

# Animal Adaptation

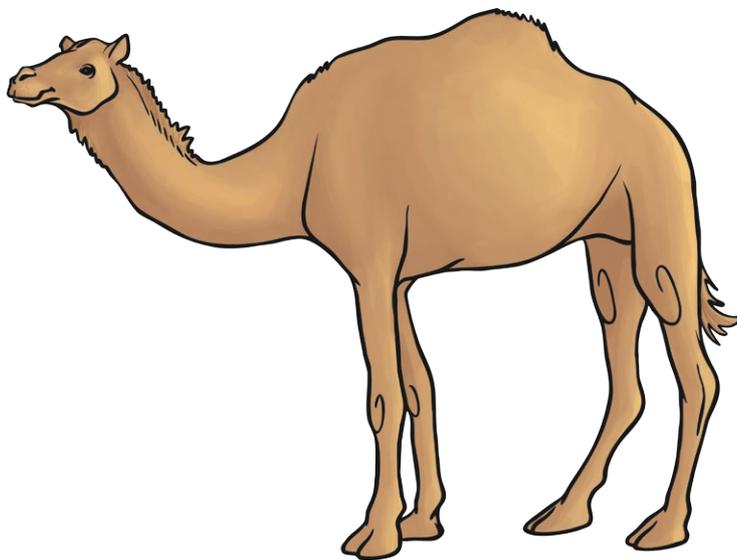
## How is a camel adapted for life in the desert?

Draw lines from each characteristic to the correct part of the camel's body.

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hump to store fat



flat feet to walk on sand

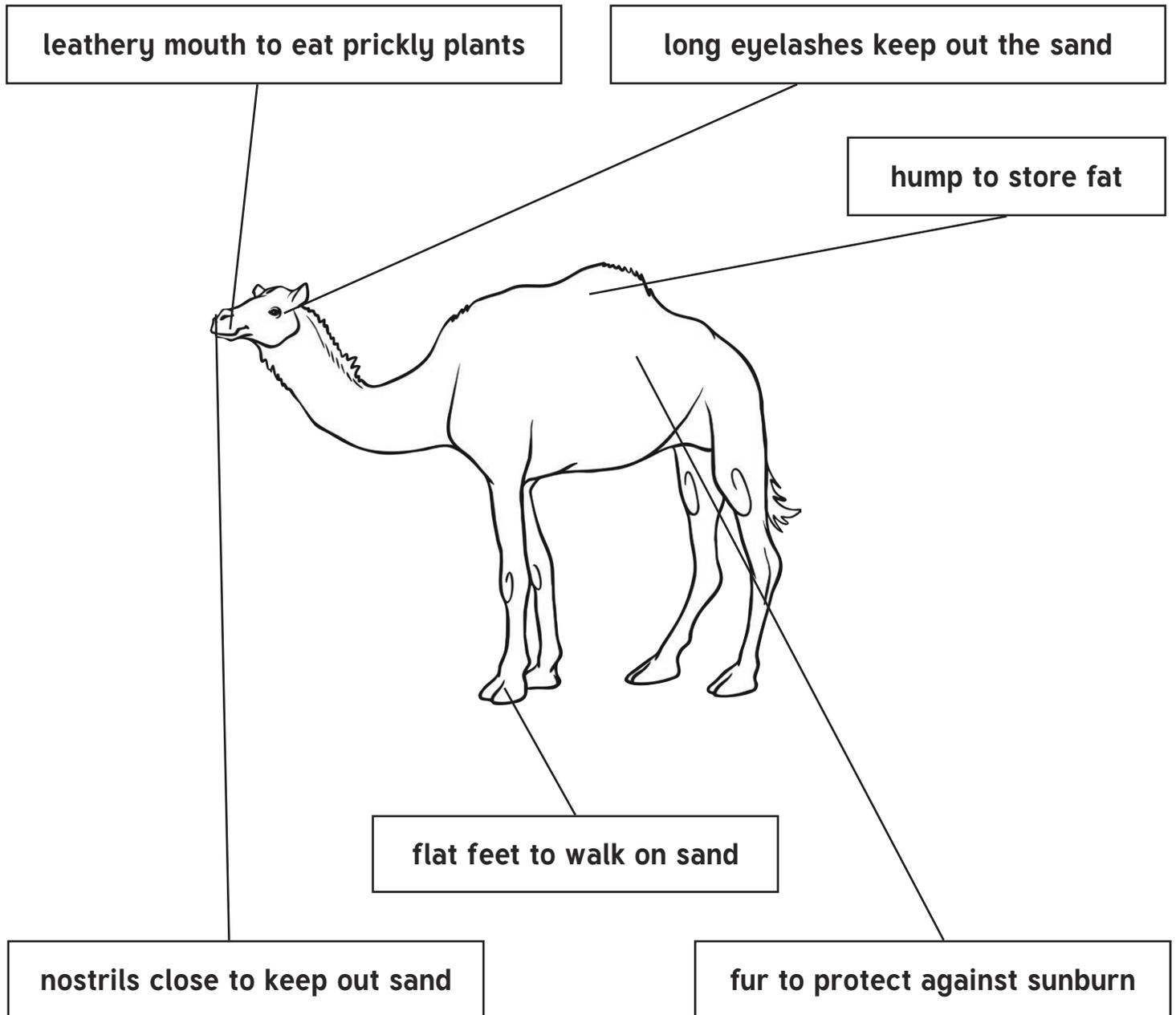
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### Extension:

Where does the Camel Live? Can you draw a background for the camel to show its natural environment?

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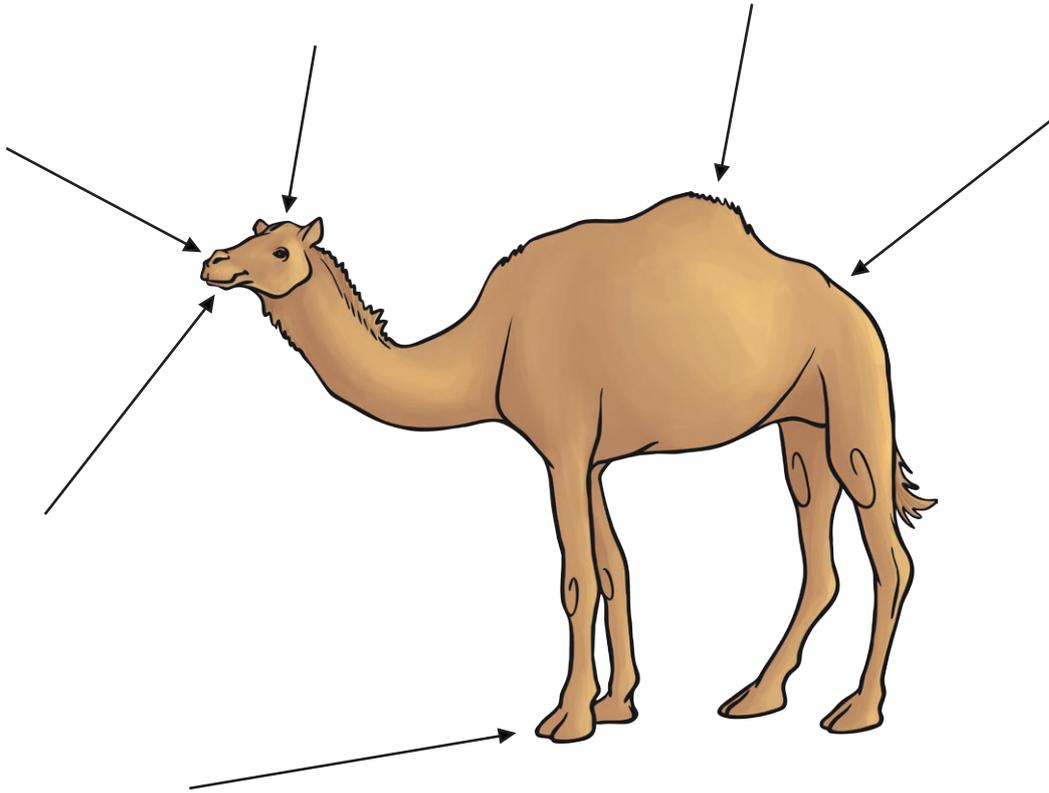
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Teacher assessment required.

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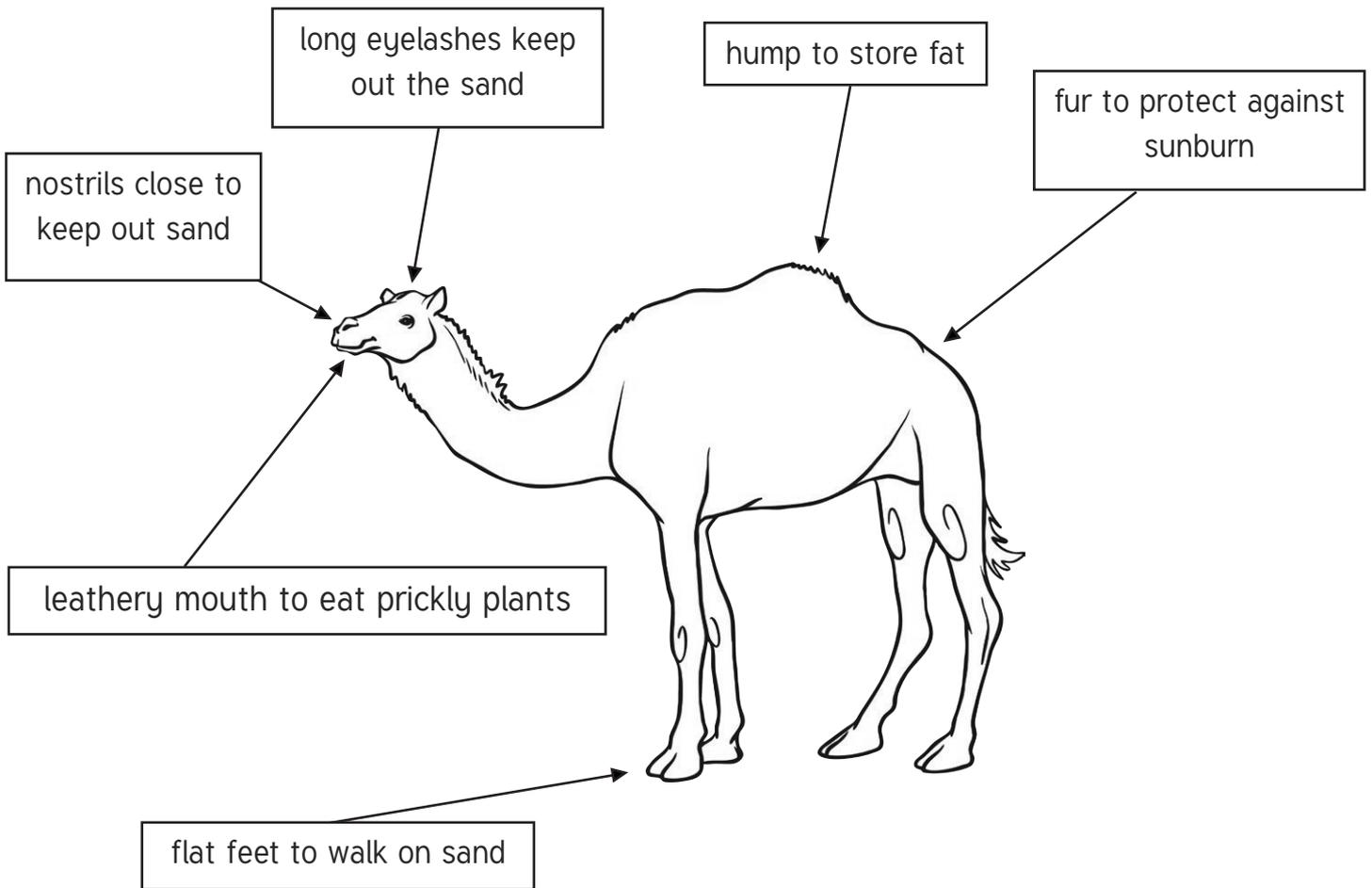
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Label the diagram of the camel with the correct characteristics that help it to survive in its environment.



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Draw a picture of a camel and label it with the characteristics that help it to survive in the desert. Don't forget to draw it in its natural environment.

### Answer the Following Questions:

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## **How do camels protect themselves from the blowing desert sand?**

They can close their nostrils to keep sand out and also have long eyelashes to prevent sand entering their eyes.

## **Why does a camel have a hump?**

A camel stores fat in its hump, which helps it to survive without food for a long time.

## **How do a camel's feet help it to walk in the desert?**

Camels have wide, padded feet, which prevent them slipping whilst walking on the sand.