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# Classification

**classify**

**to sort things  
into groups to show  
how they are alike**

How  
do we  
classify  
animals?

# Classification

Your starting point for classifying animals...

## vertebrate

an animal that has a spine, or backbone

How  
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## invertebrate

an animal that does not have a spine

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