



Science Your Way Texts



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WHY DO I LIVE HERE?

By Sarah Wassner Flynn



Where do you think these deer are?
What do you think they are doing?



These deer are walking through a stream in the forest.



Why do deer live in the forest?



Deer need food, water, and shelter to live.
So do you!



Deer eat buds and leaves from trees.



They drink water from the stream.



Trees are shelter for deer.



A **herd**, or group of deer, live together in the forest.



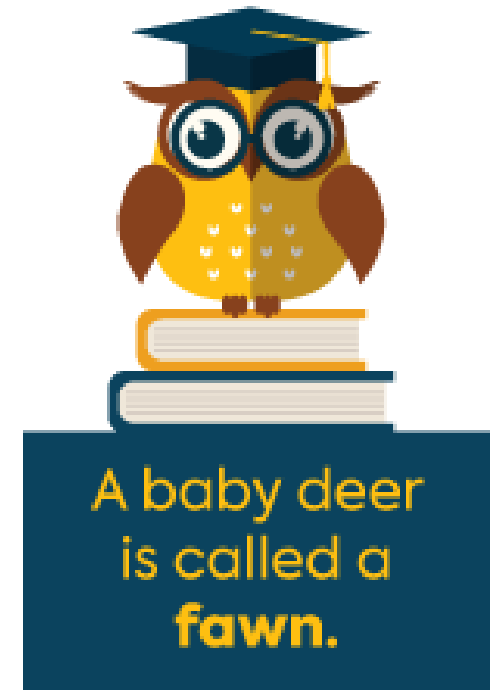
The trees help them stay safe. Trees hide deer from predators.
Predators are animals that may want to eat the deer.



Your house is your shelter. It keeps you and
your family safe and warm.



Did You Know?



The forest has what the deer need to live.



Is this a good place for deer to live?



It would be hard for deer to live in the desert.
There are no trees for shelter and food.



A forest is the perfect habitat for deer.



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