## Explore Lochshore!

## **Den Bulding**

## Make a den for a furry friend!

All you need for this activity is a bit of imagination.

As you walk around an area of woodland imagine you are a small woodland creature like a mouse or a fox.

Where would make a nice spot for a cosy den? On the ground? Next to a hedge? In a tree?



Once you have found a good spot think about what your den might need... A roof? A door? Some comfy bedding? Collect up anything you can find near by like sticks, stones, moss and leaves get creative.

You could even bring along your own cuddly woodland creature to try it out for size!

## Make a den for yourself!

Find two forked trees that are close together and place a long stick between them.

Prop a row of sticks against it on each side so you end up with a tent shape.

You can cover the den with leaves and moss to fill in the gaps and help to camouflage it







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