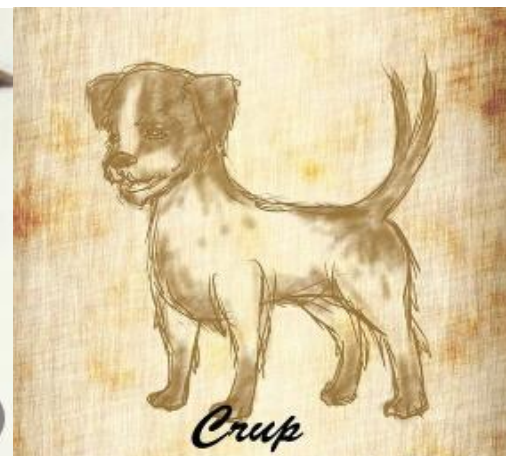


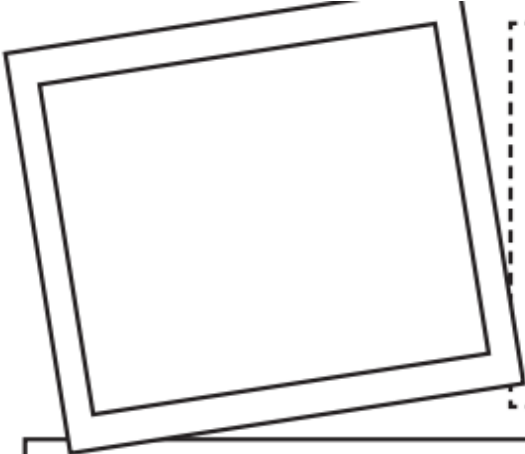


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Amazingly,	Often,	Frequently,
An important thing...	On average,	Furthermore,
Are you aware that...?	Sometimes,	Generally,
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As well as that,	Surprisingly,	If...
Because of this,	There are...	Imagine,
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Even though...	When...	Like many...
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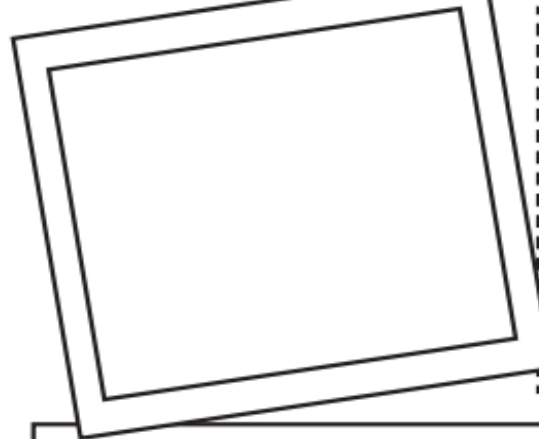
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Ashwinder

Species information	
Eye colour	Red ^[1]
Skin colour	Pale-grey ^[1]

Native to: Worldwide
Size: Various

The Ashwinder is created when a magical fire² is allowed to burn unchecked for too long. A thin, pale-grey serpent with glowing red eyes, it will rise from the embers of an unsupervised fire and slither away into the shadows of the dwelling in which it finds itself, leaving an ashy trail behind it.

The Ashwinder lives for only an hour and during that time seeks a dark and secluded spot in which to lay its eggs, after which it will collapse into dust. Ashwinder eggs are brilliant red and give off intense heat. They will ignite the dwelling within minutes if not found and frozen with a suitable charm. Any wizard realising that one or more Ashwinders are loose in the house must trace them immediately and locate the nest of eggs. Once frozen, these eggs are of great value for use in Love Potions and may be eaten whole as a cure for ague.

Ashwinders are found worldwide.

Acromantula

Species information	
Eye colour	Black (white, if blind) ^[1]
Hair colour	Jet-Black ^[1]

Native to	Island of Borneo ^[2]
Length of average adult	Greater than 15 feet (females were larger)
Mortality	Mortal ^[3]
Distinction	- Capable of human speech^[1] - Taste for human flesh^[1] - Cannibalistic^[3]

"Spiders. Not tiny spiders like those surging over the leaves below. Spiders the size of carthorses, eight-eyed, eight-legged, black, hairy, gigantic. The massive specimen that was carrying Harry made its way down the steep slope toward a misty, domed web in the very centre of the hollow, while its fellows closed in all around it, clicking their pincers excitedly at the sight of its load."

— Harry Potter's description of the Acromantulas^[src]

An **Acromantula** was a giant magical species of spider native to the rainforests of Southeast Asia, particularly Borneo, where it inhabited dense jungles. Acromantulas were believed to be a wizard-bred species, designed to guard dwellings or treasure hoards, and were first created before the Ban on Experimental Breeding in 1965. These giant spiders had a taste for human flesh and were first spotted in 1794.^[2]

Acromantulas tended to reside in thick jungles and heavily forested areas, and their webs were large and dome-shaped. They liked the dark and the quiet.^{[2][1]}

Basilisk

"Of the many fearsome beasts and monsters that roam our land, there is none more curious or more deadly than the Basilisk, known also as the King of Serpents. This snake, which may reach gigantic size, and live many hundreds of years, is born from a chicken's egg, hatched beneath a toad. Its methods of killing are most wondrous, for aside from its deadly and venomous fangs, the Basilisk has a murderous stare, and all who are fixed with the beam of its eye shall suffer instant death. Spiders flee before the Basilisk, for it is their mortal enemy, and the Basilisk flees only from the crowing of the rooster, which is fatal to it."

— *Most Macabre Monstrosities*^[src]

Species information	
Eye colour	Yellow ^[1]
Skin colour	Green ^[1]

The Basilisk could grow up to fifty feet in length, were a dark green or a colour with a lighter green underbelly.^[1] They also possessed rows of incredibly sharp **venomous** fangs and large yellow eyes.^[1] These eyes had the power to instantly kill anyone who looked into them.^[3]

Native to	Originally Greece , now found worldwide ^[2]
Alternative names	King of Serpents ^[3]
Length of average adult	50 ft. ^[1]
Mortality	Mortal ^[1]
Distinction	Deadly gaze, capable of Petrification^[3] Venomous fangs, which are extremely poisonous^[3]

Billywig

The Billywig is an insect native to Australia. It is around half an inch long and a vivid sapphire blue, although its speed is such that it is rarely noticed by Muggles and often not by wizards until they have been stung. The Billywig's wings are attached to the top of its head and are rotated very fast so that it spins as it flies. At the bottom of the body is a long thin sting. Those who have been stung by a Billywig suffer giddiness followed by levitation. Generations of young Australian witches and wizards have attempted to catch Billywigs and provoke them into stinging



Species information	
Eye colour	Grey ^[2]
Skin colour	Bright blue ^[1]

Native to	Australia ^[1]
Height of average adult	Half an inch ^[1]
Mortality	Mortal ^[1]
Distinction	Flies very fast^[1] - Wings atop head^[1] Stinger causes levitation^[1]

Chizpurple

Species information	
Eye colour	Black ^[1]
Skin colour	Brown with green pincers ^[1]
Native to	Worldwide ^[1]
Length of average adult	Up to a twentieth of an inch (with fangs) ^[1]
Mortality	Mortal ^[2]
Distinction	- Attacks magical and electrical objects^[1] - Resembles crab^[1]

The Chizpurple was a type of very small magical parasite. Crab-like in appearance, this beast could grow up to a twentieth of an inch including its fangs. They were attracted to sources of magic and were commonly found in the fur of the *Crups*. Their fangs were used in potion-making.



The appearance of the Chizpurple

Chizpurples were drawn to wizarding homes, with the intention of attacking magical objects within, for example wands, which they often bit once they found them, chewing through the wood to get to the wand core inside. Chizpurples also settled in dirty cauldrons, feeding on the remnants of magical potions.^[1] They were also attracted to spells, such as the Wand-Lighting Charm.^[2]

In the absence of magic, Chizpurples attacked Muggle items powered by electricity.

This explained the sudden failure of various new electrical goods.^[1]

Clabbert

Species information	
Eye colour	Yellow ^[1]
Skin colour	Mottled green ^[1]

The Clabbert is a tree-dwelling creature, in appearance something like a cross between a monkey and a frog. It originated in the southern states of America, though it has since been exported worldwide. The smooth and hairless skin is a mottled green, the hands and feet are webbed, and the arms and legs are long and supple, enabling the Clabbert to swing between branches with the agility of an orang-utan. The head has short horns and the wide mouth, which appears to be grinning, is full of razor-sharp teeth. The Clabbert feeds mostly on small lizards and birds.

Distinction	- Resembles cross between frog and monkey^[1] - Illuminated pustule^[1]
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- Webbed hands and feet^[1] - Small horns^[1] - Sharp Teeth^[1] - Long legs^[1] - Tree-dwelling^[1]

Its smooth skin was mottled green, and it had short horns and a wide grinning mouth full of razor sharp teeth. Its long arms and webbed hands and feet allowed it to move gracefully through the trees. On the Clabbert's forehead was a large pustule which flashed red when the Clabbert sensed danger. It fed on small lizards and birds.^[1]

Golden Snidget

Species information	
Eye colour	Red ^[1]
Feather colour	Golden ^[1]

The Golden Snidget is an extremely rare, protected species of bird. Completely round, with a very long, thin beak and glistening, jewel-like red eyes, the Golden Snidget is an extremely fast flier that can change direction with uncanny speed and skill, owing to the rotational joints of its wings.

The Golden Snidget's feathers and eyes are so highly prized that it was at one time in danger of being hunted to extinction by wizards. The danger was recognised in time and the species protected, the most notable factor being the substitution of the Golden Snitch for the Snidget in the game of Quidditch.¹³ Snidget sanctuaries exist worldwide.



The Golden Snidget

Height of average adult	Smaller than 1' ^[1]
Mortality	Mortal ^[1]
Distinction	• 360° rotation wings^[1] • Originally used in Quidditch^[2]

Niffler

The Niffler is a British beast. Fluffy, black and long-snouted, this burrowing creature has a predilection for anything glittery. Nifflers are often kept by goblins to burrow deep into the earth for treasure. Though the Niffler is gentle and even affectionate, it can be destructive to belongings and should never be kept in a house. Nifflers live in lairs up to twenty feet below the surface and produce six to eight young in a litter.

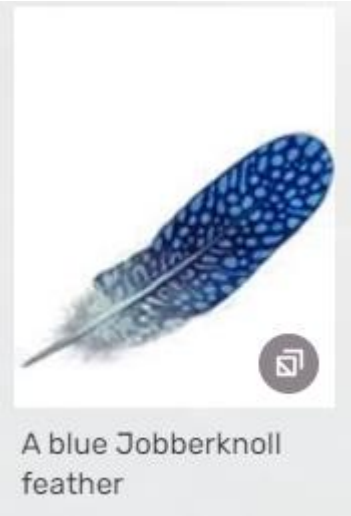
Nifflers had a pouch on their bellies. They were gentle by nature and they could be affectionate towards their owners.

Species information	
Hair colour	• Black^[1] • Brown^[2] • Teal^[2]
Native to	Great Britain ^[1]
Mortality	Mortal
Distinction	• Rodent-like • Long snout^[1] • Attracted to shiny objects and metals^[1] • Skilled at hunting for treasure • Can wreck indoor environments^[3]

Students at [Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry](#) learnt about Nifflers in [Care of Magical Creatures](#) class,^{[4][5]} an elective that could be chosen in the [third year](#) of their education.

Jobberknoll

The Jobberknoll (northern Europe and America) is a tiny blue, speckled bird which eats small insects. It makes no sound until the moment of its death, at which point it lets out a long scream made up of every sound it has ever heard, regurgitated backwards. Jobberknoll feathers are used in Truth Serums and Memory Potions. *Insect based diet.*



Species information	
Eye colour	Black ^[1]
Feather colour	Speckled blue ^[1]
Related to	Bird ^[1]
Native to	- Northern Europe^[1] - North America^[1]