

# Help the Littlest Hoglet

Key Stage 2





# Episode 1

## Hedgehog Highways

How do you think a hedgehog might get into your school grounds?

Have a look around your school's outside areas:

- Is your school surrounded by a big fence/wall? Are there any gaps for hedgehogs? Use a ruler to see if they are big enough! Remember hedgehogs need 13x13cm square holes to get in.
- Can you draw a map of your school and mark on where these holes are?
- You could add to your map ideas of where Hedgehog Highways might be made!





## Episode 2

# Steep Sided Pond

Why might a hedgehog visit your school grounds?

Have a look around your school's outside areas:

- Have you seen any insects that a hedgehog might eat?
- You could do an insect survey – pick an area of the school grounds and count the numbers of insects you can find (make sure no insects are harmed!)
- Could your school create a wildlife garden? If you already have one, this is the ideal place to look for insects.
- After your insect hunt, you could design a menu to tell the local hedgehogs what's for dinner!
- If you are lucky enough to have a school pond, does it have a wildlife ramp?



## Episode 3 The Log Pile

Where could a hedgehog hide at your school?

Have a look around your school's outside areas:

- Do you have any bushes, flowers or overgrown areas that a hedgehog could hide in?
- Could your school create a wildlife garden? If you already have one, could you design a hiding place for The Littlest Hoglet?
- Can you design the perfect hedgehog house? Maybe you could recycle materials from around your school to actually build it?
- Has somebody seen a hedgehog? Make sure you record it on [The Big Hedgehog Map!](#)



## Episode 4 The Free Meal

Have you seen any litter around your school?

Take a look around your school's outside area:

- If you see any litter, ask your teacher to help organise a litter pick!
- Make sure you put all your litter in the bin.
- Can you draw a sign to tell others not to drop litter?

What other hedgehog dangers can you see around your school?



## Episode 5 A Close Shave

Do you have grass at your school to play on?

Does someone cut that grass?

Could you make a sign to warn them to watch out for The Littlest Hoglet?

Perhaps your teacher could help you write a letter from your school asking the British Hedgehog Preservation Society to send special stickers which remind the people who cut the grass at your school to check for hedgehogs!