

Herps Comparison Chart Answer Key

Does specimen have:	Long, slender form	No legs	Scales	Broad belly scales	No external ear	Relatively short tail	Notes and Identification
Herpetology R-176877 <i>Thamnophis sirtalis</i>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Snake Round eye
Herpetology R-45784 <i>Amphisbaena fuliginosa</i>	Yes	Yes	Yes-arranged in rings called <i>annuli</i>	No	Yes	Yes	Amphisbaenian- "Worm lizard"
Herpetology A-19972 <i>Chthonerpeton perisodus</i>	Yes	Yes	No. Has rings around body <i>annuli</i>	No	Yes	Yes	Caecilian- an amphibian
Herpetology R-166600 <i>Lampropeltis triangulum</i>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Snake
Herpetology R-175743 <i>Ophisaurus attenuatus</i>	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No- has ear opening	No. Tail is about half of body length	Glass lizard Almond-shaped eye
Herpetology R-145394 <i>Bipes biporus</i>	Yes	No- has small front legs	Yes-arranged in rings called <i>annuli</i>	No	Yes	Yes	Amphisbaenian- "Mole lizard"