Look Up Special Synonyms:

**Special synonyms** are words that are similar in meaning to the **headword**, but can only be used in special cases.

Complete each sentence by finding a **special synonym** which fits.

1. Look up the words in brackets in the *Oxford Primary Thesaurus* to help you.
   
   Example: Vanessa writes books. She is an **author**: *(book)*

   a) Dr Morse studies fossils. She is a _____________________________. *(fossil)*
   b) Amanda designs buildings. She is an _____________________________. *(building)*
   c) Mr Fowler studies birds. He is an _____________________________. *(bird)*
   d) Clive enjoys exploring caves. He is a _____________________________. *(cave)*
   e) Hazel forecasts the weather. She is a _____________________________. *(weather)*

2. Look up the entry for **animal** in the *Oxford Primary Thesaurus* to help you.
   
   Example: A badger lives in a **sett**.

   a) Lions eat meat. They are _____________________________.
   b) Giraffes eat plants. They are _____________________________.
   c) Badgers are ____________________________ animals. They are active at night.
   d) Bears are ____________________________ animals. They sleep most of the winter.
   e) A horse *neighs* or *whinnies*, but a donkey _____________________________.

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