

Designing a Non-Chronological Report: The Mythical Forest Creature

Learning objective: To identify and organise key features of a non-chronological report through visual planning.

Imagine you are an explorer documenting a newly discovered creature for a scientific journal. Use the drawing space below to sketch your creature, then use the labels and subheadings to plan your report structure.

Draw: Draw a detailed, full-page illustration of your original creature in its natural habitat. Use a scientific sketching style—clean outlines with realistic texture details (like fur, scales, or feathers). In the corners or around the creature, leave space to add labels from the word bank. Ensure the creature looks like a creature Nova the owl might find during her nocturnal studies.



Label words: Habitat · Diet · Appearance · Unique Features · Classification · Scientific Name

Steps:

1. Write a suitable title for your report at the top of your drawing space.
2. List three subheadings you would use to organise your report about this creature.
3. Why is it important to use subheadings in a non-chronological report? Explain in one sentence.

4. Label your drawing with two specific physical features (e.g., 'translucent wings') that help the creature survive.
5. Write a short 'Did you know?' fact about your creature to include in your report.