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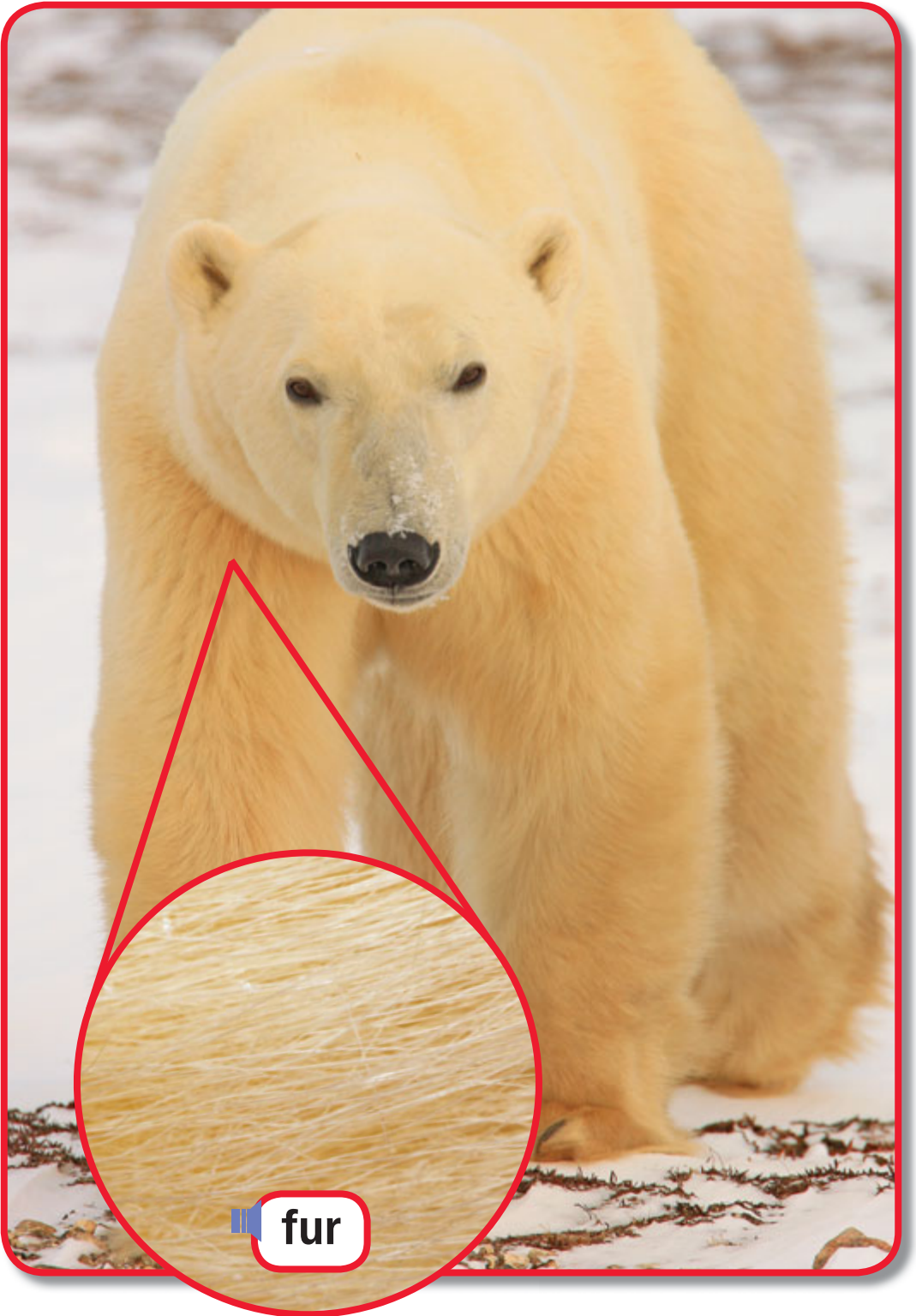
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animals



 fur

feathers

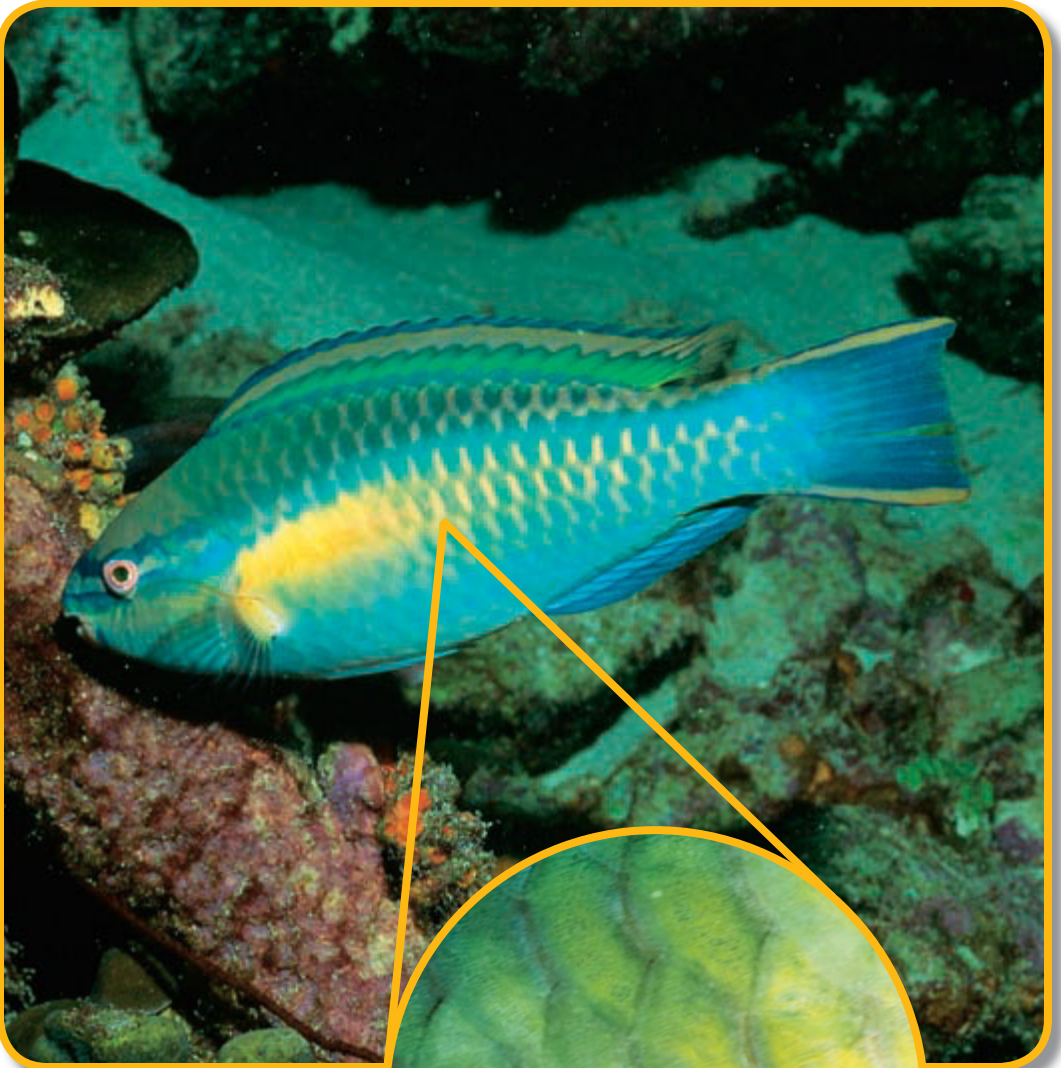




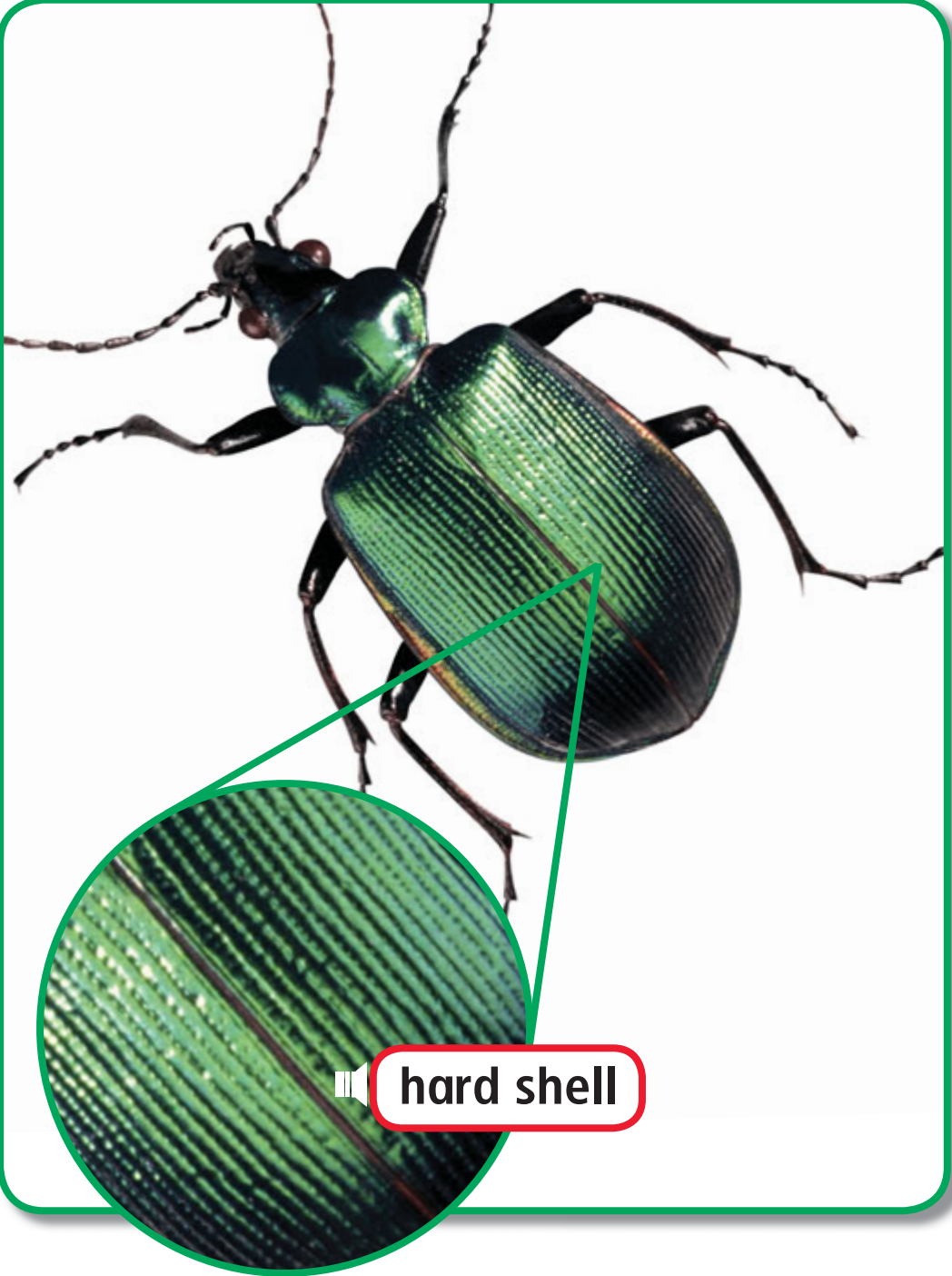
scaly, dry skin

smooth, wet skin





|| scales



School Home Connection

Ask your child to tell you about his or her favorite animal. What does it look like? What is its body covering? Have your child draw a picture of that animal.

Hands-On Activity

With your child, collect pictures of different animals. Group the animals by their body coverings.

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