

Unit 3

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Reader's Notebook: How Does a Possum Cross the Road?

Questions for How Does a Possum Cross the Road?

Write your responses to the questions below.

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1 How can an underpass help a possum?

An underpass can help male possums safely get from one side of the road to the other.

2 Why are there so few okapis?

Because their rain forest homes are being cut down.

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1 Why are boats bad for manatees?

They get injured by the boat's propeller blades.

2 What happened to the Pere David's Deer that they are now going home to China?

They were bred so successfully in zoos and parks that they are being returned to their grassland homes in northern China.

1 Why are there so few flying foxes left?

Most of their forest homes and food supply have been cut down.

2 Why are the narwhal hunted so much?

They are hunted for their spiraled tusks.

1 Why do people hunt robber crabs?

They are hunted for food and used for souvenirs.