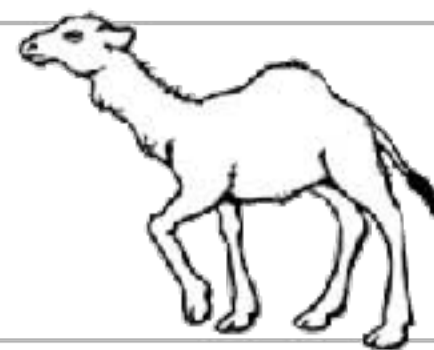


Camels are called *ships of the desert*. They have several adaptations that protect them during sandstorms. They are used for transport, milk, hides and wool.



C for CAMEL

1

A camel's hump stores fat not water. Fat is a source of energy when food is scarce. Babies are born without a hump.

C for CAMEL

2

Camels may not drink water for up six months. A thirsty camel can drink 100 litres of water in 10 minutes!

C for CAMEL

3

Camels have three stomachs. They chew their cud like cows. Most camels are fed by people. They eat grass and grain.

C for CAMEL

4

The camel is one of the oldest domesticated animals. People have been using them for more than 10,000 years.

C for CAMEL

5

The dromedary camel has one hump and long legs. It lives in the deserts of Arabia and Africa.

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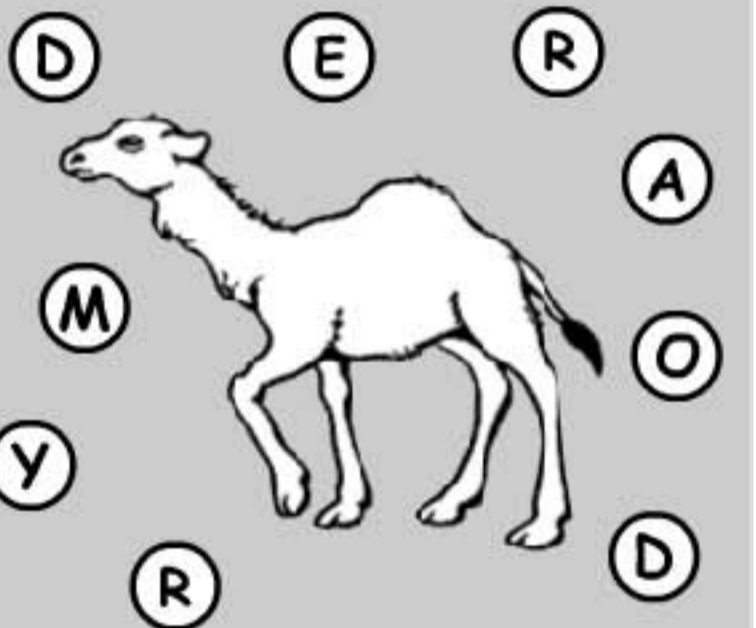
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The bactrian camel has two humps and a very thick coat. It lives in Asia in areas that are mostly grasslands.

QUIZ GAME

SCRAMBLE GAME

Look at the letters around the picture. Try to rearrange them to fill in the blanks.



D R O M E D A R Y

Camels eat

1



- A. ice cream
- B. fish and squid
- C. grass and grain**



Bactrian camels have

2



- A. one hump only
- B. two humps**
- C. more than four humps



A camel's hump stores

3



- A. fat**
- B. water
- C. milk



Using just the letters in the words below, can you make at least 8 new words? You may only use a letter as many times as it is shown in the key words.

BACTRIAN CAMEL

arm
dear
bear
can

rat
bat
cat
rain



- bactrian
- cud
- legs
- hump
- water
- grass
- wool
- fat
- area
- desert
- eat
- dromedary

WORDSEARCH

Hunt for the words shown on the list, then circle them as you find them!

