

**Mammal
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Look out for these mammals or try and spot signs of their presence – including their homes.



Mole – You are more likely to see a molehill created when it makes its feeding burrow. Moles don't live in Ireland or many of the Scottish Islands.



Stoat – Builds its den in hollow trees, burrows and rock crevices. Sometimes turns white in winter, except for the black tip to its tail. During this time, they are called 'ermine'.



Brown long-eared bat – Bats are the only mammals that fly. They are not blind but use their ears more than their eyes. This bat hibernates in caves and tunnels in winter.



Dormouse – This rare UK mammal travels through branches and rarely comes to the ground. Usually found in woodland but can be seen in hedgerows.



Water vole – Lives in burrow systems dug into the banks of rivers, streams, canals and ditches. You won't find them in Ireland.



Wood mouse – Most wood mice live in underground burrows. They're good for gardeners because they prey on harmful insects.

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