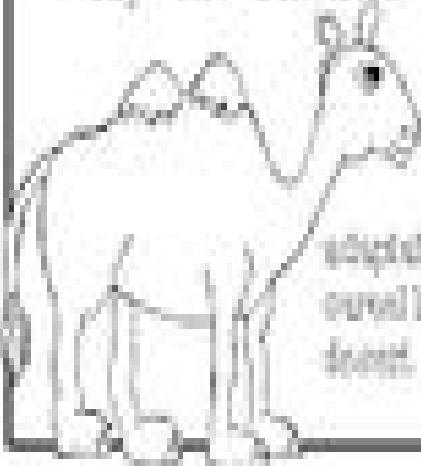


The Camel

Camelus dromedarius

All animals have adaptations that help them live in their habitats. Camels are desert animals that live in Africa and Asia. To protect its eyes from sand, the camel has two rows of eyelashes. Camels can also close their nose (or nostrils) to keep the sand out in order to go weeks without food or water. They store fat and water in their humps. At night, the desert gets very cold, but don't worry - the camel doesn't!



humps that keep them warm. All of these adaptations help the camel live in the desert.

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