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| <b>Fact or Opinion: Animals</b> |
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| Fish breathe through gills.     |  |  |

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| Cows eat grass.            |  |  |

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