

DIY Mammal Footprint Tunnel - Hedgehog



You will need:

Large cardboard box	Vegetable oil
White paper	Charcoal powder
Paper clips	Small dish
Masking tape	Bait - dried cat food
Paintbrush	



Cut the card to 90cm x 75cm and fold into three sections of 25cm, to make a triangle shape.

Cut another piece 90cm x 24cm, to form a base.

Secure the white paper either end of the base with paper clips.

Cover the middle of the base with masking tape, and tape the dish to the centre.

Mix the oil and charcoal 50:50 and paint liberally onto the masking tape either side of the dish.

Place dried cat food in the dish and slide the base into the tunnel.

Position the tunnel in a sheltered spot, such as against a hedge or garden wall.



Check the tunnel daily, replacing paper and bait as necessary.

Identify the tracks - [Mammal tracks and signs guide](#).

And then log them using the Mammal Society's [Mammal Mapper app](#).