

Bears are fast runners, excellent swimmers and good climbers. They may look cute, but this animal is dangerous!



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**Bears are solitary animals. Only mother and cubs live together.
Cubs love to play!
Playing teaches them hunting skills.**

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**Bears sleep all winter. This deep sleep is called hibernation.
They don't eat and drink during this time.**

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Everyone knows bears like honey! In fact, they eat plants, leaves, nuts and roots as well as insects, fish, birds and mammals.

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The skin of polar bears is black. This help them to absorb more of the heat from the sun.

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**Koala bears aren't real bears.
Like kangaroos, they have pouches in which they carry their babies.**

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Pandas can spend up to 16 hours a day feeding. They can eat more than 10 kilograms of bamboo a day!