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4. Love your Locals

Below are some discussion points and questions about the video!

Critter Q&A

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CAN YOU NAME FIVE ANIMALS THAT ARE NATIVE TO OUR COUNTRY?

WHAT ANIMALS HAVE YOU SEEN IN YOUR GARDEN, PLAYGROUND OR PARK?

HEDGEHOG POPULATIONS ARE DECREASING! GIVE TWO REASONS WHY THIS IS HAPPENING?

HOW CAN WE HELP HEDGEHOGS IN OUR OWN GARDENS?

HOW MANY BARN OWLS ARE LEFT IN OUR COUNTRY?

WHY ARE RED SQUIRRELS IN TROUBLE?

WHICH ANIMAL THAT LIVES IN OUR COUNTRY IS YOUR FAVOURITE? HOW CAN WE LOVE OUR LOCAL ANIMALS?

Puzzle time

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CAN YOU FIND THE WORDS HIDDEN IN THE GRID?

H	L	A	E	S	y	E	R	G	V
F	E	R	A	F	O	X	G	A	O
I	R	D	K	D	L	B	F	R	T
S	R	S	G	F	G	A	N	D	T
B	I	F	W	E	T	R	U	E	E
A	U	O	L	V	H	N	H	N	R
D	Q	O	C	I	S	O	T	T	E
G	S	X	E	T	D	W	G	O	Q
E	W	Z	A	A	I	L	M	I	F
R	A	B	K	N	I	F	F	U	P

native
badger
squirrel
hedgehog
fox
barn owl
otter
puffin
grey seal
garden
Bats

Unscramble the letters

CALLSO

DANGER

LOW

Draw a picture of your favourite animal from our country and complete the fact file.

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Name of your animal

_____

Where does your animal live?

_____

What does your animal eat?

_____

What threats are facing your animal?

_____

_____

_____

_____

Draw a picture

Write down 5 facts about your animal!

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Explore your garden or playgroud to see what bugs your can spot!

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Bug Hunt

- [ ] FLY

- [ ] BUTTERFLY

- [ ] LADYBIRD

- [ ] BEE

- [ ] DADDY LONG LEGS

- [ ] SPIDER

- [ ] CENTIPEDE

- [ ] ANT

- [ ] EARWIG

- [ ] WORM

- [ ] WOODLOUSE

- [ ] SNAIL

- [ ] SLUG

Bug Hunt

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DRAW THE INSECTS THAT YOU FOUND ON THE BUG HUNT!

Help the hedgehog to find its way to the hedgehog house to hibernate for winter!

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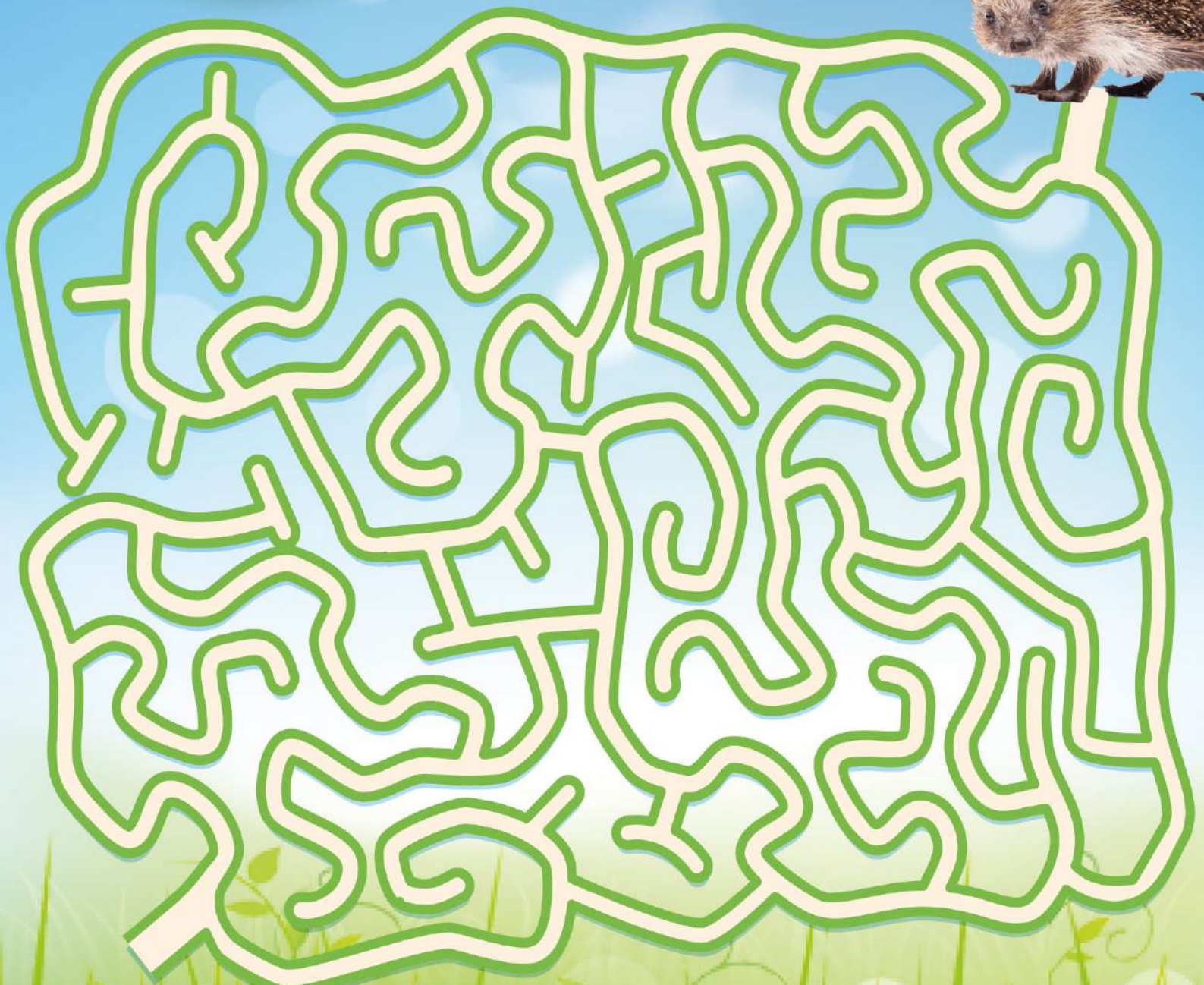

Follow these simple steps to make your very own prickly pal

Critter craft

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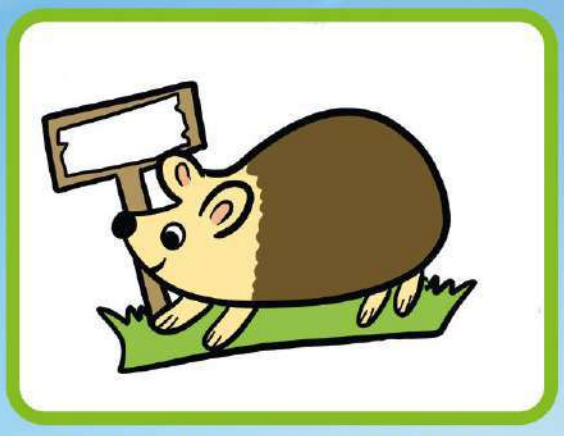
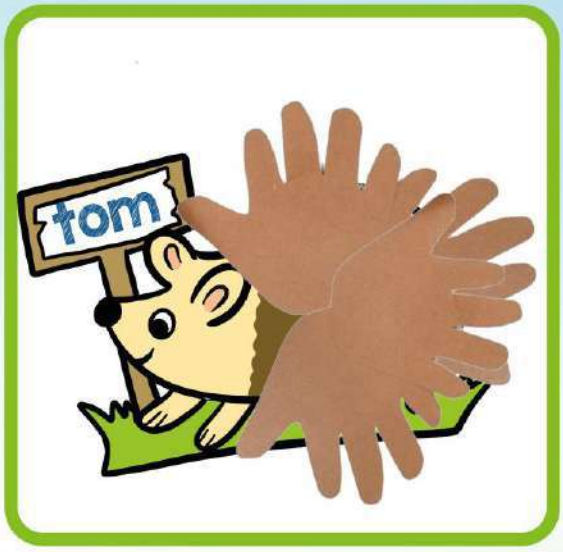


Print the template included, for each pupil in your classroom.

Pupils can cut out their hedgehog template with scissors.

Pupils should draw around their hands two or three times on brown card (or you can do painted hand- prints).



Pupils can cut out their handprints and glue them onto the hedgehog template to make spikes. Each child can write their name on the sign!

Use the hedgehogs for an amazing display in your classroom or the pupils can take them home!

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Love your locals

Colour in the animals that live in our wee country!

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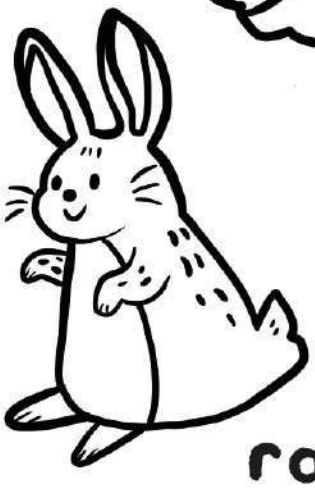
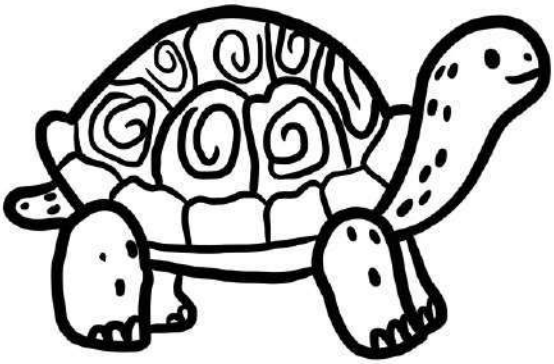
red squirrel

bee

red panda



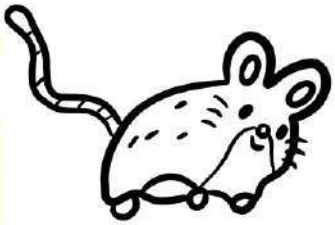
rabbit

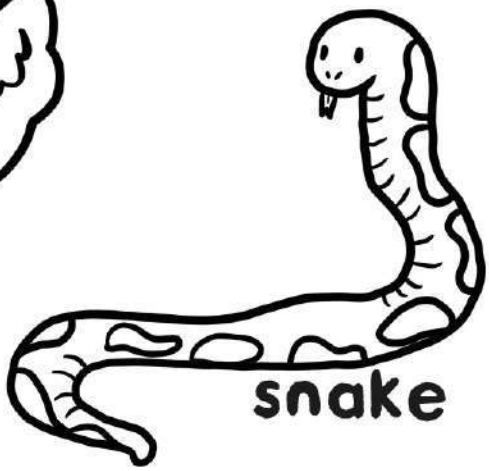


tortoise

owl

mouse





snake

Follow these simple steps to make your very own feathered friends

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You will need 3 large cupcake cases (the same colour) and one small bun case. You will also need white paper, scissors, glue, dark card and a yellow, orange and brown colouring pencil/pen

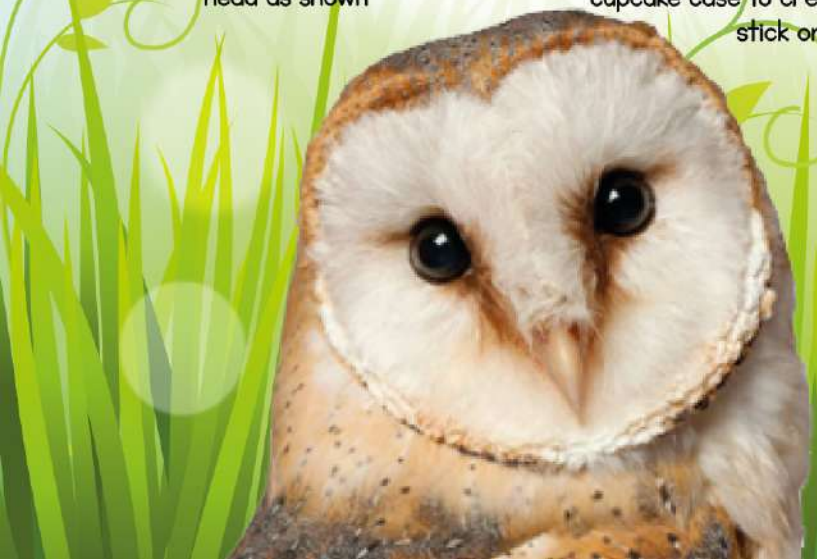
Cut a small semi-circle out of a large cupcake case, as shown. This will be your owl's head.

Cut a branch shape onto your white paper, colour it in brown and cut it out.

Get your piece of card and stick your branch, a cupcake case and your owl's head as shown

Stick the small case to the centre of your owl's body. Cut the other cupcake case to create wings and stick on.

Draw and colour in a moon, eyes and beak and stick them onto your artwork!



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Explore your garden or playground and see what birds you can spot!

Bird Watching

ROBIN

SPARROW

BLUE TIT

CHAFFINCH

WREN

COLLARED DOVE

STARLING

BLACKBIRD

MAGPIE

Paper plate pals

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Interactive Animal Education

Grab some paper plates and make some of our local animals!

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EXPLORER PASSPORT

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED THE 'LOVE YOUR LOCALS' SECTION OF OUR WEE WAYS TO CHANGE THE WORLD JOURNEY! MAKE SURE YOU CUT OUT YOUR PASSPORT STAMP AND STICK IT ONTO YOUR EXPLORER PASSPORT.

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A Wild Time Awaits...

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