

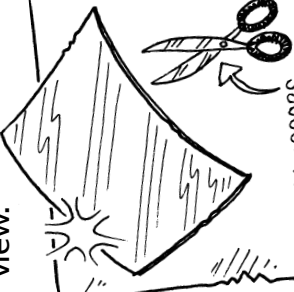
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# SEE LIKE A RABBIT!

- Try Dr Will D. Beest's experiment on a rabbit's-eye view.

**WHAT I NEEDED:**  
A PIECE OF METALLIC SHINY CARD FROM AN ART SHOP. (IF I HADN'T FOUND THE SHINY CARD, I WOULD HAVE CUT ORDINARY CARD TO SIZE AND USED STICKY TAPE TO STICK AND "USED STICKY TAPE TO STICK KITCHEN FOIL OVER IT.)

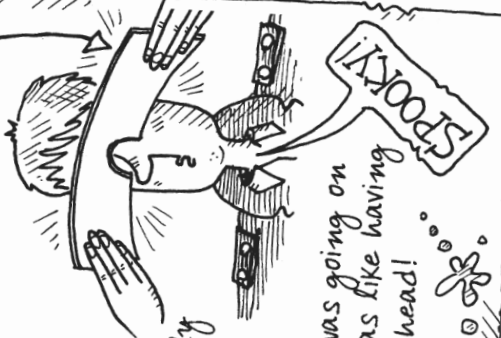


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**WHAT I DID:**

- 1 I cut a piece of shiny card 30 cm (12 inches) long by 9 cm (3.5 inches) high.
- 2 Then I cut a nose shape as shown.
- 3 Finally I placed the card over my nose and with the shiny surface facing my eyes. I bent the ends slightly away from my face.

**RESULT:**  
Wow - I could see what was going on to each side of me. It was like having eyes on the sides of my head!



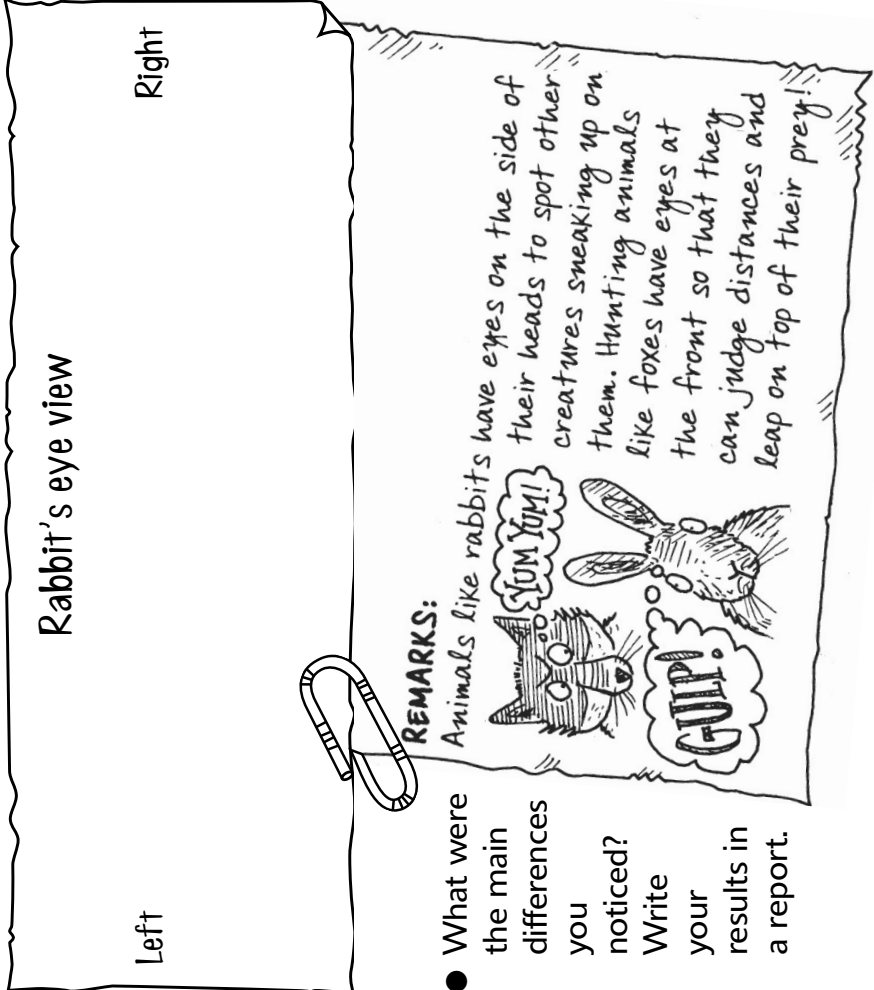
SHINY SIDE FACING ME

- What differences do you think you will notice between seeing like a rabbit and seeing normally?

- What did you see?

Rabbit's eye view

Left Right



**REMARKS:**  
Animals like rabbits have eyes on the side of their heads to spot other creatures sneaking up on them. Hunting animals like foxes have eyes at the front so that they can judge distances and leap on top of their prey!

- What were the main differences you noticed?  
Write your results in a report.