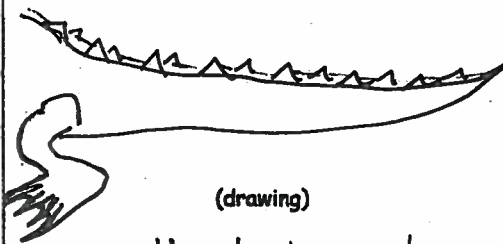


# Structural Adaptations

of the Alligator

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What does it do with a tail like this...?



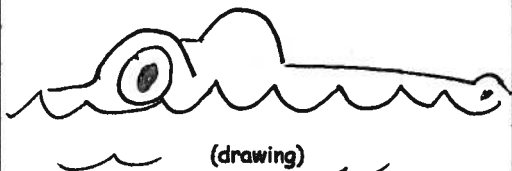
(drawing)

The alligator has a long armoured tail.

This type of tail helps the animal survive more easily because... it helps

the alligator to steer under water when it swims. It can also hit its prey with its armoured tail to stun the animal it is attacking.

What does it do with eyes like this...?



(drawing)

Its eyes are raised up high on its head.

This/these type of eyes helps the animal survive more easily because... they stick out

above the surface of the water while the rest of the alligator's body is hidden underwater, so it can sneak up on its prey.