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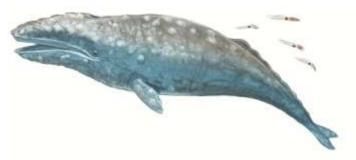
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# I Spy 13 Different Habitats!

Told in rhyming narrative, Habitat Spy invites children to search for and find plants, invertebrates, birds, and mammals and more that live in 13 different habitats: backyard, beach, bog, cave, desert, forest, meadow, mountain, ocean, plains, pond, river, and cypress swamp. Children will spend hours looking for and counting all the different plants and animals while learning about what living things need to survive.

# "For Creative Minds"

Teachers and Parents will love the educational section, which includes the following educational activities:



- Habitats and Food Chains
- Match the Habitats
- Compare and Contrast: Adaptations
- Classification

There are also **"Related Websites," "Interactive Math, Reading, and Comprehension Quizzes,"** and **"Teaching Activities" on Arbordale Publishing's website**, <u>http://www.ArbordalePublishing.com</u>, to help parents and educators extend the learning possibilities.



## About the Author/Illustrator



After working as an environmental consultant, author Cynthia A. King decided to give it up in order to pursue her dream of **writing children's books. Cynthia's works include young adult** novels, chapter books and picture books. Her degrees in Zoology and Biological Oceanography allow her to provide readers with extensive knowledge of thirteen different habitats in *Habitat Spy*. Cynthia lives in upstate New York and writes full time. *Habitat Spy* is her debut picture book.

Christina Wald in addition to illustrating *Habitat Spy, Little Red Bat,* and *Henry the Impatient Heron* for Arbordale, she frequently does illustrations for *Scholastic News*. Other books out include *Black Beauty, Big Cats* and many others. Christina enjoys the research aspect of each book or illustration. Every project is a new learning experience! Currently, Donna Love (author of *Henry the Impatient Heron* and *The Glaciers are Melting*) and Christina are working together on a children's book about elk with the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation and the US Forest Service. She lives in Ohio with her husband and two cats. When not illustrating, she enjoys movies, travel, biking, and reading. **Visit Christina's website at** http://www.christinawald.com/





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