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Fashion in Disguise

An activity of "Tee and Boba"

Read "Tee and Boba (page 28, *What's Up* April 2026). In the comic, Tee and Boba explore a forest and discover some camouflaged animals. In this activity, you will study one camouflaged creature and use it as inspiration for a fashion design. Work in pairs.

1. Watch this video to learn about how some animals camouflage in their surroundings.

Animal Camouflage | Learn How Animals Can Blend In With Their Environments

➤ <https://youtu.be/F-vRzYreZXY?si=wBUn75dUHIUZhScl> (Learn Bright, 19 Nov 2021)

1a) What were the four types of camouflaging techniques mentioned in the video?

Camouflaging Technique	How it works
i.	Helps animals blend into the background e.g. a white fox blending in the snow.
ii.	Breaks up the outline of the animal making them difficult to see e.g. a herd of zebras in a grassland confuses a lion.
iii.	When an animal appears to be something unimportant in the environment e.g. a stick insect looking like a twig.
iv.	When an animal resembles another type of creature in order to gain an advantage e.g. a harmless snake looking like a venomous one.

2. Watch this video with your partner. See who can spot each camouflaged animals first!

Amazing Animal Camouflage Compilation

➤ <https://youtu.be/bRvWGRQHsOE?si=jUkHTa9fxFTmVt3c>

(Green Mumbles, 3 May 2016)

2a) Imagine you are a fashion designer. Pick a camouflaged animal. Create a fashion outfit inspired by your camouflaged animal and its habitat. Your design can be for an explorer, a superhero, performer, secret agent, fantasy character or yourself!

Your design must include:

- A full outfit sketch
- A title for the outfit
- Colours inspired by the animal & its habitat
- Patterns/textures borrowed from nature

Some ideas you may want to consider: a layered cape of dried leaves, bark-like jacket textures, mossy green boots, twig-inspired shoulder shapes, speckled fabric like leaf shadows, hidden flaps or folds, camouflage hood or mask, gecko-inspired gloves, and so on! Have fun!

Title:

Full outfit sketch

Three words to describe my design:

Design explanation:

Colours inspired by animal/ habitat

Patterns/ textures/ shapes from nature

Design features:

fashion

3. Write a brief paragraph explaining your design. You should include: the animal that inspired you, its habitat, your choice of colours and textures, how your outfit will camouflage its wearer for survival.