

Fox, snow, and a ruby

The Quiz

1. Where do foxes live?
a. underground dens b. clumps of trees
2. What do foxes use whiskers for?
a. to smell b. to navigate
3. What is snow categorised as?
a. liquid b. mineral
4. Where does the word *ruby* come from?
a. Latin word for red, *ruber / rubens* b. the element rubrum
5. How many points do rubies score on Mohs stone hardness scale (1-10)?
a. 9 b. 7

Vocabulary

Match the word with its definition.

heavy	power
lookout	put (something) into someone's care or protection
hollow	not light
strength	to be vigilant
entrust	having a hole or empty space inside

Drawing

1. Can you draw a fox on the run?
2. Draw the kindest person you know.
3. Can you draw an oddly-shaped snowman?

Questions

1. Do you think parents should teach their children to be kind? Why? Why not?
2. Can you give an example of you being kind?
3. Why do you think some foxes live in the cities?

Syllables

Put the syllables in the correct order to create words.



de sun cat

ni er us fi

cor ing ni

re scend