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Activity Book

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Woodland Friends



When Badger came to live in Christmas Wood, she didn't know *anybody*. She was a little bit lonely – until she met Owl and Fidgety Fox, and made some great new friends!



Use your stickers to match Badger's new friends to their homes in Christmas Wood.





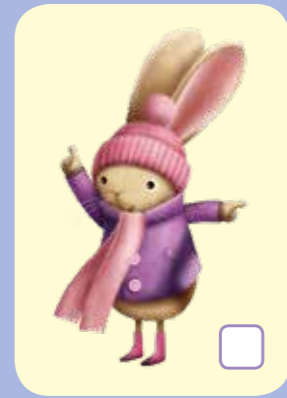
Hide and Seek

Badger and her friends have a lot of fun playing hide and seek.

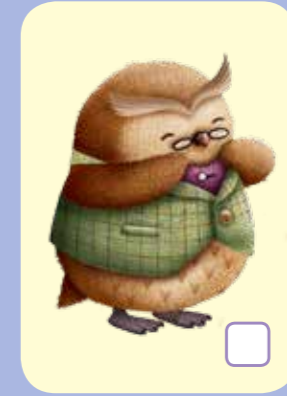


Can you spot them all hiding in this picture? When you find them, draw a ring around each of them and put a tick in the correct box.

Rosie Rabbit



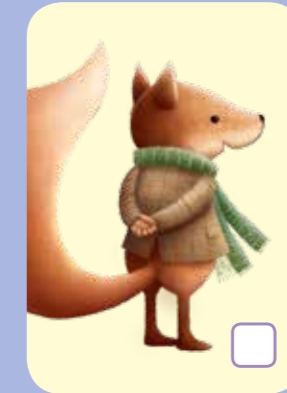
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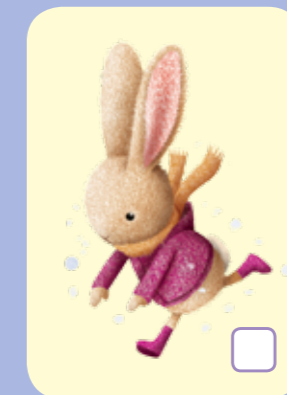
Ricky Rabbit



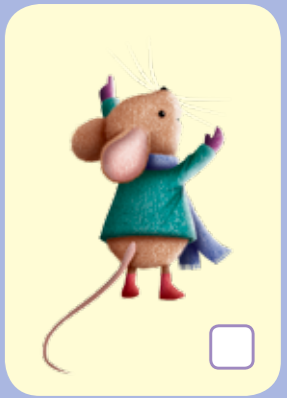
Fidgety Fox



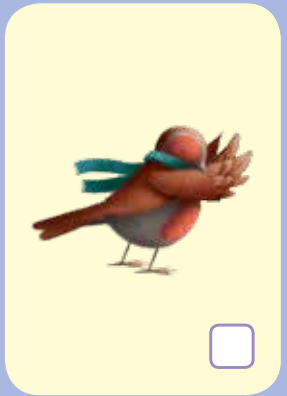
Robbie Rabbit



Tiny Mouse



Robin



Reggie Rabbit



Badger



In the Kitchen with Tiny Mouse

Tiny Mouse loves baking with Mama or Grandma! Sometimes the kitchen gets a tiny bit messy.



Can you find ten differences between these pictures of Mama Mouse's kitchen? Circle them on the bottom image.



Tiny Mouse especially likes baking Christmas gifts for his friends. Maybe you could make gingerbread cookies for *your* friends, too? Here is Tiny Mouse's recipe. Once you have finished the other activities in the book, you can cut out this page and keep it.

First ask a grown-up to help with the cooking, and wash your hands.

Mix together in a bowl:

- 300g plain flour
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon ginger

Ask a grown-up to melt together:

- 125g butter
- 100g brown sugar
- 2 tablespoons black treacle



Pour the melted mixture into the bowl. Stir to make a lump of dough (try not to eat it all!) and put in the fridge to chill.

Roll out the dough on a piece of baking paper.

Cut into Christmas shapes – try a star, a holly leaf, or a bell.



Lift the shapes and paper onto an oven tray.

Bake for about 10 minutes at 160°C. Leave to cool.

Decorate your gingerbread shapes with icing and tiny sweets, or try spraying them with edible glitter for some Christmas sparkle.



Splat! Boing! Honk!



The Rabbit Family's burrow can get very noisy.

One day Rosie Rabbit was making Christmas cards, but it was SO difficult to concentrate.

Robbie Rabbit was eating berries. Oops – he dropped one. Splat!

Reggie Rabbit was bouncing up and down. Boing!

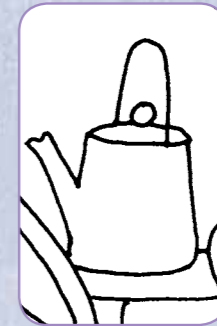
Ricky Rabbit was being a big truck. Honk!



Can you use your crayons or felt-tip pens to complete the picture?



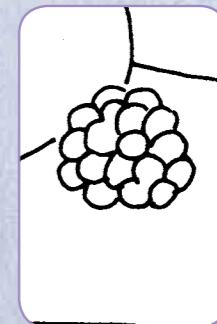
Can you spot or count the following items? Put a tick in the box.



Can you find the kettle?



How many books can you count on the bookshelves?



There are 7 blackberries in the picture – can you find them all?



Can you spot Rosie Rabbit's Christmas card?



Can you see 2 candles?