

ALLIGATORS VS CROCODILES

ALLIGATOR

- Dark gray or black color
- When mouth is closed, only the top teeth are visible
- Has a wide head and wide "U" shaped snout
- Has sensor pits only on head
- Lays about 45 eggs
- Builds nest above ground
- Lives in North America and eastern China

CROCODILE

- Tan or greenish gray skin
- When mouth is closed, both the top and bottom teeth are visible
- Has a narrow head and a long snout.
- Has sensor pits all over body
- Lays about 50 eggs
- Builds nest under ground
- Lives in North America, Africa, Asia and Australia

• Belong to the Reptilia animal class

- Carnivores
- Have about 60 teeth
- Cold-blooded
- Never stop growing, but growing slows down as they get older
- Can stay underwater for up to 2 hours
- Can swim up to 6 miles an hour
- Nocturnal