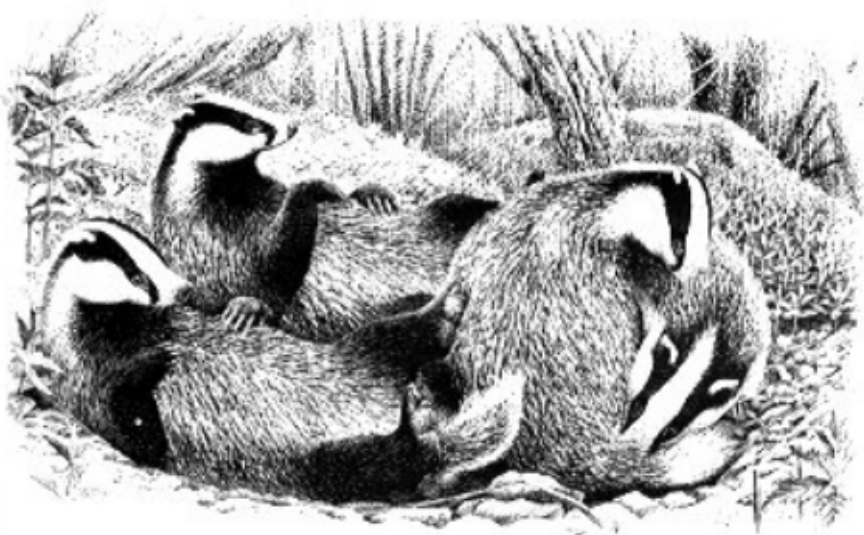


# BADGERS



## Life Underground

Badgers usually live in the woods where they dig holes in the ground to live in and to find food.

**What helps a badger to dig and to live underground?** (Tick the pawprints)



Long, strong claws.



Short legs.



Hooves.



Short, thick neck.



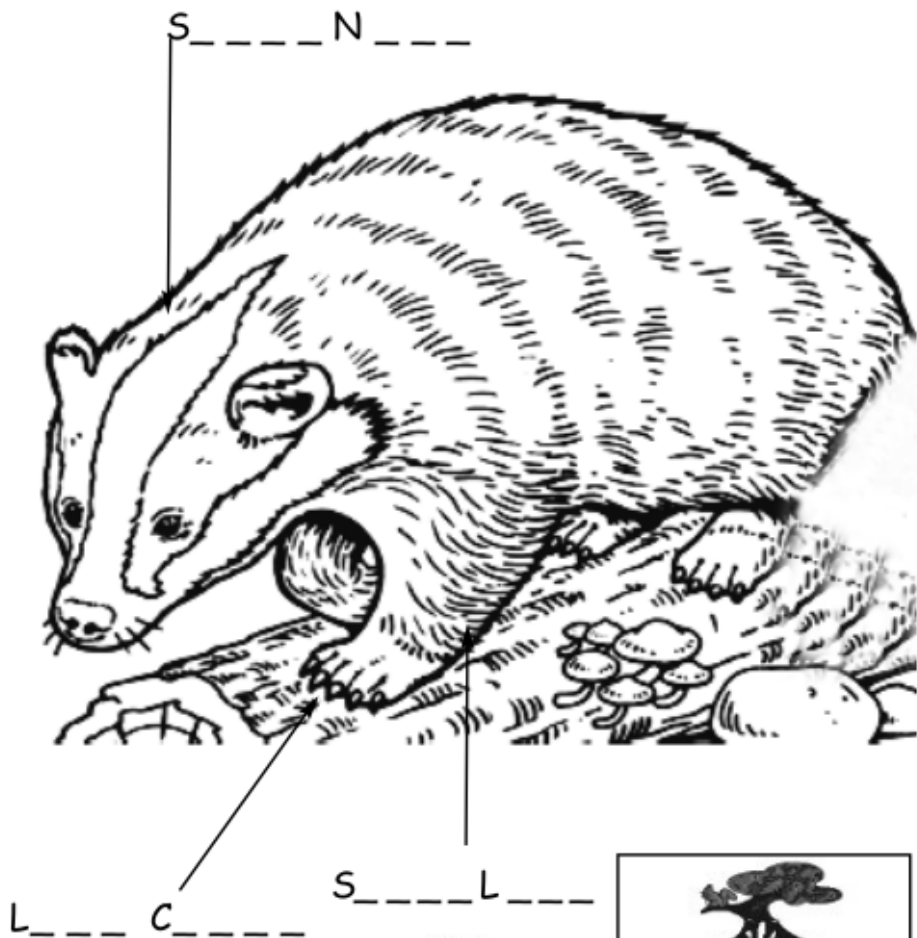
Bristles on its nose.



## Colour Me in

Can you colour the badger in and name three things that help it to dig holes and live underground. Look for

- Long claws
- Short legs
- Short neck



## Lunchtime!

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

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

Fish



Worms



Grass



Insects



Frogs



## Badger Signs

Become a badger detective and look for the signs that badgers leave behind.



This hole might be an entrance to a badger house - we call this a badger sett. Baby badgers would be born in here. We call them cubs.



A badger footprint - you might see these in soft mud.



Badger hair on barbed wire- you might find these where a fence passes over a badger path.



## Badger Poem

**B**adger

**A**mazing sharp claws

**D**igging and digging

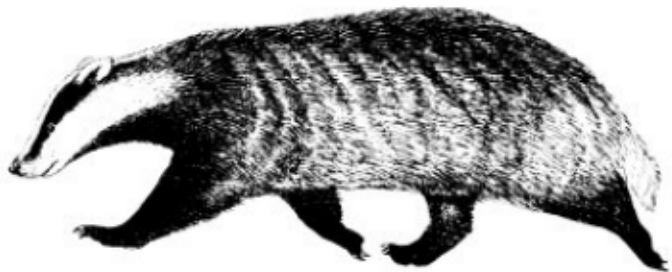
**G**rey, black and white

**E**arthworms slipping as he eats

**R**ustling as he walks

Can you complete the following sentence?

Badgers are \_\_\_\_\_



## Are you a badger expert?

(Put a circle around the correct answer)

1. What is a badger's home called?

A sett

A holt

A den



2. How many toes does a badger have?

Three

Four

Five



3. What is a badger's favourite food?

Fish

Worms

Cakes



4. What are badger babies called?

Cubs

Kits

Puppies



# Dot to Dot

Can you join the dots to find the badger?

