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<th><strong>Title:</strong> Animals: Can-Have-Are</th>
<th><strong>Grade:</strong> 1st Grade</th>
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<td><strong>Content:</strong> English Language Arts</td>
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**Standard:**
- **W.1.10:** Uses the rules of written English
- **RI.1.2:** Identify and retell key details of a text

**Objective:**
- The student will identify and recall details and characteristics of animals from nonfiction texts.
- Students will write sentences.

**Resources Needed:**
- Book about animals
- Examples:
  - NatGeoKids-Tigers
- Paper, pencil

**Introduction/Description:** In this activity, the child will identify and recall the details and characteristics of animals. The student will make or complete a graphic organizer to show learning and understanding.

**Steps:**
- Read or listen to the animal book
- Complete the organizer with facts from the book.
- Write 3 complete sentences using the facts or ideas from the organizer.
- Example: A turtle can dig with its back legs. A turtle is a reptile. Turtles have eyes on the top of their head.
- Draw a carefully detailed picture that goes with the sentences.

**Finished Product:** The student will have a completed organizer and at least three complete sentences with an illustration.

**Adaptations:**
- Challenge the child to write more sentences based on the facts from their organizer.
- Look for more information on the animal.
- Allow the child to complete the activity with an animal of choice.
- Assist with spelling as needed.