

## **Animal Jig**

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There are animals hairy,  
And some that are scary,  
And some have scales,  
Or curly tails,  
Or cute little noses or big, long trunks.  
Some that smell good – or stink like skunks.

But they're animals, they're animals,  
Never mind the why and wherefore.  
They're animals, they're animals,  
And they're here for us to care for.

There are animals tall,  
And animals small,  
And some shed their skin,  
Or have shells to crawl in.  
Some of them wiggle and some of them squirm,  
Some fly in the air or dig down like a worm.

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And they're here for us to care for.

There are animal pets,  
And animal vets,  
And some live with you,  
And some in the zoo.  
Some live in a cave or swim in the sea.  
The ones in the jungle are braver than me.

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