

THINK LIKE A DISCIPLINARIAN



Biologist



Studies living things, animals and plants



Life cycles (What stages does a living thing go through from birth to death?)



Habitats (Where does an animal live? Does it live more than one place?)



Homes and Food (What kind of home does an animal live in? What does it eat?)



Patterns of behavior (Are there behaviors that repeat? How often?)



Interaction with Humans

Have humans had any influence on the animals or caused change for them?



Have humans had any influence on the habitat of the animals (where they live) or changed their habitat?



Have humans come in contact with the animals in a way that wouldn't normally happen?



Compare and Contrast with other animals? Are these animals like any other animals? (compare)
Are these animals different from other animals? (contrast)
(Use a double-bubble thinking map)



What special language would a biologist use?



What else would be of interest to a biologist?



How would a biologist's job be affected by fact and opinion?