



E-BOOK



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Unit 1

Life Science

Animals



Hey, Joey!



New Words

Track 02

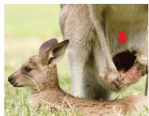
Listen and repeat the words.



joey



born



pouch



belly



climb



adult

Think & Say!



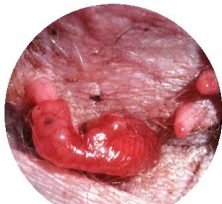
- What is special about kangaroos?
- How do different animals carry their babies?

Track 03

Hey, Joey!

A baby kangaroo is called a **joey**. When a joey is **born**, it is small. It is only 2.5 cm long. It needs help to grow.

A mother kangaroo has a **pouch**. The pouch is for its joey. The pouch is on the mother's **belly**. The joey **climbs** up to the pouch. Then it goes inside.



a joey in a pouch

Word Hunt

What is the pocket on a kangaroo's belly called? p _ _ _ _

Read & Say!

- What is a joey?
- What does the joey drink in the pouch?

In the pouch, the joey drinks the mother's milk. The milk helps it grow. It stays inside the pouch for two months. Then it goes in and out of the pouch.

After two years, the joey becomes an **adult**. It will have its own joeys. The joeys will grow in their mother's safe pouch!

You Know What?



A red kangaroo can jump seven meters at a time!

Word Study

Choose and write the correct words.

My Life as a Joey



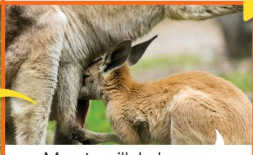
I'm a _____!



I stay inside Mom's _____.



I become an _____.



Mom's milk helps me _____!

Word Box

adult

grow

joey

pouch

Fill in the blanks to complete the sentences.

- 1 A squirrel _____ a tree.
(spins | climbs)
- 2 A woman touches her _____.
(belly | shoulder)
- 3 When a baby cow is _____, its mother cleans it.
(born | bored)
- 4 This _____ is the girl's dad.
(woman | adult)



Comprehension

Read and choose the correct answers.

- 1 How long is a joey when it is born?
a. 2.5 cm b. 10 cm c. 25 cm
- 2 Where does a joey's mother have a pouch?
a. on its back b. on its feet c. on its belly
- 3 Which is **not** correct about a joey?
a. It climbs up to its mother's pouch.
b. It drinks its mother's milk in the pouch.
c. It stays inside the pouch for a week.



WRITE IT! Complete the answer.

What happens to a joey after two years?

➔ It becomes _____ .

Sum It Up! Complete the chart.

A Joey

A joey is born very small. It climbs up to _____ and goes inside.

A Joey's Mother

The mother has a pouch _____. The pouch is for its joey.

A Joey in the Pouch

A joey drinks its mother's milk. It stays inside for _____ .

Becoming an Adult

A joey becomes an adult after two years. It will have its _____ .

All About a Joey



own joeys its mother's pouch two months on its belly