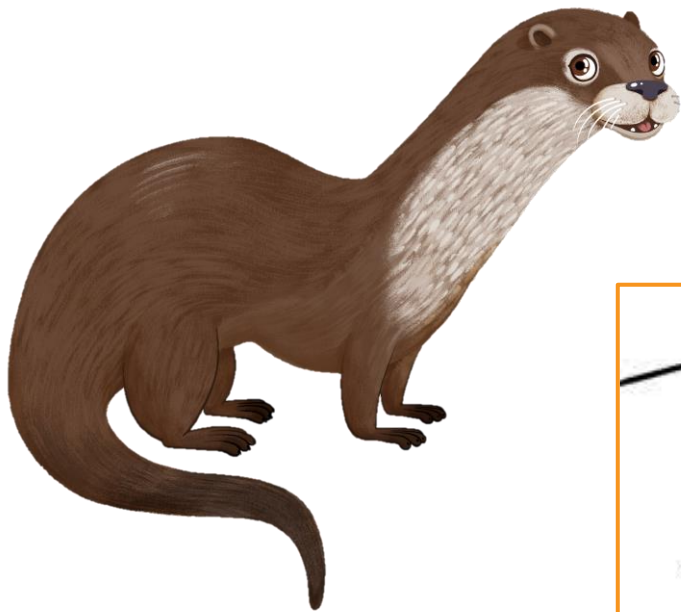


Discover:

Red squirrels

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Hello. I am Brooke the otter. I thought you might like some facts about the red squirrel and a picture to colour. Have fun!

Mile's red squirrel facts

Red squirrel can swim but not as well as me.

Baby red squirrels are called kittens.

Red squirrels do not hibernate, they hide food in the autumn and eat it during the winter.

Hibernate means to sleep for the whole winter. Some bears do this.

There are not many red squirrels left in England and Wales. This is because of grey squirrels. Grey squirrels have a disease which does not make them sick. But this disease kills red squirrels.

People at Pensthorpe are helping red squirrels. They have given them a cage to live in where they can be safe and have kittens. When the kittens are grown up they are moved to live in safe forests in Wales.

