Learn about the ARMADILLO, the state mammal of Texas, by matching phrases from the Armadillo Fast Facts Key with the blanks on this sheet.

Did you know?
✓ Armadillos like warmer climates
✓ They can sleep for sixteen hours a day
✓ The first traces of what could become an Armadillo were seen over fifty million years ago

Armadillo is Spanish for ____________________________

Armadillo Fast Facts Key
  - Snout to find favorite foods like eggs, insects, and fruit
  - Leathery shell to protect the body
  - Feet and legs to dig a hole for hiding or jumping up to six feet in the air
  - Little Armored One
  - Hairy underbelly to help navigate their environment

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WHAT WAS ARMADILLO WORLD HEADQUARTERS?

Armadillo World Headquarters was a concert hall in Austin, Texas, that opened in 1970 in a redesigned National Guard armory building. The owners chose the armadillo to represent their club due to the animal’s perseverance and peaceful nature. The artists and fans of Armadillo World Headquarters were strong and determined—like its namesake animal—to make and listen to the music they loved.

These artists played at the Armadillo between 1970 and 1980. Look for artifacts from these artists as you walk through the galleries. Write down the object you found or a fact you learned about each of them.

Ray Charles
Charlie Daniels Band
Emmylou Harris
Waylon Jennings
Willie Nelson
The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band
John Prine
Earl Scruggs

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