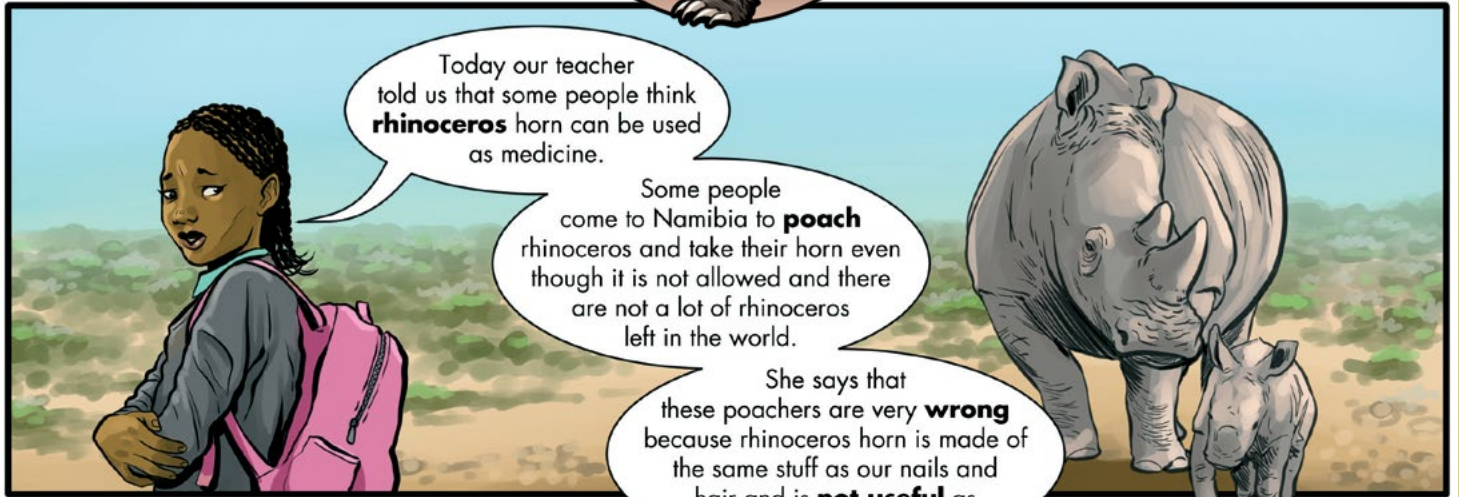


# Endangered Animals

## EPISODE 3



Learn about animals and plants in Namibia as you accompany **Ben**, the honey badger, on his adventures. These Family Activity Sheets are suitable for the whole family. Adult participation is recommended when enjoyed by younger children.



Today our teacher told us that some people think **rhinoceros** horn can be used as medicine.

Some people come to Namibia to **poach** rhinoceros and take their horn even though it is not allowed and there are not a lot of rhinoceros left in the world.

She says that these poachers are very **wrong** because rhinoceros horn is made of the same stuff as our nails and hair and is **not useful** as a medicine.

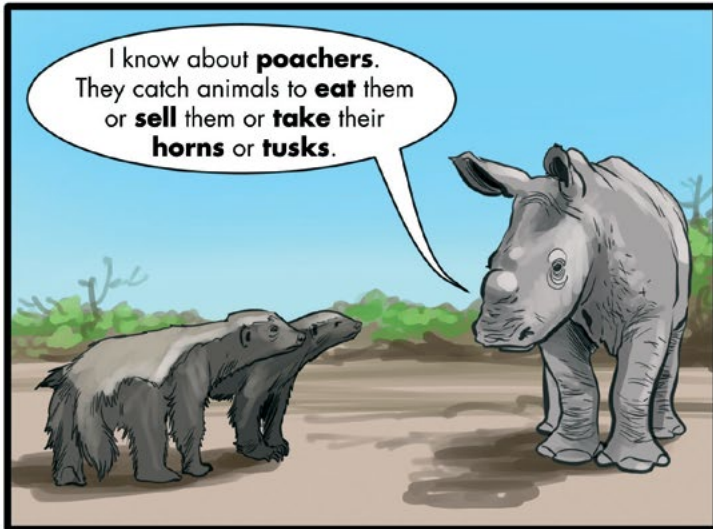


Ben and his new friend Rosie wanted to play with Baby Rhino.



My Mommy says that **poachers** are trying to take her horn.

They found Baby Rhino. He was not looking happy.



I know about **poachers**. They catch animals to **eat** them or **sell** them or **take** their **horns** or **tusks**.



What can we do to stop the **poachers**?

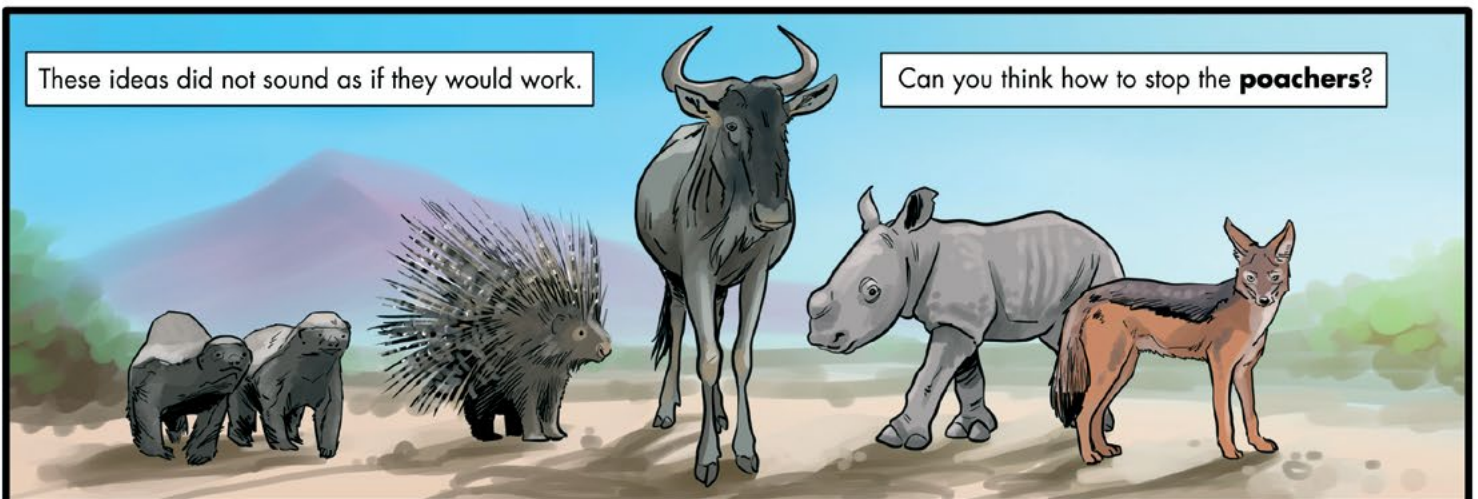
Let's ask our friends what they think.



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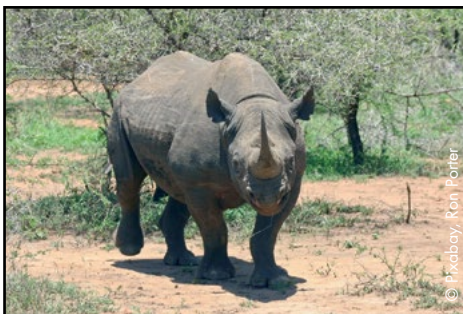


## What does "endangered" mean?

Endangered means that there are only a few of that kind of animal left.

For example, if there are no more adult Black rhinoceros then no baby Black rhinoceros can be born.

Not all wild animals are endangered. The honey badger has good survival skills and is not endangered.



**Black rhinoceros**



**White-backed vulture**

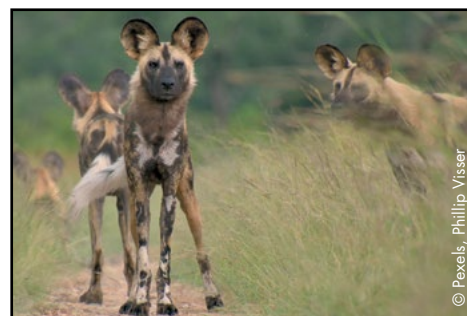
The Namibian animals in these pictures are all endangered.



**African elephant**



**Secretary bird**



**African wild dog**

## Find the animals

Ben, the honey badger, is having a stroll through the bush. Some of his endangered friends are hiding around the scene. Can you help Ben find:

**Elephant, Black rhinoceros, African wild dog, Secretary bird and White-backed vulture?**



## What can we do?

Most of our endangered animals are protected by game rangers in national parks or conservancies. Game rangers have to learn about the animals around them before they can protect them. Start developing the skills of a game ranger by finding out about the wild animals and creatures living in your neighbourhood.

Show us what you find out by drawing pictures of, or writing down, the names of the animals you see in your neighbourhood on this page.

Ask your teacher, or parents if you don't know the name of a creature. You can use names from any language you know.



Draw and write down the names of birds here.



Draw and write down the names of small and large mammals here.



Draw and write down the names of insects here.

Draw and write down the names of reptiles and amphibians here.



## Have your say

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