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	Expository Checklist
☐ Paragraph #1 Into ☐ Paragraph # 2 An ☐ Paragraph #3 Clos	imal's structures and how they function to help it survive (2+)

Elephant

Did you know elephants are one of the strongest animals alive today? Elephants have unique structures that help them be strong.

Elephants' tusks are long and sharp and it also helps them dig for food and water. These tusks help them defend themselves from predators and to lift heavy objects. The text said elephant's trunk is very sensitive and it also helps it to feed itself. The elephant trunk lifts up to 350 kilograms and it is very flexible. Elephant's teeth grow up to 30 cm and weigh 5 kg. Elephants' teeth help Chew their food. Elephant's ears help them keep their body temperature cool. Without these structures it will be hard for the elephant to survive in the wild.

This is how elephants are one of the strongest animals alive today. As you can see clearly this animal is really unique.