



Task 1

Choose an animal that lives in the temperate climate zone.
Write about how they are adapted to their environment.

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Squirrels are adapted to survive in the temperate climate of Britain and live in the deciduous forest biome. Their long tail and sharp claws help them climb large trees and leap from branch to branch. They also have exceptionally flexible ankles. These adaptations mean they can climb head first down a tree. (Don't try it!)

They can store food ready for when the weather turns colder in late autumn and food will be in short supply. Their fur keeps them warm in winter and although they don't hibernate, they do sleep for long periods in winter to conserve energy.



Oak



Beech

Sycamore



Task 2

Learn to recognise the leaves of the major tree species that grow in our area. Ask your family if you can take some photos of trees to identify.