

To help you complete this worksheet, use the Animal Babies book.

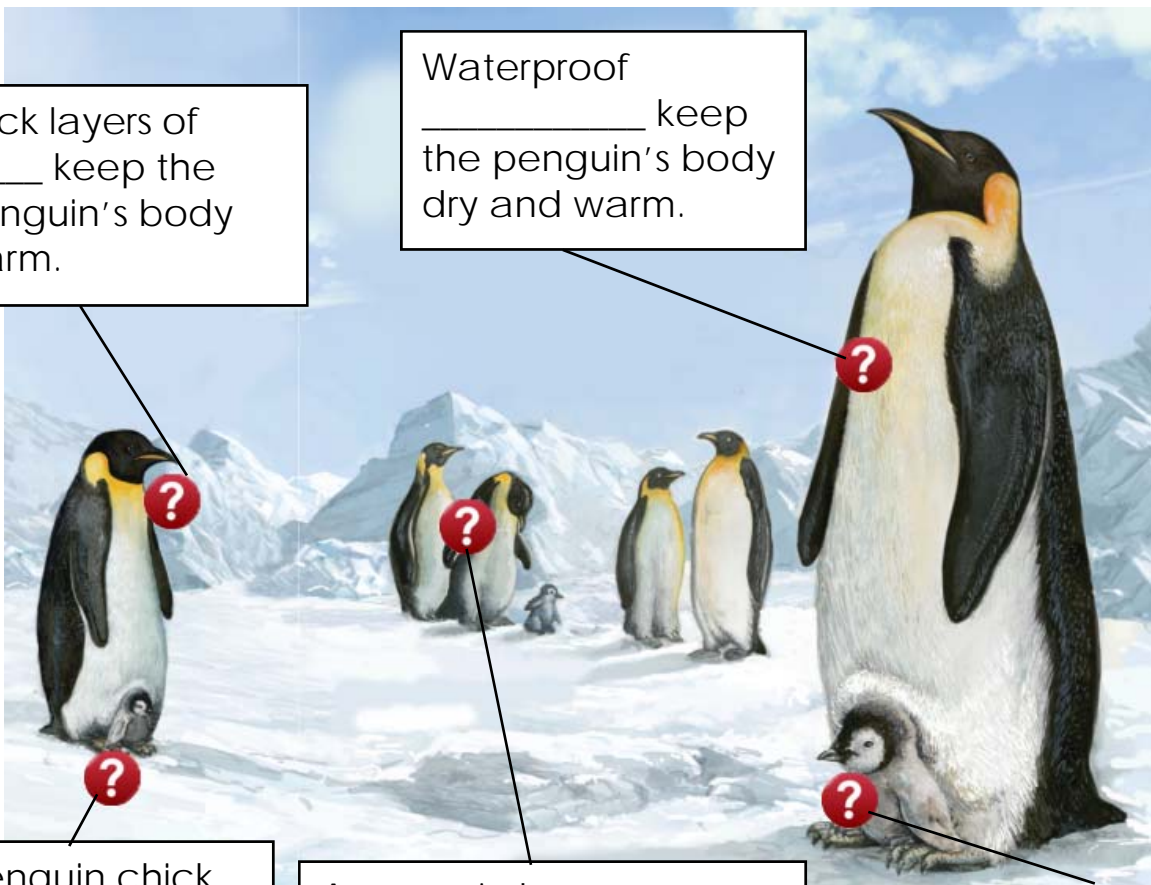


Bird

Most birds build nests to lay _____, but not the emperor penguin! A mother emperor penguin lays an egg. Then she goes away for weeks to get _____. The father holds the egg on top of his _____. He keeps it warm under the fluffy, feathered fold of his _____. After the egg _____, the father keeps the chick safe and warm in his cozy "nest" until the mother returns.

Thick layers of _____ keep the penguin's body warm.

Waterproof _____ keep the penguin's body dry and warm.



A penguin chick stays warm under the fold of its father's _____.

A penguin has _____ like flippers. These help the penguin to swim.

As a chick grows, its fluffy down is replaced by adult _____.

