

Animal Homes

name: _____

Chickadee

When does a chickadee use its nest? _____

Crow

Describe a crow's nest : Height in Tree _____

Nest is made of: _____

Location in the tree _____

Woodpecker

What important role do woodpeckers play in the forest? _____

What special adaptation do woodpeckers have to drill and chip away tree bark?

Raccoon

Describe the hole of the raccoon and its height above the ground: _____

What does the raccoon den use its den for? _____

Squirrel

What are two types of homes that squirrels will use? _____

Describe a "dray": _____

Deer Mouse

Where do deer mice nest? _____

Hornet

When can hornet nests be safely removed from a tree? _____

What is the nest made of? _____

What is inside of a hornet's nest? _____

Where does a queen survive the winter? _____

Goldenrod Gall

What is a goldenrod gall? _____

How is a gall made? _____

What does the larva do after it hatches? _____

What animals eat Goldenrod gall larvae in the winter?

Mouse Runway

What are two reasons why a mouse lives under the snow in the winter?

Chipmunk

How long do chipmunks stay in their burrows? _____

How do chipmunks survive the winter? _____

Groundhog

What are two features that will help identify a groundhog burrow? _____

Fox

Name two situations in which foxes use their dens: _____

Muskrat

How are muskrat huts different from a beaver lodge? _____

How do muskrats survive the winter? _____

When is it more likely for a muskrat to be eaten by a predator?

Beaver

How many beavers can live in a large beaver den? _____

Why is the entrance to the lodge under the water? _____

Deer

What is a deer bed? _____

2. Where are you most likely to find a deer bed in the winter? _____

Rabbit

1. Describe a rabbit nest in the summer: _____

2. What do rabbits do if the weather gets too cold or rainy?
