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**Animal Adaptations Venn Diagram**

**Question:** How are two desert animals alike? How are they different?

**Directions:** Students will work together with a partner who had a different animal to compare and contrast the two different ways the animals adapt and survive in the harsh desert environment.



Kit Fox

Mammal

Has fur

Has big ears to help cool off

Lives in dens underground with other foxes

Sidewinder

Reptile

Venomous

Has scales

Buries under the sand to cool off

Lives alone (solitary)

Lives in the desert

Can live on the sand dunes

Nocturnal

Eats other animals (carnivore)