

Oviparous Animals

Oviparous animals are animals that lay eggs. This is the reproductive method of most fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, insects and bugs.

Which of these animals are egg laying animals? There are 25 to find.

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zebra	eel	octopus	brown bear	python	earthworm
frog	stork	gorilla	platypus	antelope	ant
spider	anteater	polar bear	praying mantis	hippo	kangaroo
moose	butterfly	cat	fox	dolphin	lizard
rhinoceros	tapir	seahorse	ladybird	squirrel	tortoise
anaconda	meerkat	dinosaur	cheetah	bee	armadillo
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Answer sheet:

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Oviparous are animals that lay eggs with little or no other embryonic development within the mother. This is the reproductive method of most fish, amphibian, reptiles, all bird and the monotreme.

Viviparous are those who producing living young instead of eggs from within the body in the manner of nearly all mammals.

But as with lots of science, there is always an exception to the rule.

Ovoviviparous is a mode of reproduction in an animal in which the embryo that develops inside an egg remains in the mother's body until it is ready to hatch.

Most sharks, seahorses the anaconda and iguana are ovoviviparous animals.