



Sik-Sik's Summer

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An Arctic Ground Squirrel Word Search

Search for the words forwards and backwards, up and down, side to side, or diagonally.

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ALPINE
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BURROW
CHEEKS
COLONY
DEN
FORAGER
FUR
GROUND
HIBERNATE
KITTENS
LEAVES
NUTS
OMNIVORE
ROOTS
SEEDS
SQUIRREL
TORPOR
TUNDRA
TUNNELS

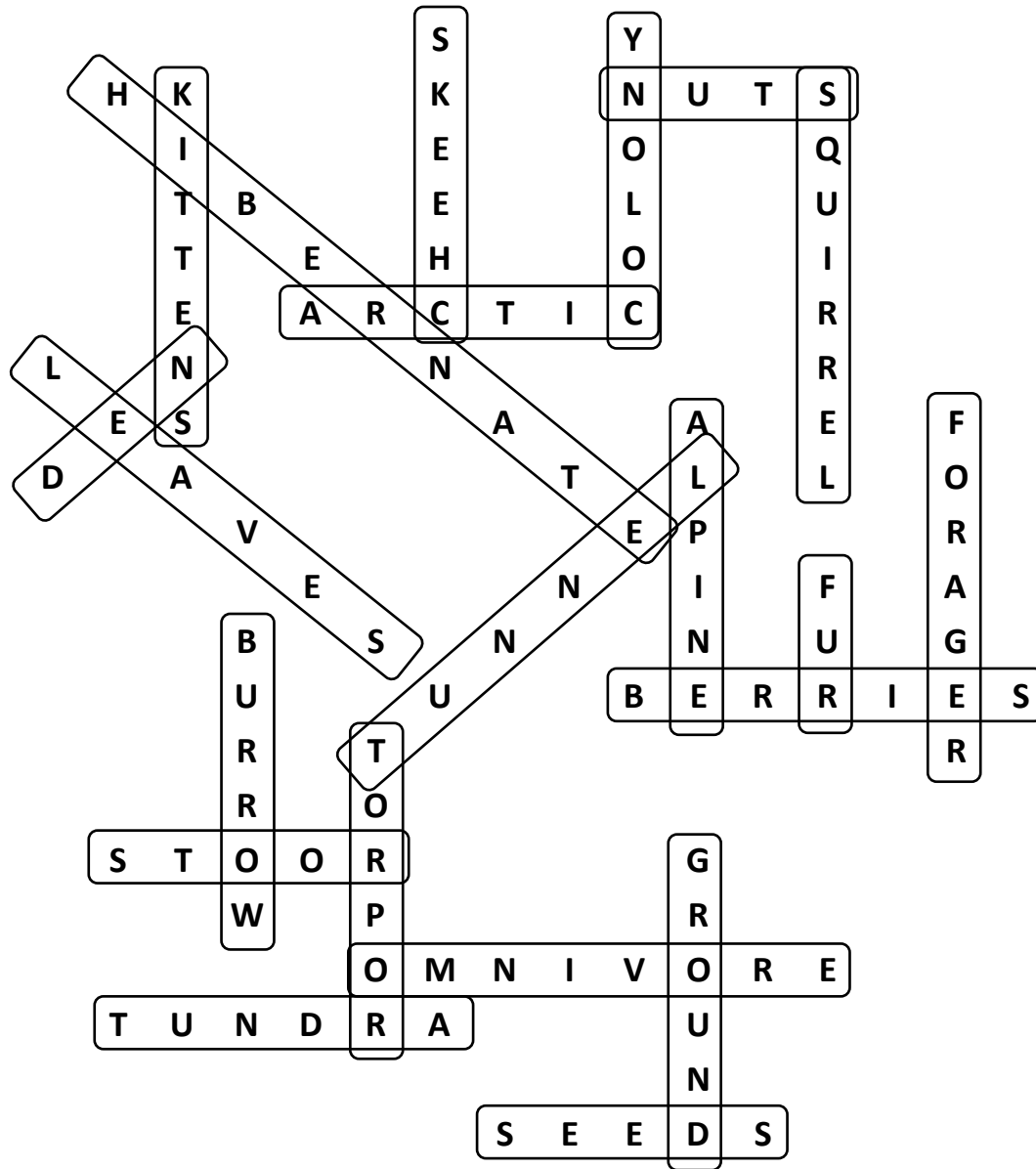
FUN FACTS

- A baby ground squirrel is called a **kitten**.
- Ground squirrels are **omnivores** – they eat plants and meat.
- When a ground squirrel **hibernates**, its body enters a state called **torpor** which lowers the body temperature and reduces the amount of energy used.

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- Alpine
- Arctic
- Berries
- Burrow
- Cheeks
- Colony
- Den
- Forager
- Fur
- Ground
- Hibernate
- Kittens
- Leaves
- Nuts
- Omnivore
- Roots
- Seeds
- Squirrel
- Torpor
- Tundra
- Tunnels