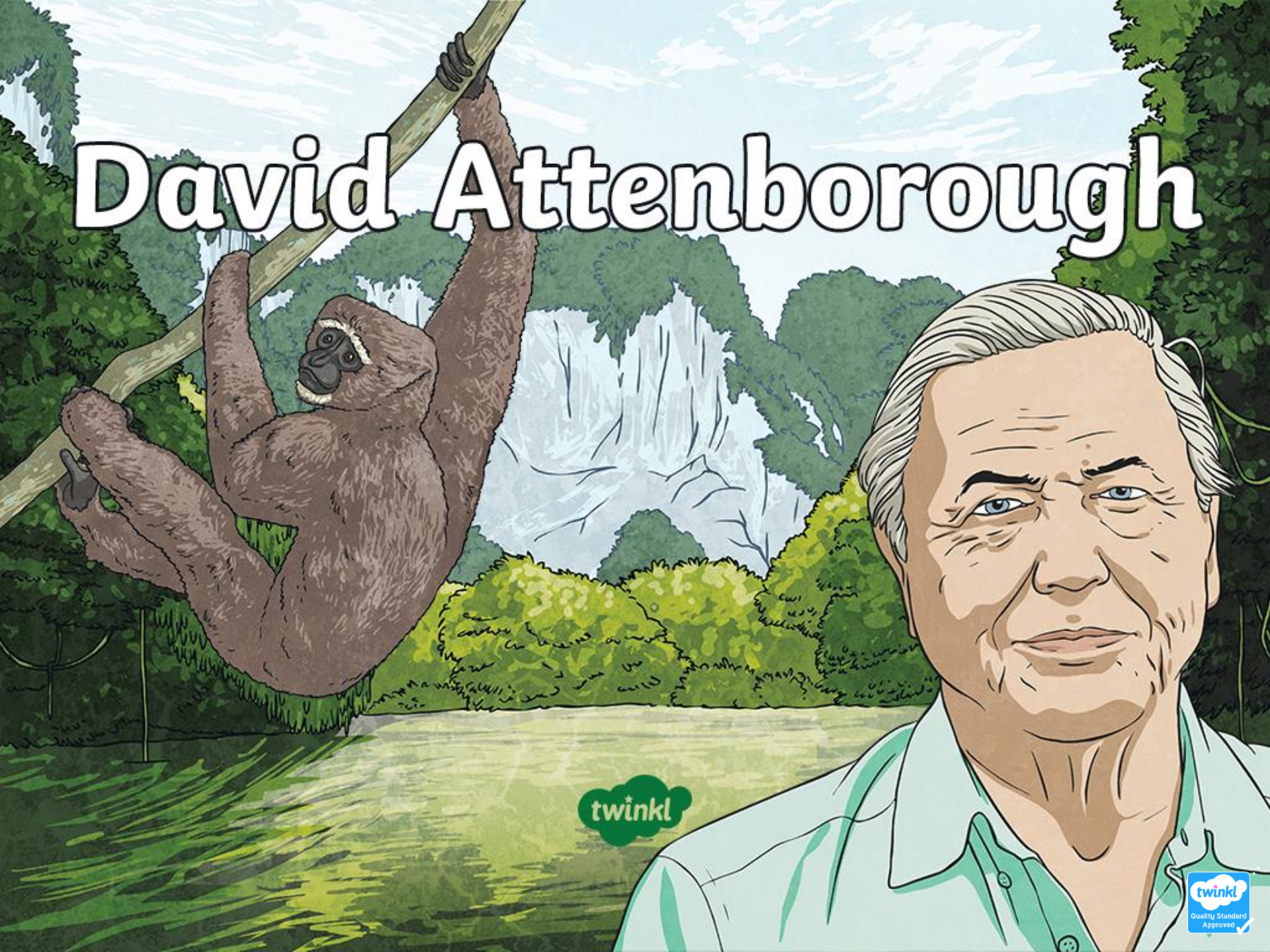


# David Attenborough



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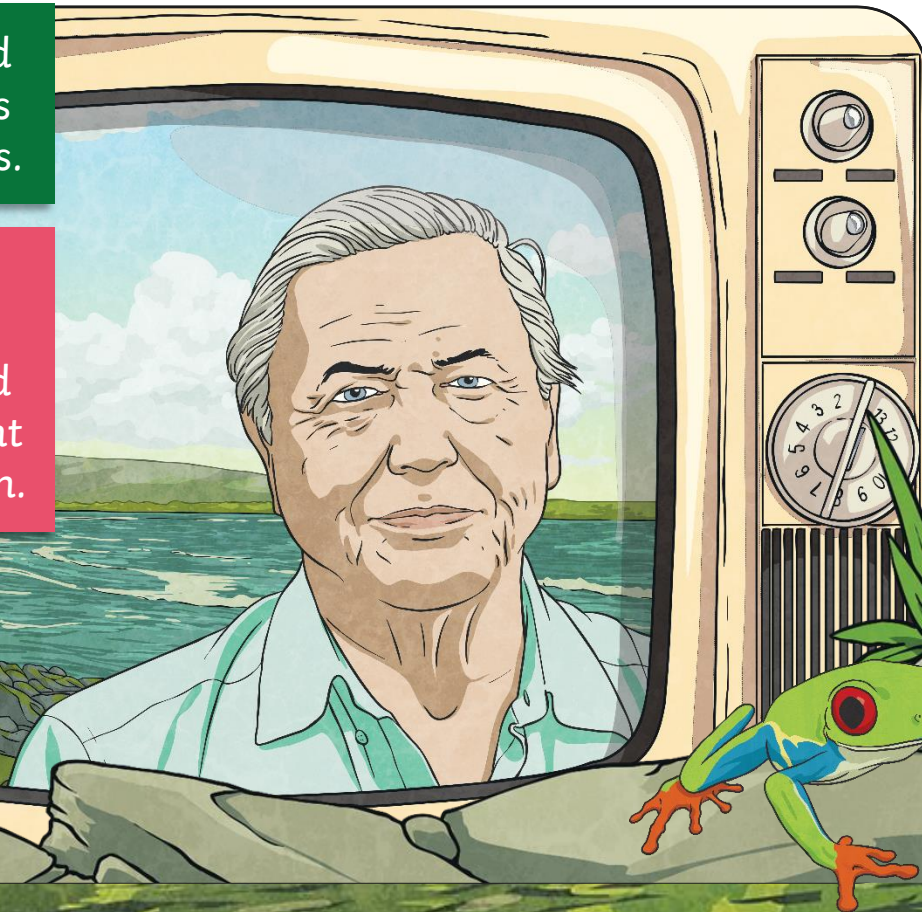


# Life on Film

David Attenborough is a wildlife film-maker and naturalist. This means he is a scientist who studies animals and their behaviour.

He has written and presented many popular documentaries about animals and their lives.

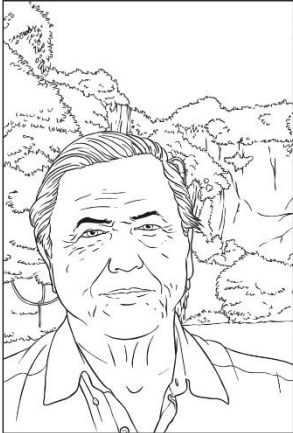
Attenborough has been a presence on our television screens for over 60 years and his programmes have brought him international recognition.






# Attenborough's Life

Find out more about David Attenborough's life and work.

Your Attenborough's Life Activity Sheet has 12 questions about David Attenborough's life up to the broadcast of his first famous documentary. You need to find the answers to these questions.

Attenborough's Life	
I can answer questions about David Attenborough's life.	
Answer these questions about David Attenborough's life. You will have one fact card, and you should use it to answer one of the questions. You will have to ask other members of your class to find the answers to the remaining questions!	
	<b>Early Life</b>
	When and where was David Attenborough born?
	What did Attenborough collect as a child?
	<b>Family Life</b>
	What did Attenborough's family do during the Second World War?
	How many brothers does Attenborough have, and what are their names?
Who did Attenborough marry, and when?	
What job did David Attenborough's older brother have?	

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# Attenborough's Life



After Attenborough's series 'Life on Earth' was broadcast in 1979, he went on to write and make many other series. These include over 250 episodes of 'Wildlife on One', 'The Natural World', 'Life in the Freezer' and 'Planet Earth'.



He is still working on new documentaries now.



# Wildlife Documentary

Whole Class

You are going to be a wildlife film-maker like David Attenborough!

## Wildlife Documentary

I can identify how David Attenborough describes animals in his documentaries.  
I can create my own documentary inspired by David Attenborough's work.

Choose an animal from the following options:

gorilla

platypus

dolphin

snake

mayfly



Research your chosen animal and complete these boxes with your notes

What type of animal (mammal, insect or reptile) is it?

Where does it live?

What does it eat?

Give two interesting facts about

1.

2.

Choose an animal from the options on the Wildlife Documentary Activity Sheet and use the Internet or books to find out about it. Think about what type of animal it is, where it lives and its behaviour. Use your Activity Sheet to gather and organise the facts you need.

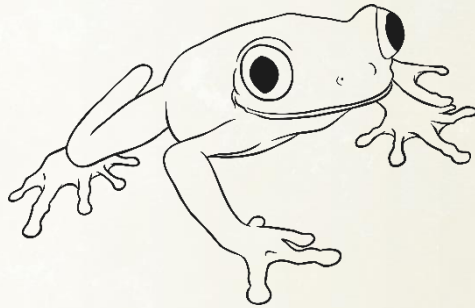




## WILDLIFE DOCUMENTARY

*Once you have collected your information, use it to write a short script on your Activity Sheet.*

*You can perform your documentary while someone records it and send it to me on portfolios OR you can send me your script.*







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