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## Canine Compare

**Directions:** Read the passage below about wolves and dogs. Think about how they are **similar** and how they are **different**. Fill in the Venn diagram:

- Write things that are true only for wolves on the left.
- Write things that are true only for dogs on the right.
- Write things they share in the middle.

### Wolves and Dogs

Wolves and dogs are closely related animals, but they live very different lives. Wolves live in the wild and often travel in packs to hunt for food. They must rely on their instincts to survive and usually avoid people. Dogs, however, are domesticated animals that often live with families. They depend on humans for food, care, and shelter.

Even with these differences, wolves and dogs share some traits. Both are members of the canine family and have sharp teeth for eating meat. They also communicate by barking, growling, or howling. In fact, many breeds of dogs still look very similar to wolves.

