

Squirrels Build Nests

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Squirrels live in trees. They build nests in the summer. The outside of their nest is made of twigs. The inside is made of grass and leaves. Those make the nest soft.

The nest is built high in the tree. Squirrels sleep in their tree nests. Most of these nests hold one or two squirrels.

Squirrels also build cold-weather nests called dens. Those nests are inside tree trunks. The dens keep squirrels warm in the winter.