

Build Like a Rabbit

Rabbits dig underground burrows and connect them with a system of tunnels. Try making your own version in a sandbox.



WHAT RABBITS USE

Soft soil

Their front claws

Soft grass and fur

WHAT YOU NEED

Sandbox filled with sand

Your hands or a shovel

Grass and leaves



WHAT YOU DO

1. In the middle, dig a hole in the sandbox. Pile some sand around the edge. This is your first burrow.
2. Dig a path from that hole to the edge of the sandbox.
3. Dig another hole near the edge.
4. Try adding more tunnels and more burrows. They all have to be connected!
5. Some burrows should have two ways out, and some are dead ends.
6. Put some grass and leaves in one of the dead-end burrows. This makes a nest for babies.