

# Create a Database

Using the information from your scientific observations and research, create a plant or animal database with five fields of your choice. Include ten records. You might need to survey classmates to get your ten records.

Remember, that a *record* is an individual account of a person, place, or thing.

A *field* gives specific information about the person, place, or thing.

Example: I want to create an animal database.

For my fields I want to include the following:

1. The animal **name**
2. The **location** where it was seen
3. What the animal was doing (its **behavior**)
4. The **date** it was seen
5. The **time** it was spotted

My first record might look like this.

	<b>Animal</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Behavior</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>
1.	Deer	Meadow	Running	5/9/01	9 a.m.
2.					
3.					
4.					
5.					
6.					
7.					
8.					
9.					
10.					

Design a plant database. What fields would you include?

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1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				