



# Tom's ZOO



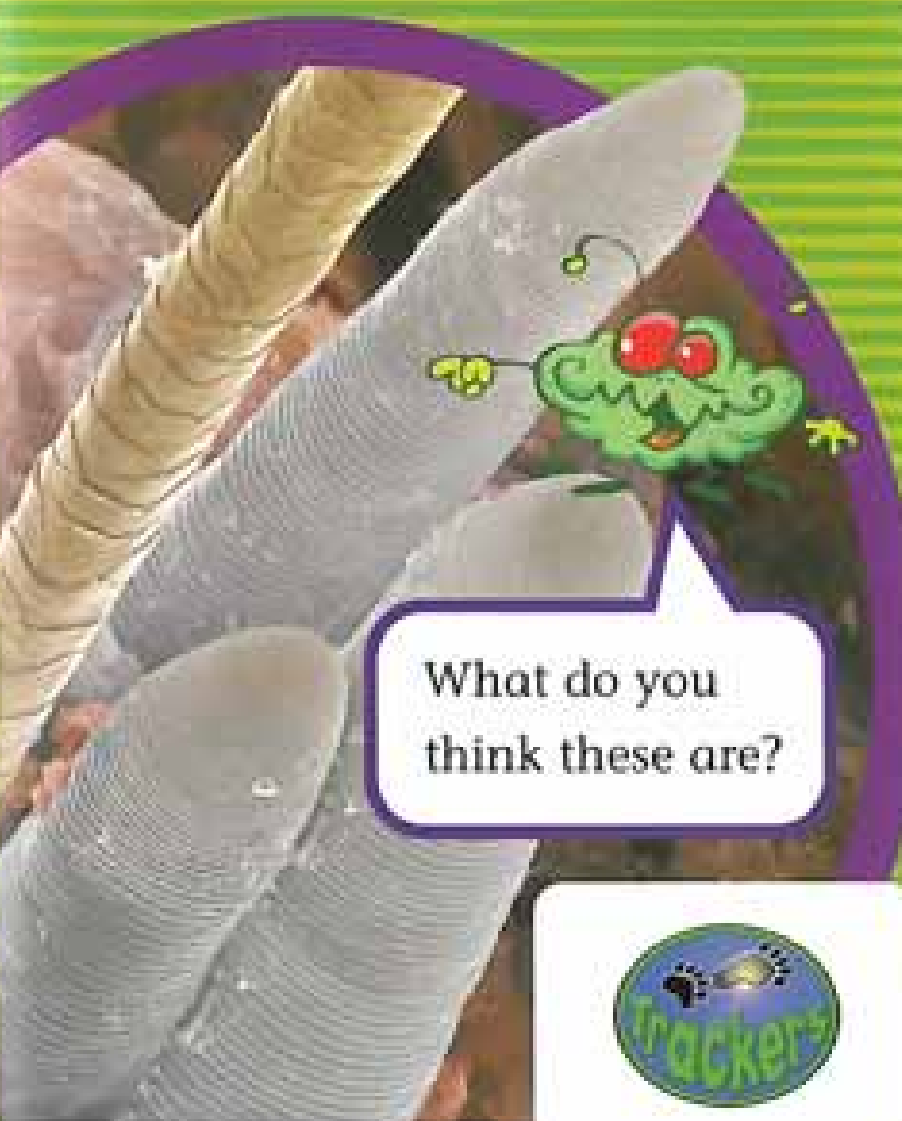
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## KEY

Where you see words in a panel shaped like this, try to read them on your own.

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What do you  
think these are?



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# Introduction

They're bugs!



skin

eyelash

eyelash  
mite's tail



closeup: an eyelash hole



Tom

Tom has bugs on his eyelashes, but he is not sick.



The bugs eat his dead skin, so they are good things to have.

The bugs go down into the hole the eyelash comes out of. That's why you only see the tails.

**Definition**

**mite** – a small eight-legged animal

We all have bugs on our eyelashes. They keep our skin clean.

Yum yum.  
I love dead skin!

These are not the only bugs at Tom's Zoo...

