



What do you know about bats?

Information	Prior Knowledge	New Information
<p>Bats look like mice with wings. They look like birds, too, but they are not.</p>		
<p>They give birth to live babies and nurture them with milk. Bats are the only mammals that can fly.</p>		
<p>Bats' wings have no feathers—they are covered with skin like a human arm. The skeletal system of the wing is much like the human arm and hand. The "fingers" support the wing, and the thumb is like a little claw at the top of the wing.</p>		
<p>People have many strange ideas about bats. Bats do not attack people. They do not get stuck in people's hair. In fact, most bats can be helpful to us because they eat insect pests such as mosquitoes.</p>		

What do you know about bats now?