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TICK THE TRUE FACTS



There are more beetles than any other type of animal.



Owls hoot at night to let cars know they are coming.



Fat hen, common mouse-ear and sneezewort are all names of wildflowers.



Young swifts can fly for three years without stopping.



If a lizard loses its tail, it grows back a new one.



A collection of trees is called a barking.

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Johnny was the name of the first talking sheep.



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It's always sunny in England.

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Rabbits use dewdrops to clean their fur.



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Cuckoos lay eggs in other birds' nests.



CAN YOU GUESS?

Here are some close-up pictures of things you would find outside. Write down what you think they are in the boxes below.



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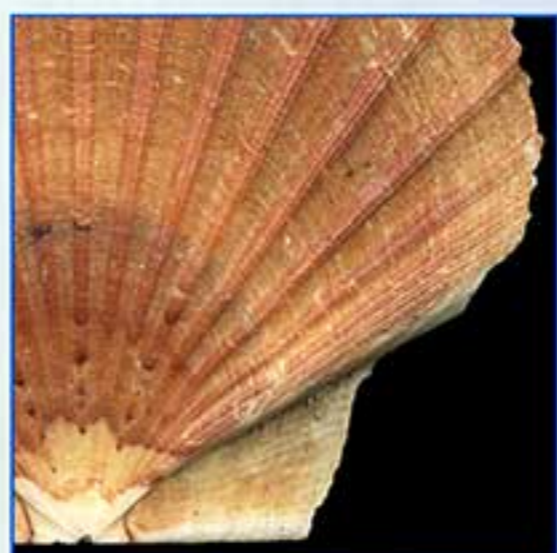
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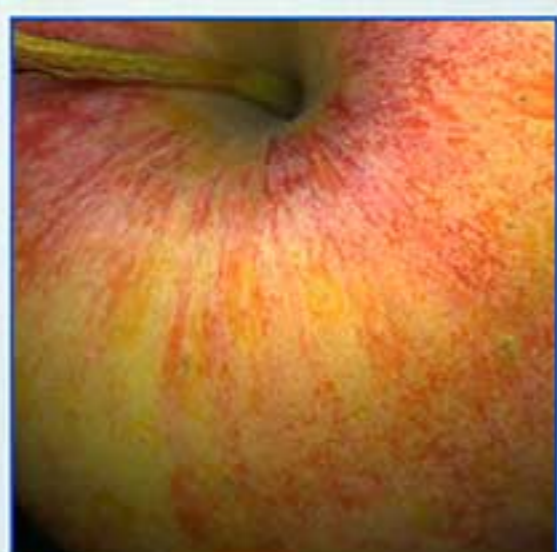
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BED IN SUMMER

In winter I get up at night
And dress by yellow candle-light.
In summer quite the other way,
I have to go to bed by day.
I have to go to bed and see
The birds still hopping on the tree,
Or hear the grown-up people's feet
Still going past me in the street.
And does it not seem hard to you,
When all the sky is clear and blue,
And I should like so much to play,
To have to go to bed by day?

Robert Louis Stevenson

Count the birds and
butterflies until
you fall asleep.

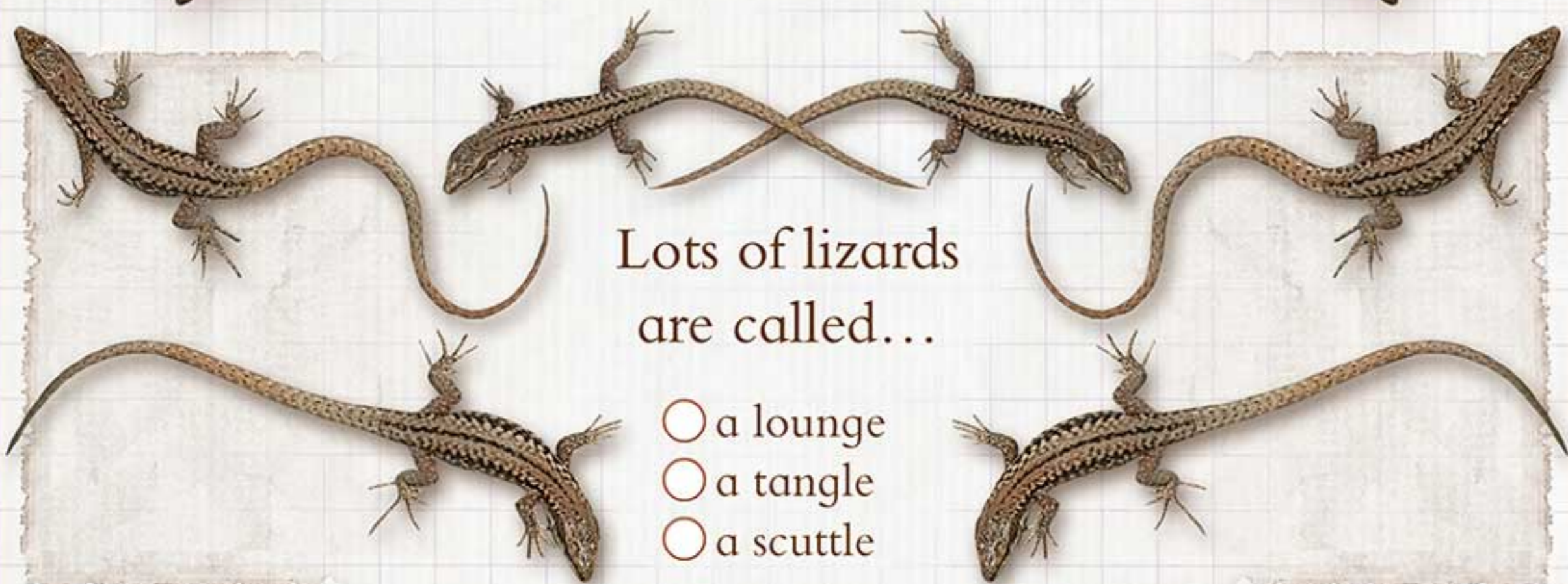
NAME THAT GROUP

Tick the correct answers.



Many butterflies are called...

- a rainbow
- a flutter
- a flight

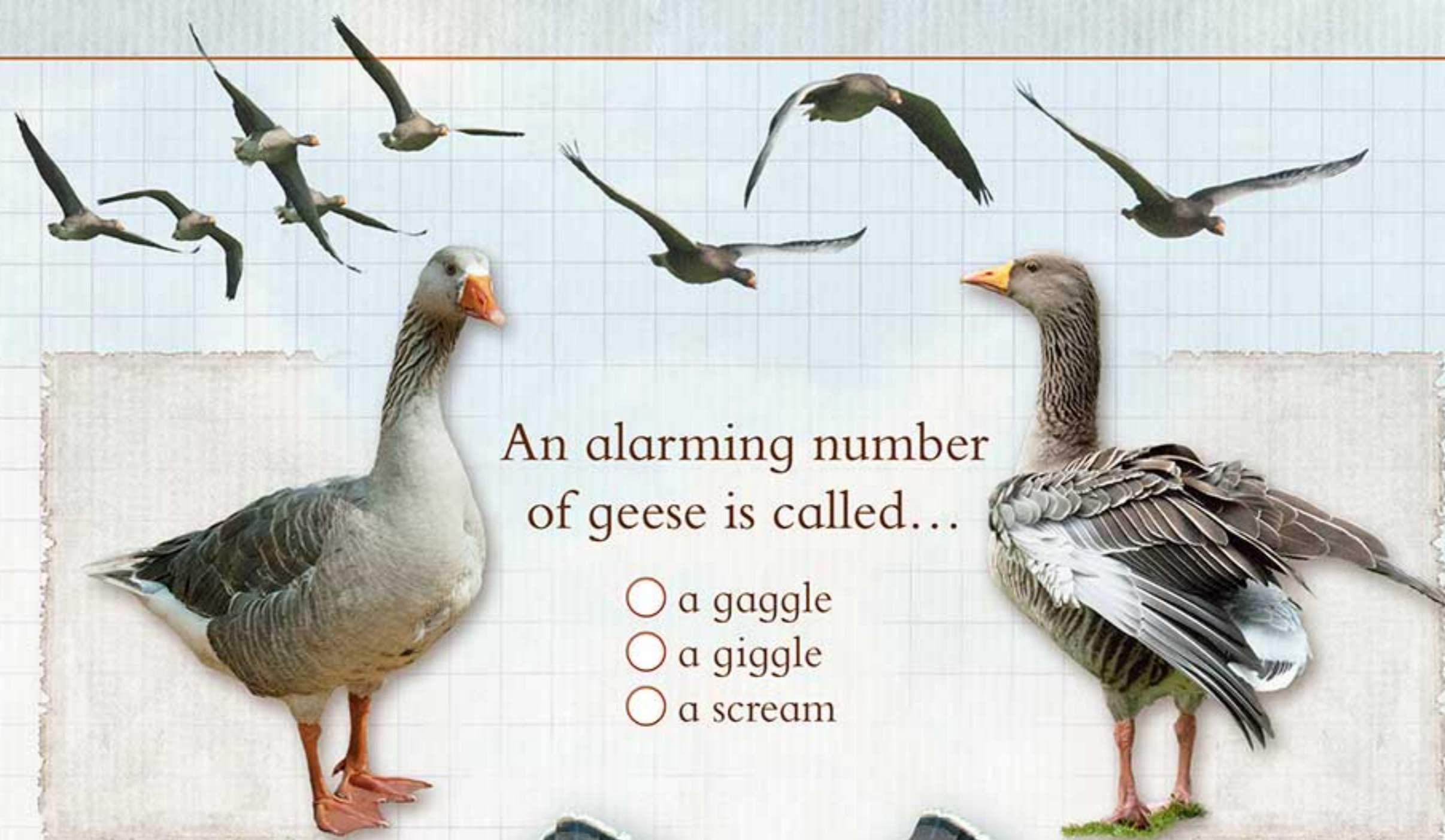


Lots of lizards are called...

- a lounge
- a tangle
- a scuttle

A collection of cows is called...

- a churn
- a pat
- a herd



An alarming number of geese is called...

- a gaggle
- a giggle
- a scream



Many turkeys are called...

- a pain
- a gang
- a gobble

Lots of otters are called... a raft a worry a party



MISSING CREATURES

Draw some spiders and flies onto the spider's web.



GIVE THE TREE SOME LEAVES

