

# The animal world / introduction

1 **11.3.5** Which picture shows: *wild animals?* *mountains?* *birds?* *a river?* *the ocean?* *a lake?* *a forest?* *a desert?* *a waterfall?*  
🔊 Listen and check, then say.

2 a) **11.4.2** **11.4.3** **11.4.5** Fill in: *provide*, *cover*, *home*, *lack*, *shelter*, *areas*, *drop*, *insects*.

**A** They are one of nature's treasures. They are  
1) ..... with a lot of trees and  
2) ..... about 30% of the Earth's land surface. They provide food and 3) ..... to people and animals.

**B** They take up 70% of the Earth's surface. They are  
4) ..... to some of the most amazing creatures on Earth. They 5) ..... 50% of the Earth's oxygen.

**C** They occupy 1/5 of the Earth's land surface. It rarely rains there. Reptiles, 6) ....., birds and mammals live there. They are hot and there is a 7) ..... of water and plants. However, temperatures 8) ..... at night.

