# **Biology Stretch and Challenge**

# PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION



Capturing movement is the theme of this year's Royal Society of Biology Photography competition. The closing date is the 26<sup>th</sup> July and there is a £500 prize for the winner of Young Photographer of the Year (under 18).

## **BIG BUTTERFLY COUNT**



From the 19<sup>th</sup> July to the 11<sup>th</sup> August you can take part in the big butterfly count. Download a butterfly chart and then spend 15 minutes recording the butterflies and moths you see.

### DIPPY ON TOUR



Dippy the Diplodocus is at the Great North Museum for the whole of the Summer. First unveiled to the public in 1905, Dippy is 21.3 metres long, 4.3 metres high and 4.25 metres high!

### **PODCAST**



Each episode of this podcast tells the story of a technological or scientific breakthrough which has come about as a result of humans learning from animals. In episode one, we find out how the designers of the bullet train took inspiration from the kingfisher.

### **OSPREY WATCH**



See the Osprey nests at Kielder through a live camera feed and using high powered telescopes.