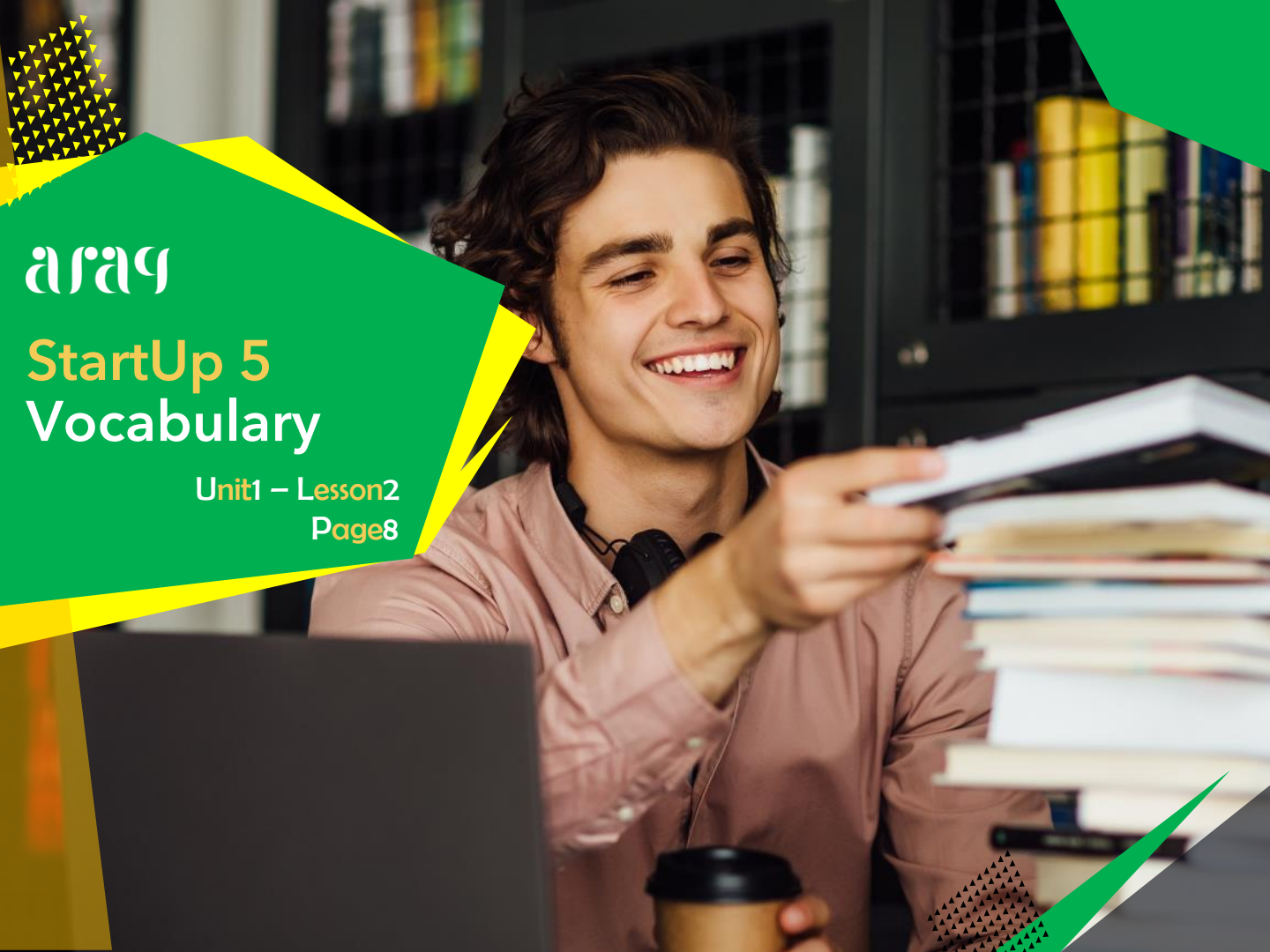


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Have your Ss do the task for a couple of minutes. Then check the answers in class.

MATCH the words with the sentences.

bat	gorgeous	fierce	tiny	adorable
aggressive	enormous	hippo	playful	tarantula

1. The elephant is very, very big.
2. The ant is almost too small to see.
3. The baby bunny is just so cute.
4. The flowers are really pretty.
5. The tiger looks very strong and scary.
6. The shark wants to fight.
7. The kittens love to play.
8. It is a big, big animal that likes water.
9. It is a hairy spider, but not too scary.
10. It flies around at night.

Teach the challenging words to your Ss. Then play the audio to practice the pronunciation.

1 VOCABULARY Animals



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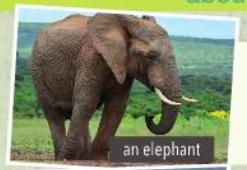
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I got photos of some pretty dangerous animals—but I didn't get too close!

A ▶01-08 Listen. Then listen and repeat.

FUN FACTS

about Animals!


an elephant


a lion


a snake


a bat


a hippopotamus (a hippo)


a blue whale


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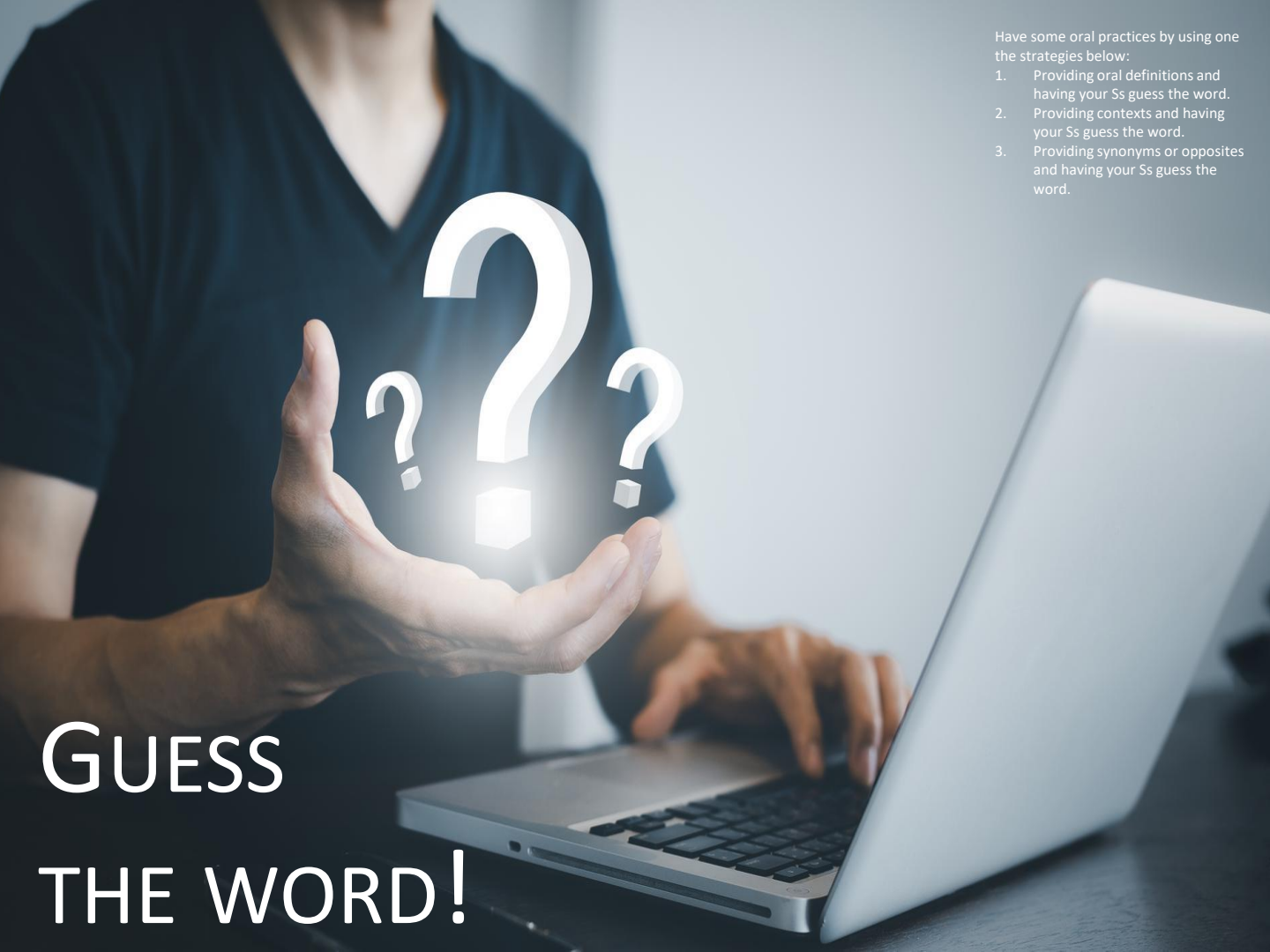
WORDS TO DESCRIBE ANIMALS

enormous: very large
tiny: very small
adorable: very attractive and cute
gorgeous: very beautiful
fierce: ready and able to attack
aggressive: behaving in a way that shows it wants to fight
playful: active and wanting to have fun

Complete the sentences. Underline the correct answers.

1. The **fierce / playful / adorable** lion roared and showed its teeth before it attacked.
2. The hippopotamus can become **adorable / playful / aggressive** when another animal tries to hurt it.
3. When they're young, lions are **enormous / playful / aggressive** like kittens.
4. Sara's dog had five **fierce / aggressive / adorable** puppies last week. I want one!
5. One of the puppies is so **tiny / gorgeous / aggressive** that you can hold him in your hand.
6. Elephants are **enormous / tiny / playful** and weigh up to 13,000 pounds.
7. I think that lion is **fierce / gorgeous / aggressive** because of the beautiful mane around its face.

Activity



Have some oral practices by using one the strategies below:

1. Providing oral definitions and having your Ss guess the word.
2. Providing contexts and having your Ss guess the word.
3. Providing synonyms or opposites and having your Ss guess the word.

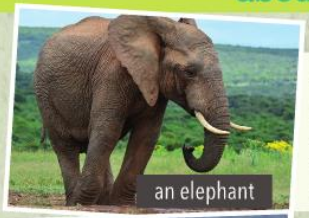
GUESS THE WORD!

Have the Ss do the task in class. Nominate the Ss for their answers.

B Read the fun facts. Which do you find the most surprising? Tell a partner.

FUN FACTS

about Animals!


an elephant

An elephant's trunk (its long nose) is so strong that it can knock down a tree, but it can also pick up an object as tiny as a grain of rice.


a lion

A lion's roar is so loud that humans can hear it from eight kilometers (five miles) away.


a snake

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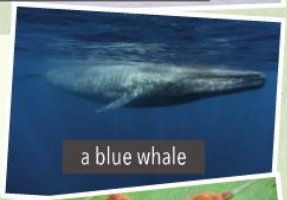
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a bat

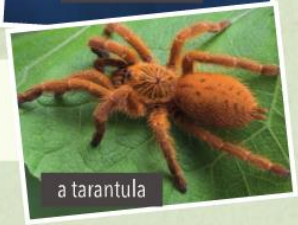
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a hippopotamus (a hippo)

The blue whale is the largest animal that has ever lived on Earth. A newborn blue whale weighs as much as 100 people.


a blue whale

Most spiders live for about a year, but some tarantulas live for more than 20 years.


a tarantula

Complete the sentences. Underline the correct answers.

1. The **hippopotamus / lion / elephant** at the zoo reminded Brian of his cat.
2. The **tarantula / bat / blue whale** can swim thousands of miles every year.
3. The **hippopotamus / snake / blue whale** has a large body and short legs.
4. **Tarantulas / Bats / Snakes** are the biggest kind of spider.
5. **Lions / Elephants / Hippopotamuses** have large ears that they can move to stay cool.
6. Even though they don't have legs, some **bats / tarantulas / snakes** can move more than 6 miles per hour.
7. **Snakes / Tarantulas / Bats** sleep during the day and fly at night.

Activity

Have the Ss do the task in their breakout rooms.

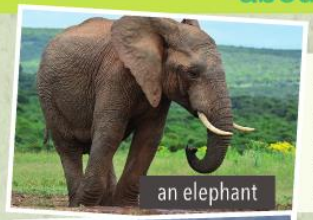
C **PAIRS** Decide together. Which animals are enormous? Tiny? Adorable? Gorgeous? Fierce? Aggressive? Playful? Take notes.

FUN FACTS

about Animals!


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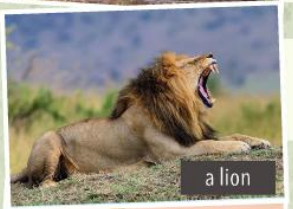
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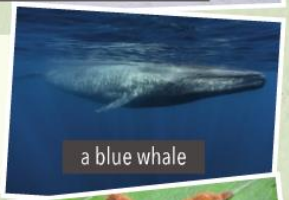
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