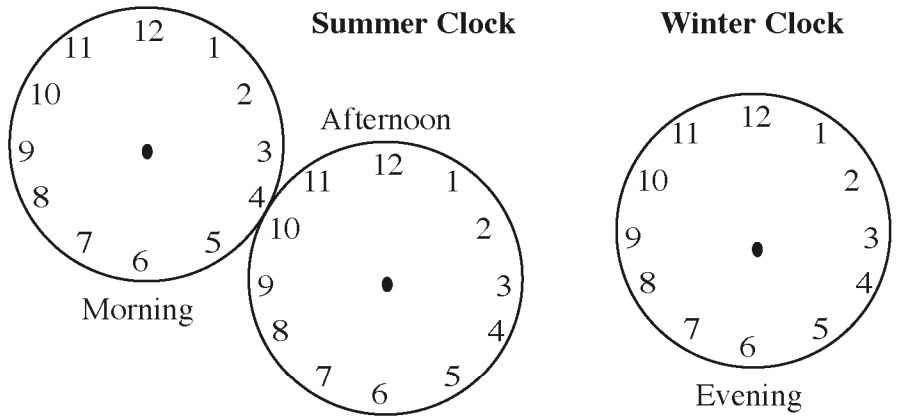




The Squirrel Field Guide

OBSERVE TREE SQUIRRELS

During the spring, summer and autumn, tree squirrels are most active about 2-4 hours after sunrise and 2-5 hours before sunset. Their thick fur causes them to avoid the heat of the day. During winter, they are most active 2-4 hours before sunset. *Draw hour hands around the best times to observe tree squirrels on this Summer Clock and Winter Clock.*



SQUIRREL-ANALITY

At first glance, squirrels all look alike -- but each squirrel is unique. Can you find something different about each squirrel you observe. Draw the different markings here.



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CHECK each behavior you observe squirrels using.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Climb | <input type="checkbox"/> Run | <input type="checkbox"/> Dig |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chatter | <input type="checkbox"/> Eat | <input type="checkbox"/> Play |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bury food | <input type="checkbox"/> Jump | <input type="checkbox"/> Hunt food |
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LOCATION

- Tree
- Flower bed
- Lawn
- Shrub
- Garden
- Building

HABITAT MAP

DRAW a map of where your squirrel(s) travel while you observe them.

