## A Tower of Giraffes

## **ANIMALS IN GROUPS**

## A RIF VOCABULARY SCAFFOLD

**ballerina:** a person who is a ballet dancer



**bold:** not afraid of danger or hard situations



**bush:** a large area of land that has not been cleared of trees and plants and that is not used for farming



**colony:** a group of animals living or growing in one place



companion: a person or animal you spend time with or enjoy being with



**newcomer:** a person or animal who has recently arrived somewhere







oases: areas in the desert where there are water and plants



**shy:** to avoid something because you're nervous, scared, or afraid



**springs:** sources of water coming up from the ground



