

# Maths- Skills

Learning objective; To find the area and perimeter of a shape on a grid.



# Area and perimeter on a grid

The **perimeter** of a figure is the total length of its outline or boundary and this is found by counting the number of unit lengths along the boundary of the figure.

The **area** of a figure on **grid** is found by counting the total number of unit squares it occupies.

Take a look at these videos to remind you how to find the area and perimeter when shapes are on a grid.

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S8ueaJ\\_bAUc](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S8ueaJ_bAUc)

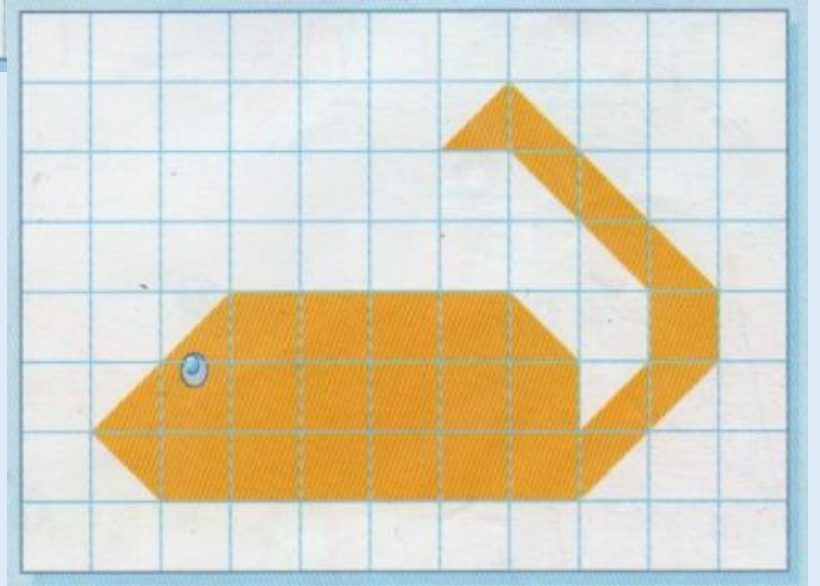
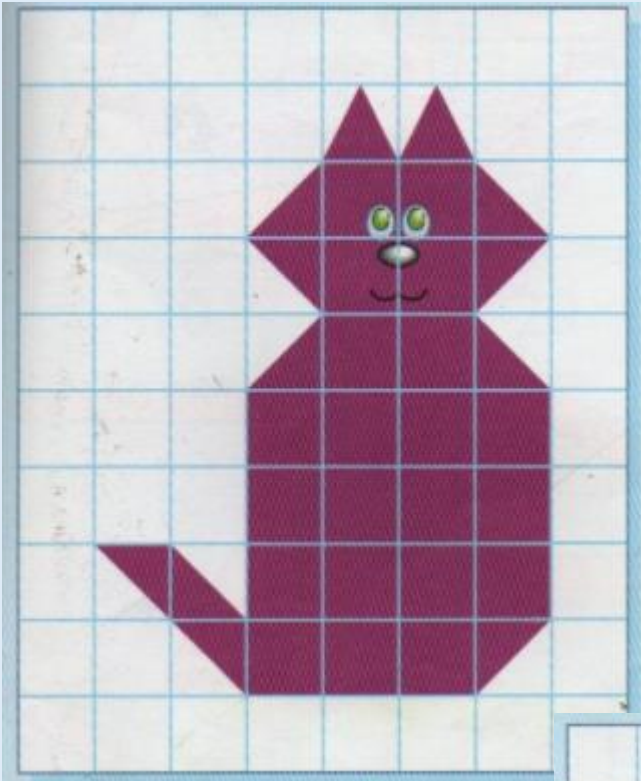
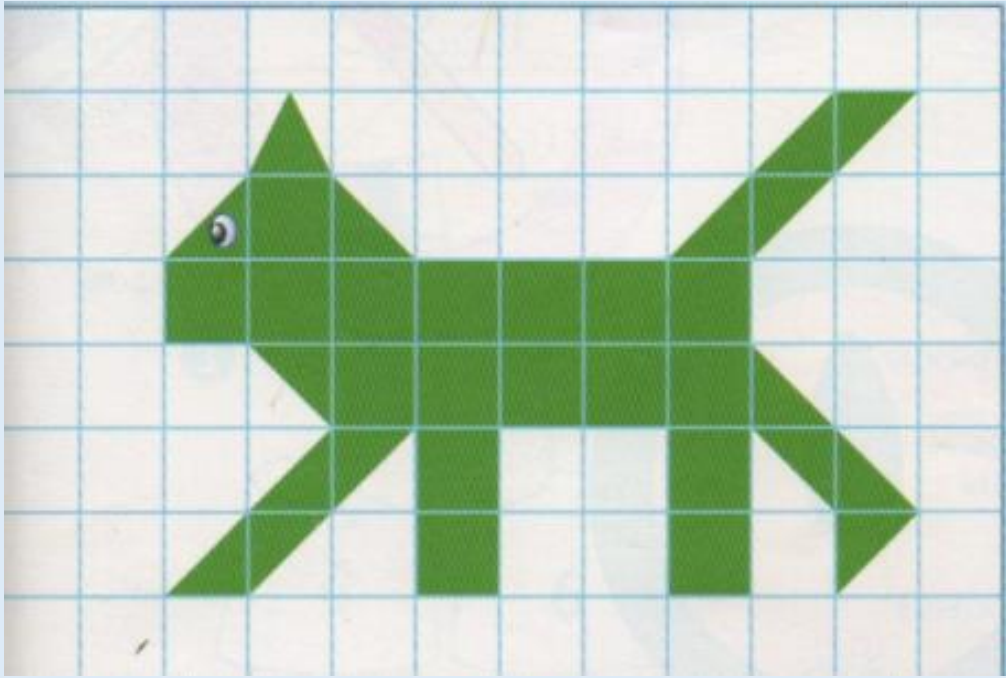
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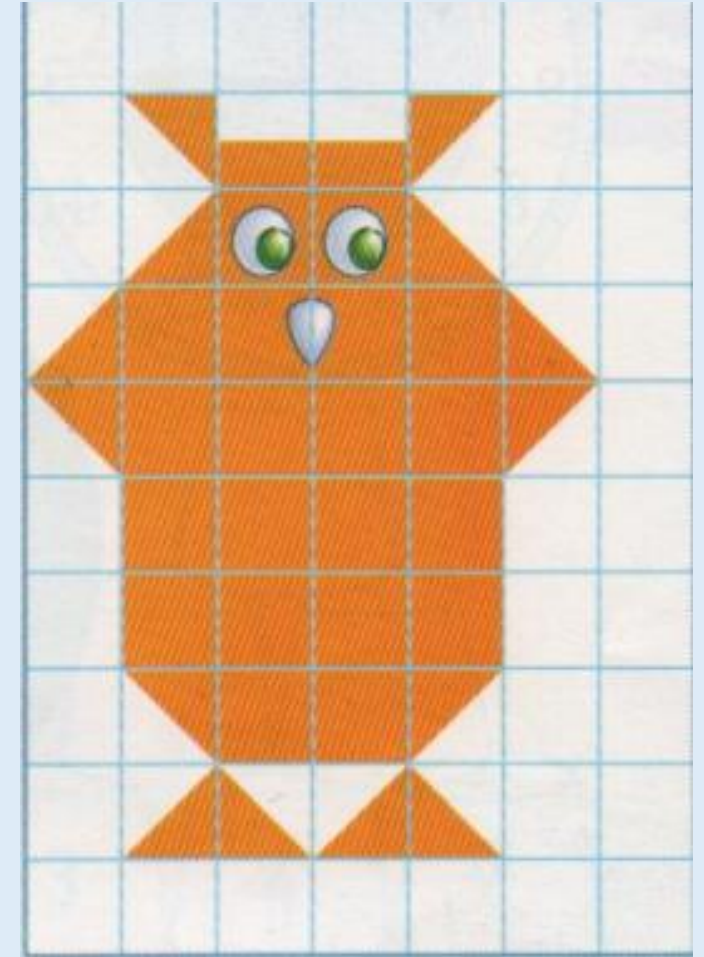
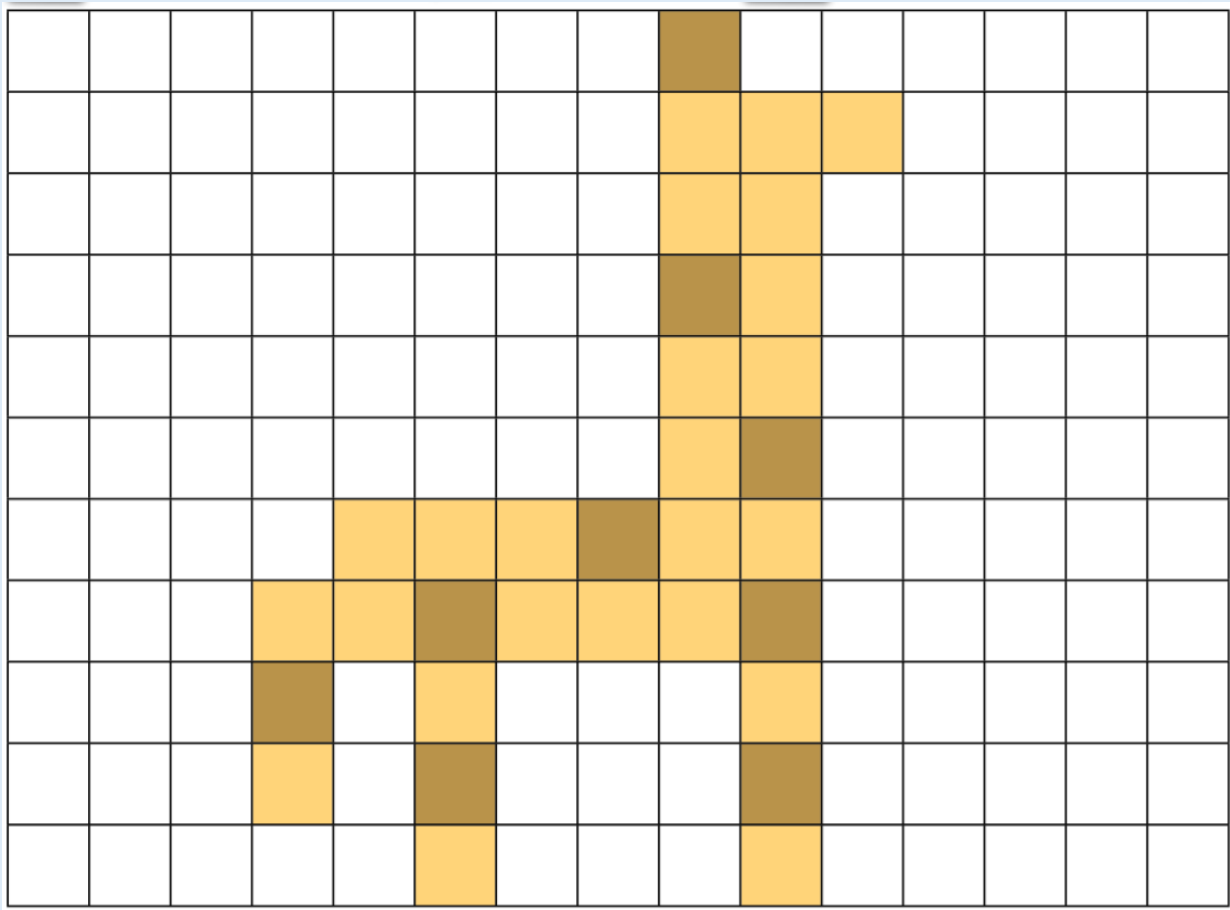
# Area and perimeter of animals

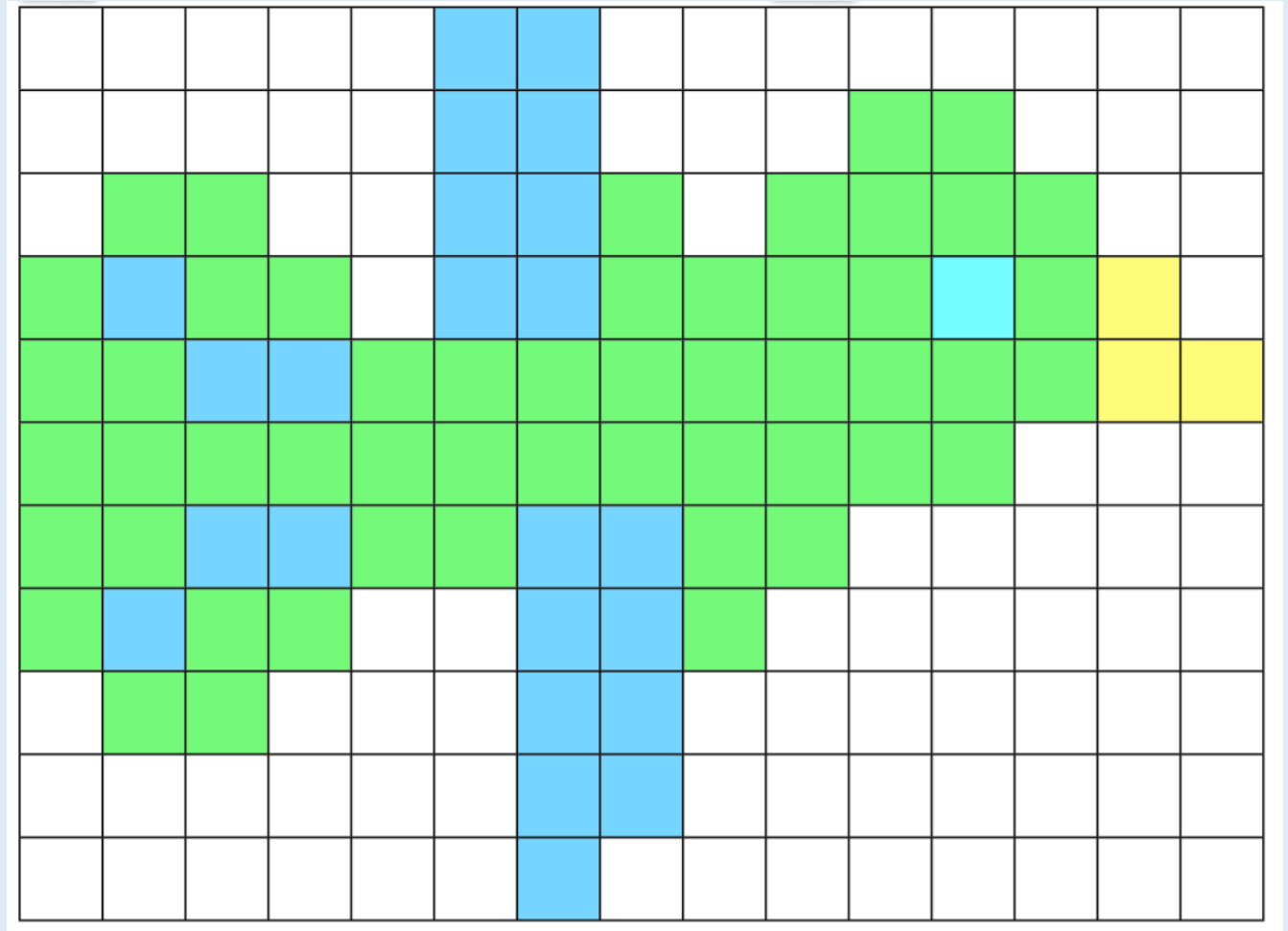
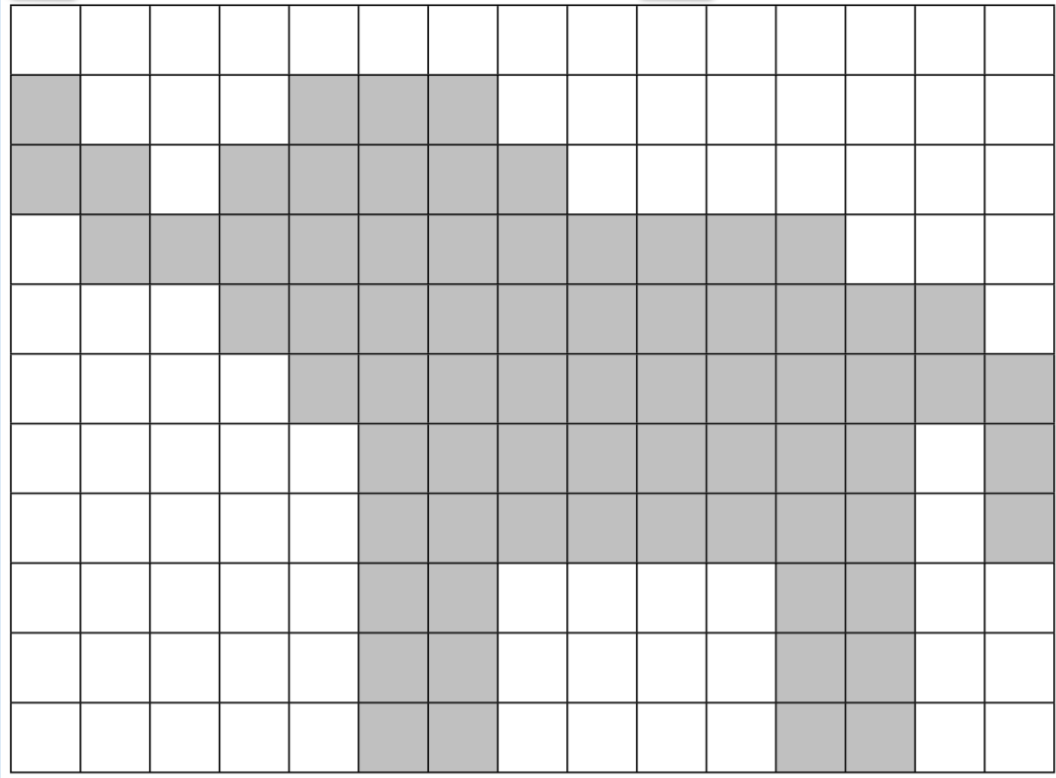
In your books create a table like this, over the next few slides you will see some animals drawn on a grid, can you work out their area and perimeter?

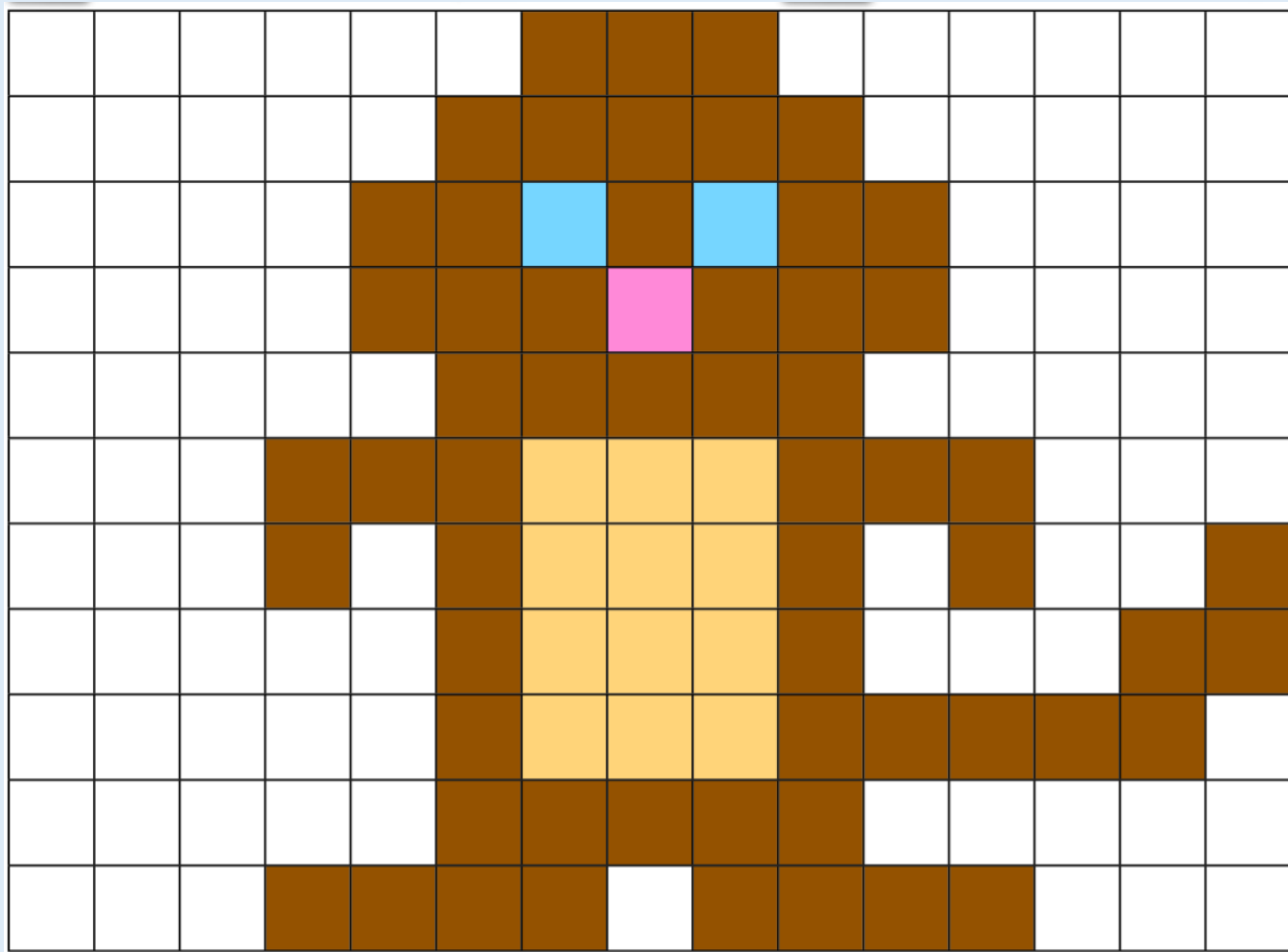
Each square is 1 cm!

Animal	Area	Perimeter
Bird		
Dog		
Owl		
Giraffe		
Elephant		
Cat		
Mouse		
Monkey		









**Extension;**  
What fraction of the monkey is.....  
Brown?  
Yellow?  
Blue?  
Pink?



# Answers

Warm up=

Answer:

Orange =  $48 \text{ cm}^2$

Blue =  $72 \text{ cm}^2$

Green =  $24 \text{ cm}^2$

Total =  $144 \text{ cm}^2$

Animal	Area	Perimeter
Dog	$25 \text{ cm}^2$	38 cm
Cat	$27 \text{ cm}^2$	24 cm
Mouse	$23 \text{ cm}^2$	27 cm
Giraffe	$33 \text{ cm}^2$	48 cm
Owl	$28 \text{ cm}^2$	29 cm
Elephant	$74 \text{ cm}^2$	66 cm
Bird	$82 \text{ cm}^2$	64 cm
Monkey	$72 \text{ cm}^2$	72 cm

## **Extension;**

What fraction of the monkey is.....

Brown-  $57/72$

Yellow-  $12/72$  or  $1/6$

Blue-  $2/72$  or  $1/36$

Pink-  $1/72$