

Sensory Awareness Vocabulary

- Adaptation:** a behavioral or genetic alteration or response in an organism that facilitates survival and reproduction in response to surroundings
- Cones:** parts of the retina that interpret color
- Crepuscular:** animals most active at twilight (dusk/dawn)
- Diurnal:** animals most active during daylight hours
- Echolocation:** reflected sound emitted from an animal (for example: bat/dolphin) to locate objects
- Nocturnal:** creatures most active at night
- Rods:** parts of the retina that interpret shades of black and white
- Triangulation:** a system used by animals to interpret the source of a sound