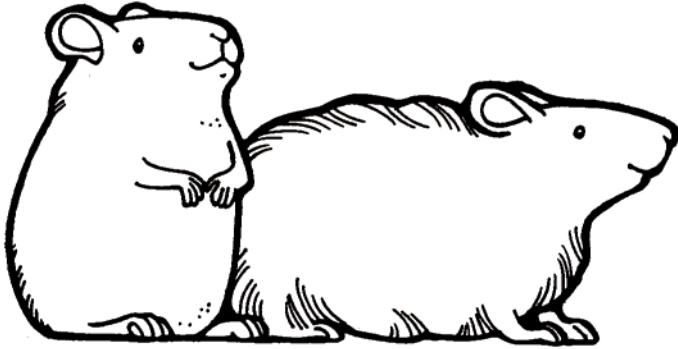


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Pet Pointers: Hamsters



- ◆ Hamsters are fun to watch. They are too small and wiggly to enjoy much handling.
- ◆ Hamsters sleep in the daytime and are awake at night.
- ◆ One hamster will live happily alone.
- ◆ Hamsters don't live long—usually about two years.

Help! These sentences about hamsters do not make sense. To fix them, cross out the third, sixth, and ninth words in each one. Then read each sentence.

1. Move slowly turtle and quietly snail around a tall hamster.

2. A hamster hat that is screaming frightened or snoring awakened suddenly may bite.

3. Your hamster horse should always barking have clean chocolate water.

4. Hamster food store is made Monday from seeds pianos and grains.

5. Raisins, apples, baseballs, carrots, nuts, television, or bread factories are treats for hamsters.

6. Hamsters use toothpaste their

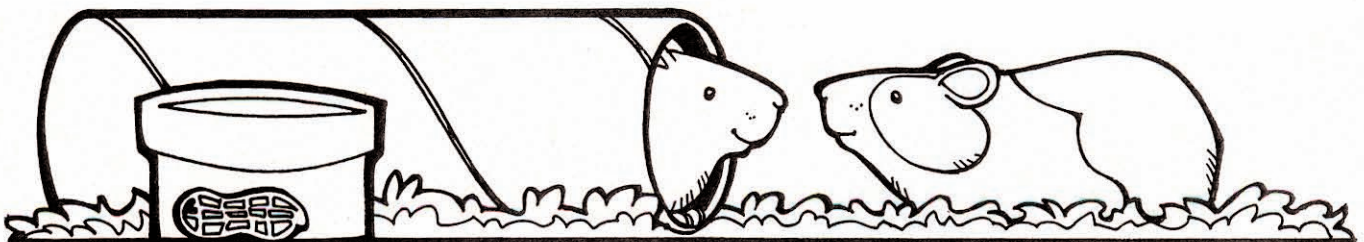
cheek kangaroo pouches to cook store and carry food.

7. Give your zebra hamster a laughing piece of leash hard wood to chew on.

8. A small snail box makes noise a cozy pizza nest for a hamster to hide and sleep in.

9. Don't let crayons your hamster playing fall or parachute jump off a table or other high place.

10. Keep your rhinoceros hamster safe flying from cats pajamas and other pets.



Make a word search puzzle using these words: *hamster, cage, food, water, play, safe, bed, sleep*. Then ask a friend to work the puzzle.