

Marshall M. Fredericks Sculpture Museum Mini Lesson Plan

Fourth Grade

Otter, Grouse, Hawk and Rabbit plaster models in the Museum (4 photos on left) and bronze *Leaping Gazelle* with the four animals on Belle Isle, Detroit, MI (right).



Marshall Fredericks sculpted these four animals to surround *Leaping Gazelle* which is on Belle Isle in Detroit, Michigan. He won a National Award Competition to design these animals and the Gazelle, which is called the Levi L. Barbour Memorial.

Can you answer these questions about these four sculptures below?

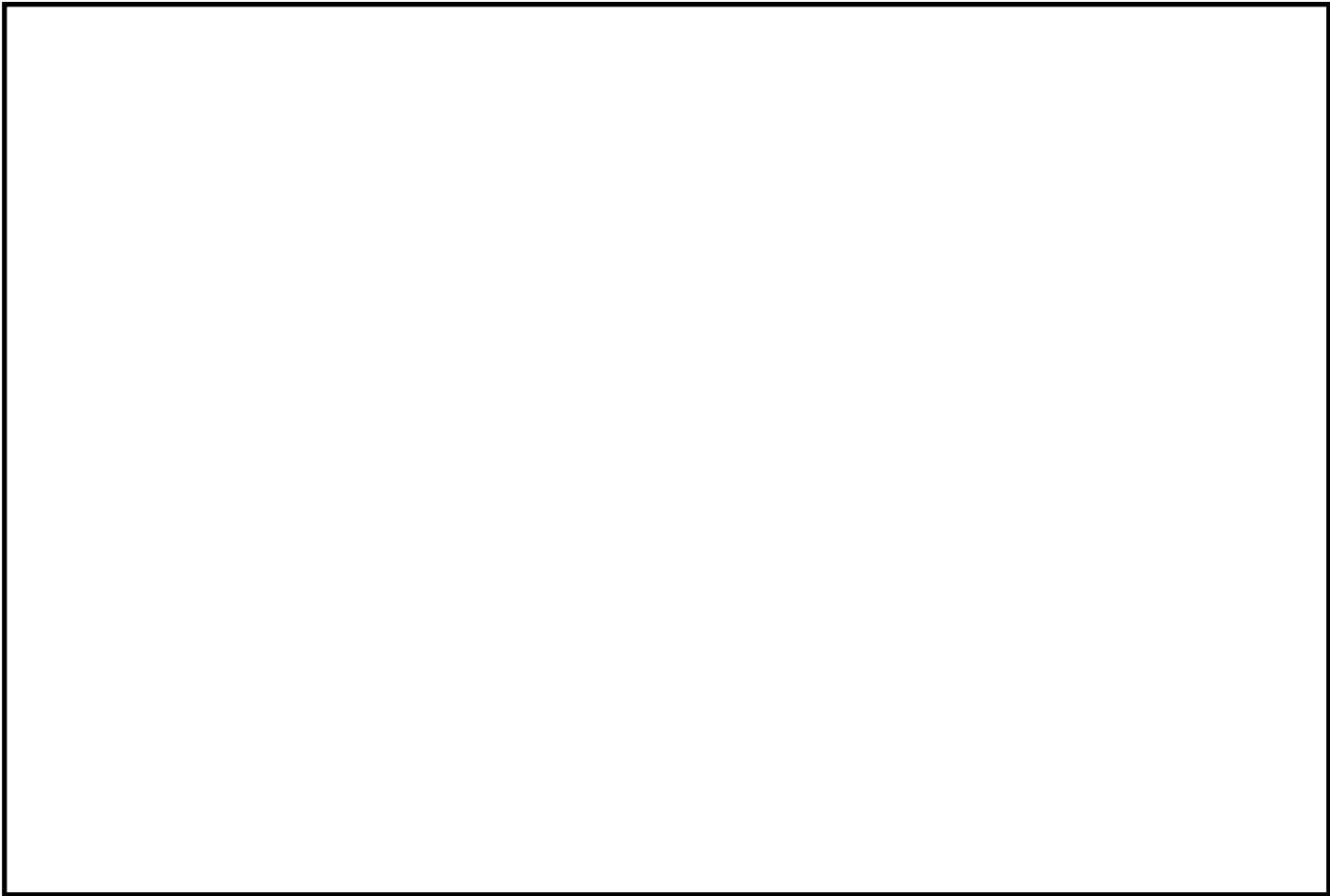
Can you name these four animals?

Two of them are predators, which ones?

What do these two predators eat?

What do these non-predators eat?

Make your own drawing of the *Otter*, *Grouse*, *Hawk* and *Rabbit*.



Curriculum Connections

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Visual Art-Creating

1. Brainstorm multiple approaches to a problem for artmaking.

Visual Art-Responding

6. Analyze the roles that artists and designers play in our response to the natural or constructed world.