

Fly by Night

As the sun goes down, some kinds of animals are just waking up.

Bats are one kind of animal that flies at night.

At night you might see moths and fireflies too.

But bats do not light up like a firefly. They try to stay out of sight.

When the sunlight fades, many bats fly out into the sky to find bugs for dinner.

You might even see a shy little bat in the twilight. They do not use sight to find dinner.
Why?

They cry out into the night and when the cry comes back to the bat, there is nowhere for a bug to hide.

For some people the sight of a bat can be a fright, but bats are alright!