

All About... The Fox

Foxes are members of the dog family. They are quite small animals and are just slightly bigger than most cats. Foxes live all over the UK.

Amazing Facts

- Foxes have pointy ears and have great hearing.
- Foxes can run really fast.
- Foxes sometimes catch mice just to play with them.



What do foxes eat?

- Foxes eat small animals such as birds and mice.
- They eat berries and fruit.
- Foxes eat vegetables and seeds.



Did you know?

Foxes are nocturnal. This means they move around and eat at night but sometimes they can be seen during the day. They like to sunbathe.

Where do they live?

- Foxes live in dens.
- They dig down into the earth to make their den.
- Most foxes choose to live in the countryside but some live in towns and cities.



Questions

1. Foxes are only a little bigger than what animal?

2. What do foxes like to do during the day?

3. What two things do foxes do with mice?

4. What is a fox's home called?

5. Name two things that a fox might eat.

6. How do foxes make their dens?

7. What does nocturnal mean?

8. Why do you think most foxes choose to live in the countryside?
