He likes to hang on a branch to sleep. When the sun is up, he likes to sleep. When the moon is up, he likes to fly. Matt likes to fly with his bat friends. They like to fly at night, too.



① What does Matt do at night?

② How does Matt use his feet?

to run

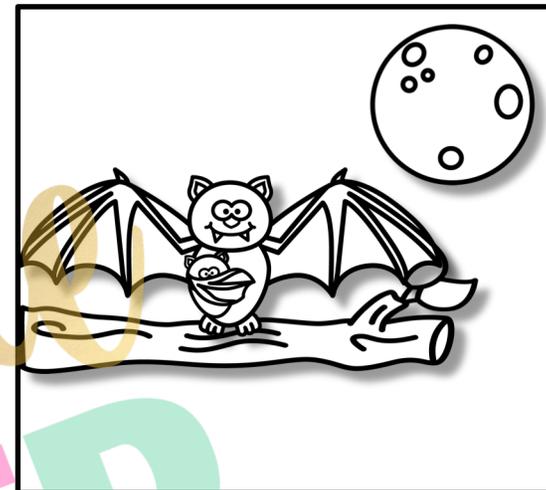
to fly

to hang

Night Flying

Name _____

It was Ben Bat's first night to fly by himself. "Mom, I am scared," Ben said. "Why are you scared?" she asked. "It is dark. What if I fly into a wall?" Ben said. His mom laughed.



"That would be scary. You do not have to worry, Ben," she told him. "Why not?" Ben asked. "Bats are special. Just make a sound, and listen for it to come back. Then you will not hit anything," she said. Ben tried it. "Wow, I can see!" he said.



① Why was Ben scared to fly?

② Who helped Ben? his mom his dad

A

Name _____

Vocabulary

eyes ears feet wings

Bats Have



Bats have eyes. Bats have ears.



Bats have feet. Bats have wings.



① What do bats have?

fins

wings

tails

② What else do bats have?

feet

horns

flippers

B

Name _____

Vocabulary

hear see hang fly

The Bat

The bat can hear.

The bat can see.

The bat can hang.

The bat can fly.

This is a bat.



① What can a bat do?

swim

fly

run

② Retell the story. Who did you tell?

C

Name _____

Vocabulary

eyes ears feet wings

The Bat

The bat has eyes.

It can see.

The bat has ears.

It can hear.

The bat has feet.

It can hang.

The bat has wings. It can fly!



① How does the bat hang?

feet

wings

ears

② How might the bat use its mouth?

to sing

to frown

to eat

D

Name _____

Vocabulary

eyes ears feet wings mouths

Bats



Bats are animals. They have body parts. Bats have eyes. They use them to see. Bats have ears. They use them to hear. Bats have feet. They use them to hang from branches. Bats have mouths. They use them to make sounds. They also use them to eat. Bats have wings. They use them to fly.



① What do bats use their feet for?

② How do bats use their mouths?

to catch food to make sounds both

E

Echolocation Name _____

Vocabulary

echolocation bat object echo

Did you know that bats fly at night? They can see with their eyes during the day. At night when it is dark, they use echolocation.



They send out noises with their mouths. The noises bounce off of objects. Echoes come back. The bats hear the echoes and can tell where the objects are. They can make sure that they do not fly into them. That is how bats fly at night.



① Why do bats use echolocation?

② When do bats fly? during the day at night