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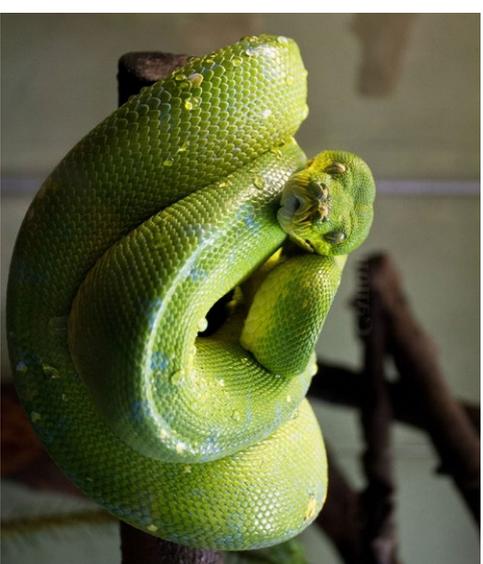
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Amazing Adjectives Answers

Part B - Adjective Hunt

Adjectives are words that are used to describe. They can describe colour, size, action, movement, sounds and looks. For example: dusky, grey skin.

Reread the story of 'Ronald the Rhino', looking for as many adjectives as you can find. Write the adjectives you find below.

<i>big</i>	<i>unique</i>	<i>smooth</i>	<i>tough</i>
<i>strong</i>	<i>great</i>	<i>patterned</i>	<i>glum</i>
<i>dusky</i>	<i>yellowish</i>	<i>long</i>	<i>bright</i>
<i>grey</i>	<i>dark brownish</i>	<i>terrible</i>	<i>lined</i>
<i>beautiful</i>	<i>dense</i>	<i>sore</i>	<i>creased</i>
<i>damp</i>	<i>sticky</i>	<i>young</i>	<i>silty</i>
<i>sad</i>	<i>wet</i>	<i>bent</i>	<i>amazing</i>
<i>special</i>	<i>blue</i>	<i>rough</i>	
<i>grand</i>	<i>strong</i>	<i>hard</i>	

Sort the adjectives into the table:

Size (e.g. big)	Colour (e.g. red)	How it looks (e.g. beautiful)	What it feels like (e.g. rough)	Feelings (e.g. happy)
<i>big</i>	<i>grey</i>	<i>dusky</i>	<i>wet</i>	<i>sad</i>
<i>long</i>	<i>yellowish</i>	<i>creased</i>	<i>rough</i>	<i>glum</i>

Challenge Task

Look at these photographs of the rainforest animals. Write a description of one of the animals. You could describe the way the animal looks, sounds, feels, etc.

Example Answer:

The orangutan has wild, orange-coloured fur. He looks as if he has a cheeky grin.