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2. Answer the questions.

Example: What can ravens recognize? **Ravens can recognize our faces.**

- a. What can ravens use? _____
- b. What can pigeons deliver? _____
- c. What can rats find in mazes? _____
- d. What can parrots learn? _____
- e. What can parrots recognize? _____

3. What can these animals do? Match the verb with the animal. Then write sentences.

ravens		pigeons		pigs	rats	parrots	
smile	use	swim	make	recognize	learn	sing	
deliver	understand		deliver	plan	jump	speak	

- a. **Ravens can plan the future, recognize faces,** _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____
- e. _____

4. Write 3 sentences about you.

- 1 I can _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____

SOLUTIONS

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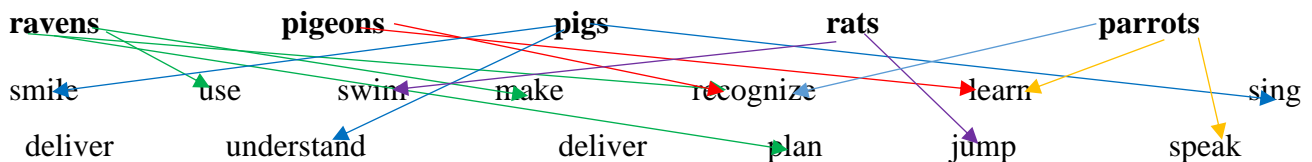
Rats like to **live** in groups. They **have** good memory. Some rats can **jump** 77cm high. Ravens **look** scary. They can **plan** what to do in the future. Pigs **use** about 20 different sounds to communicate. They can understand some human words. Parrots can learn to **speak** like people. Pigeons can **deliver** messages.

2. Answer the questions.

Example: What can ravens recognize? **Ravens can recognize our faces.**

- a. What can ravens use? **Ravens can use tools.**
- b. What can pigeons deliver? **Pigeons can deliver messages.**
- c. What can rats find in mazes? **Rats can find their way in mazes.**
- d. What can parrots learn? **Parrots can learn hundreds of words / to speak like people.**
- e. What can parrots recognize? **Parrots can recognize shapes.**

3. What can these animals do? Match the verb with the animal. Then write sentences.



- a. **Ravens can plan the future, recognize faces, and they can make and use tools.**
- b. **Pigeons can learn all 26 letters of the English alphabet. Pigeons can deliver messages.**
- c. **Mother pigs can sing to their children. Pigs can understand some words and they can smile.**
- d. **Rats can jump 77cm high and they can swim.**
- e. **Parrots can learn to speak like people, learn hundreds of words. They can also recognize shapes.**

4. Write 3 sentences about you. **Possible answers.**

- 1 **I can run.**
- 2 **I can play the guitar.**
- 3 **I can cook.**