

## Wildlife Worksheet

## Hedgehogs

I)	How long ago did the earliest known members of the hedgehog family live?	
2)	How do we know that people in the Neolithic period were fascinated by hedgehogs?	_
3)	How many species of hedgehog are there?	
4)	What was the smallest hedgehog to live?	
	a. how big was it?	
	b. how long ago did it live?	
	c. where in the world did it live?	
5)	Which people domesticated hedgehogs?	
6)	What did hedgehogs spines get nabbed for by Romans?	
7)	What does an "indictor" species mean?	
8)	What are the biggest threats to hedgehogs?	
9)	What does a hedgehog do when it thinks it's in danger?	
10)	What could it mean if you see a hedgehog in the daytime?	
11)	What do hedgehogs eat?	
12)	n which months do hedgehogs mostly breed?	
13)	How quick can a hedgehog run?	

All answers can be found in Issue 141 of Wild Cornwall or by searching online. Thank you to Caitlin Dean who kindly created the worksheets for Cornwall Wildlife Trust supporters who are currently home-schooling.