

## Spot the difference

Put a circle around the four differences between the two deer.



# DEER



## Life in the Herd

Deer usually live in groups either in woodland or out in the open. They eat plants and are strong and fast so that they can run away from animals that want to eat them.

Look at the list below and put a cross next to the one which the deer does not have.



Long legs



Big ears



Eyes on the side of the head



Paws



Big, grinding back teeth



## Are you a deer expert?

(Put a circle around the correct answer)

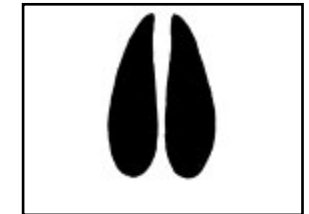
1. What is a group of deer called?

A pack    A herd    A gaggle



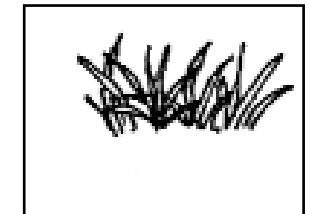
2. What do we call deer feet?

Paws    Hooves    Trotters



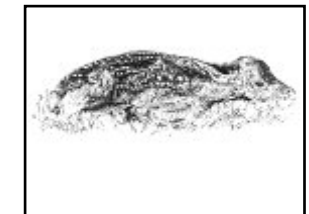
3. What is a deer's favourite food?

Fish    Worms    Grass



4. What are deer babies called?

Fawns    Cubs    Puppies



## Lunchtime!

Can you help the deer decide what to eat for lunch?

Draw arrows to two things that the deer would prefer to eat for lunch.

Fish



Worms



Grass



Berries



Frogs



## Looking at Deer



Deer have bones growing on the top of their head. We call them antlers. They grow in pairs and are mirror images of each other. **Can you draw the other antler?**



A deer hoof print - you might see these in soft mud.



Baby deer are called fawns or calves. They are spotty to help them hide in their habitat. They are camouflaged.



### Deer Poem

Red deer  
 Entering the woodland  
 Darting through the trees  
 Drinking at the waterside  
 Eating leaves and grass  
 Ears pricked  
 Ready to run

Can you complete the following sentence?

Deer are \_\_\_\_\_



### Colour Me in

Can you colour the deer in and name three things that help it to listen for hunters and run fast.

Look for

- Big ears
- Long legs
- Hooves

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