# **Hugo the Hamster**

Hugo has small feet and short legs. He has small ears and a short tail too. His fur is soft.



Hamsters like to play. They sleep in the day and eat at night.

Hugo loves to eat seeds and fruit.



### How to make your hamster happy:

- 1. Put a wheel in the cage.
- 2. Give your hamster food and water every day.
- 3. Play with your hamster.







soft	(adj.)	柔軟	smooth and gentle to touch
seed	(n.)	種子	a small thing that a plant grows from



'Small' and 'short' are words for little things. We only use short for the *length* of something. Legs and tails can be *short*. Feet and ears are *small*.



This fact sheet is about what hamsters look like. It also tells us how to take care of a pet hamster.



Imagine that Hugo leaves his cage. He goes on an adventure. Where does Hugo go?

Draw Hugo's adventure.

# Learning in Action: Animal Tally

What animals are near your home? Are there more animals near your home than at your school? How can we find out?





Follow the link at the back of this book to learn about counting animals.

#### **Make a tally chart to count animals.** It should look like this example:

Bird		4
Dog	1111	5
Cat	1441	6
Monkey	1	1

Animal

### Tally

Number

## Fun Fact.

When we have five tally marks, we call it a five-bar gate.

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chart	圖表	scientist	科學家