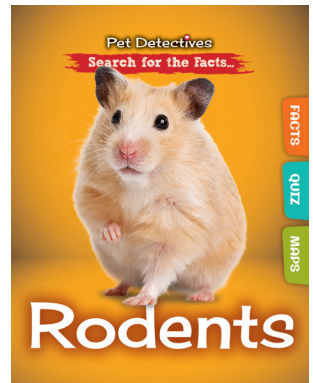


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Rodents

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Before Reading

- Look at the cover and contents. Which rodents do you know?
- Discuss:
 - What do you think rodents like to eat and do?
 - Have you ever had a pet rodent? What was it like?
- What would you like to learn about rodents?

During Reading

- After each chapter, ask:
 - What makes this rodent special?
 - Where does it live?
 - How does it stay safe or find food?
- Notice any interesting or surprising facts.

After Reading

Group discussion

- Which rodent did you find most interesting?
- What new things did you learn about how they live?
- How can we help rodents stay healthy and happy?

Activities

1. Rodent Fact Cards

- Choose three rodents from the book.
- Make fact cards with: name, habitat, diet, and interesting facts.
- Draw a picture of each rodent.

2. Rodent Habitat Map

- On a world map, mark where different rodents live.
- Use symbols for different habitats like deserts or forests.

3. Design Your Own Rodent

- Imagine a new rodent species.
- Draw it and write about its home, diet, and special traits.