Animals including humans

Key Vocabulary

organism_- an individual animal or plant. food chain - a series of organisms each dependent on the next as a source of food. producer_- an organism that can make its own food.

consumer – organisms which receive energy by consuming other organisms.

predators – an animal that naturally preys on others

prey – an animal that is hunted and killed by another for food

Links

In **Reception** we learnt about the natural world; we make observations and drew pictures of animals and plants. We also found similarities and differences between different animals, including humans.

In **Year I** we learnt that animals are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores. We also learnt about different body parts and our senses.

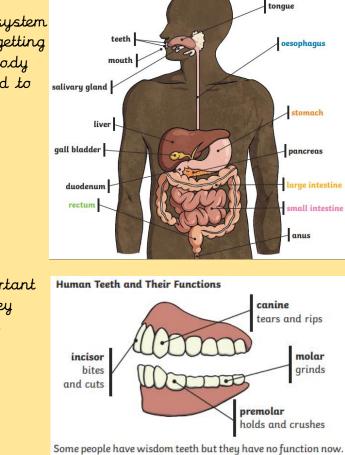
In Year 2 we learnt that all animals need food, water and air to survive.

In Year 3 we learnt that all animals need to find food as they cannot make their own. We also learnt that humans have skeletons and muscles.

Key Knowledge

The **digestive system** is a system of organs responsible for getting food into and out of the body and for making use of food to keep the body healthy.

Human teeth are very important in the digestive system. They break down our food as it enters the mouth.



The Digestive System



