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Chant Title and Author: I'm an Animal by Eva Thaddeus

I'm an animal. I have needs.
You're an animal. You have needs.
We need to eat, we need to drink.
We need protection from the heat.
We need protection from the cold.
We need to breathe the air, I know.
And people need each other too.
You need me and I need you.

I'm an animal. I have needs.
A cat's an animal. It has needs.
It needs to eat, it needs to drink.
It needs protection from the heat.
It needs protection from the cold.
It needs to breathe the air, I know.
Do cats need other cats in life?
I wonder if perhaps they might.

All animals have things they need. Dogs, cats, lizards, also me – We need to eat, we need to drink. We need protection from the heat. We need protection from the cold. We need to breathe the air, I know. Some need each other to survive. Meeting our needs keeps us alive.