Mrs Fox's Creepy Box Part 2 - getting around

Let's start with a pheasant.

They use their wings to fly.





This end of the wing shows the strong feathers that use the wind currents to hold the bird up.

This end shows the smaller fluffy feathers to keep the bird warm.



Here are the pheasant's feet.



Look at the sharp claws.

What do you think they are for?



These are rather odd. They are the hooves of a sheep.

They are a rather strange shape aren't they?





This is a slow worm.

A silly name as it is not a worm and it is not slow!! It is actually a type of lizard that has evolved without legs.



Here is a close up of the beautiful scales:



How do worms and snakes move if they don't have legs?

Each section of their body has muscles that expand (get bigger) and contract (get smaller) so they can wriggle along.



This skin came from a python. They shed skin like we lose hair.

