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Echidna Scavenger Hunt – World Book Kids

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1. What makes the echidna unusual to most other mammals?

2. What echidnas also known as?

3. What do echidnas eat?

4. Where do echidnas live?

5. How does an echidna protect itself?

6. What kind of mammal is an echidna?

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ANSWERS:

1. The echidna is a mammal that lays eggs. All other mammals give birth to live young.
2. Spiny anteaters
3. Chiefly ants and termites.
4. Australia and New Guinea
5. The echidna has sharp spines on back and sides. It also has claws that it digs quickly straight down into the ground and partly buries itself.
6. Mammals that lay eggs are known as monotremes.