

Video #007:	Can Cuttlefish camouflage in a living room? - Richard Hammond's Miracles of Nature - BBC One		
Link:	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pgDE2DOICuc&t=1s		
Level:	3th / 4th ESO	Variety:	British

Student name: _____ Group: _____ Date: _____

Objectives:

- vocabulary related to animals
- vocabulary related to camouflage

BEFORE (5') Activity 1. Match these words with their pronunciations and definitions:

1	beginnings		a	/chálényin/		1	comienzo(s)
2	underneath		b	/spí:shis/		2	tablero de cuadros
3	camouflage		c	/biguínins/		3	camouflarse/camuflaje
4	challenging		d	/cámouflá:sh/		4	desafiante
5	checkerboard		e	/chékerbó:rd/		5	especie
6	lights		f	/sí:wí:d/		6	algas
7	seaweed		g	/shéip/		7	por debajo
8	shape		h	/anderní:z/		8	alrededores
9	species		i	/suráundins/		9	luces
10	surroundings		j	/láits/		10	forma

LISTENING (10') Activity 2. Complete with one of the previous words:

1. The cuttlefish has taken camouflage to the next level.
2. They can change their colour, shape and texture to blend in with the background.
3. All these cuttlefish are exactly the same species they're simply changing their appearance.
4. You must applaud the cuttlefish for its amazing ability to blend in to its surroundings.
5. It's one thing to camouflage itself against seaweed sand, pebbles, stuff like that.
6. I want to see how the cuttlefish tackles something a bit more challenging.
7. Let's get our cuttlefish settled in and dim down the lights.
8. And he's gone straight for the big one: the checkerboard flooring.
9. There's definetely the beginnings of a checkerboard there.
10. He's not camouflaged with what he can see in front of him: he's camouflaged with what's underneath him.

AFTER (5') Activity 3. Answer this question (be honest). Then ask one of your mates. And so on.

“Did you really think the cuttlefish was going to camouflage with a chess board?” → I did. / I didn't.