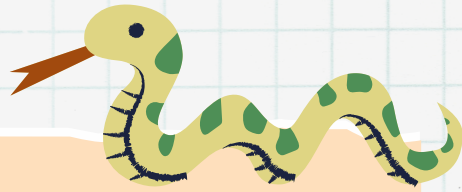
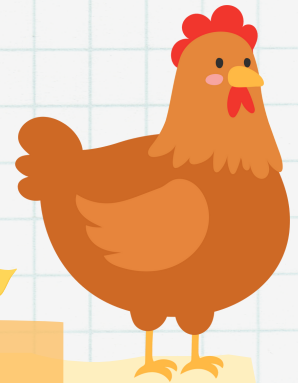




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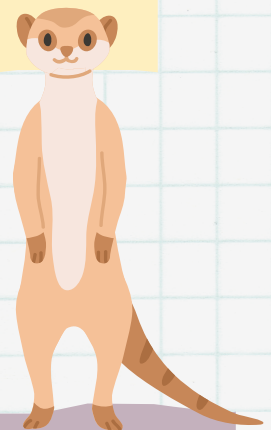
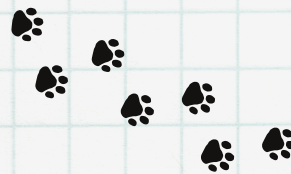
The snake, without legs, moves using its abdominal scales.



When chickens, birds that cannot fly high, jump onto platforms at different heights, they flap their wings to help them move.



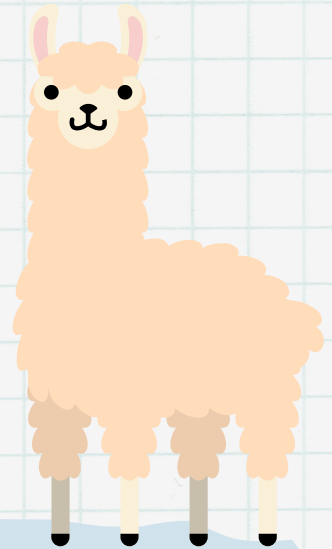
Parrots fly with their wings while keeping their body parallel to the ground which reduces air resistance.



The meerkat moves swiftly on its tiptoes. It uses its sharp claws for digging burrows and catching insects.



The Black-and-white ruffed lemur uses its long tail to maintain balance while moving through the trees.



The alpaca's feet have a thick layer of padding, so they walk almost silently.



Raccoons have strong hind legs for standing and their superbly grasping front legs for finding food.



The hooves of a pony have a hard, dark, stratum corneum that makes a 'clippity-clop' sound when they walk.

