

Instructions – Habitat Matching Worksheet

Age Range: 3–4 years

Learning Focus: Classification • Visual Reasoning • Early Science

✂ How to Use – Cut and Match

- Print the worksheet on sturdy paper or cardstock for best results.
- Cut out the animal images and habitat images into separate cards.
- Invite your child to **match each animal to the environment** where it naturally lives by placing or gluing the pieces together.

Tip: For long-term use, laminate the pieces and use Velcro dots for repeated matching practice.

 Montessori Tip

Present the activity in a calm, uncluttered space. Offer a simple demonstration, then allow your child to work independently. Encourage self-correction and natural discovery.

 Optional Prompts for Conversation

- “Where do you think this animal lives?”
- “What’s cold? What’s warm?”
- “Why do penguins need snow, but lions don’t?”