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Creature Creation Kit:

Spindleheart: Trail of Shadow and Spool Book Activity

Directions: Throughout the book **Spindleheart: Trail of Shadow and Spool** we come across a vast array of plant, animal, and insect species that seem to resemble our own. They all have their own quirky traits and adaptations that help them survive in such a wild and strange world.

Well now dear reader, it's time you to create a unique species of your own in **6 steps**.

Step 1: creature Name:

Name your creature on the line below. It can be anything you want. Like a bellowing dragon shark, or a viper-o-griff, or a flying boar. Need time to think? No worries, just skip this step and come back when your done.

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Step2: Habitat/Biome:

Like animals, creatures tend to live in environments they're comfortable in, and have a good chance surviving in. Does your creature prefer high forest treetops where they can hide from dangerous predators, and store their food in tree trunks, sort of like squirrels. Or maybe your creature prefers somewhere near water to hunt fish or swim. **Where does your creature live? Why?**

Step 3: Adaptations:

Adaptations are basically special traits that allow animals and creatures alike to survive in their home. Sort of like how California condors have a long wings for gliding long distances, or how Sea otters have webbed feet to help them swim thorough rough river currents. **What's your creature's adaptation? How does it help them survive?**

