# This what I already know about nocturnal creatures:

They stay awake in the night, they sleep in the day. They find their food at night. Foxes come out at night. What is a nocturnal animal? Owl, bats and hedgehogs are nocturnal animals. Hedgehogs, badgers, bats and foxes are all nocturnal. Owls wake up at night. Foxes sniff for food. Lions roar, ducks quack. Crocodiles. They come out at night. Foxes, owls, hedgehogs, mice, fireflies are nocturnal creatures. They sleep in the daytime. They have a good sense of hearing. Bats sleep upside-down in a tree.

### <u>I would like to investigate and explore about nocturnal animals:</u>

I want to learn more about foxes and how they build their houses.

How do bats talk to each other? What do badgers do in their tunnels? How long do they sleep? What do they eat? What do they do all night? How old are the animals? What do they eat for dinner? What do they play? What makes nocturnal animals happy? Find out more about badgers. Do they talk to each other? Do they play together at night? Where do foxes live? How do they see and know they are going to find friends?

## The questions I would like to ask and explore about nocturnal animals are:

What do baby owls eat? Where do foxes live? How can they see in the dark? What do they do in the dark? Which animals are nocturnal? Do they come out during the day? Why do they come out at night? Are there night monkeys? Where do nocturnal creatures live? What do they eat? Can nocturnal animals ride bikes made from leaves? Which animals walk and which animals fly? Which nocturnal animals can run faster than a human? Why do they come out at night? Why do badgers have stripes? What are their homes like? Where do they sleep during the day? When do they eat? Why do they like night-time? Are babies awake at night too? What do owls eat? What other animals are nocturnal? Learn about nocturnal animals. How do they see at night?

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### Night-time tales.

Feedback from 12 planning forms.

#### I would like to role play:

A baby owl. Being a badger. A bat. Pretend to be a firefly. Dress up like a badger. I want to be a bat. Pretend to be owl.

#### <u>I would like to make related to nocturnal</u> <u>animals:</u>

Make a hedgehog and its home.

A badger mask. Animal bookmark. Build a badger home - lots of tunnels in their den.

Animal masks. Build a house / den or a mouse house. A badger. Make a big owl and stick feathers on its wings. Pictures of bats. Make a mask.

## <u>I would like to visit or meet in relation to nocturnal</u> <a href="mailto:animals">animals</a>:

Baby owls, baby hedgehogs. To meet a hedgehog, visit an owl centre. A badger. Meet some nocturnal animals. A fox and a badger. Meet a hedgehog and a bat. Meet a hedgehog and an owl.

#### I would like to share or bring in related

to our topic: a hedgehog teddy. Animal teddies and books. Talk about the creatures I have seen at Drusilla's. Talk about the nocturnal animals at my nanny's house. Bring in a torch to help find nocturnal animals.

Found a baby hedgehog in the garden it ate a worm. My nocturnal animal's duvet cover. Bring on a video of foxes eating the rubbish from the bins at night. A cuddly fox.

#### My other BIG ideas are:

I think the animals get along and play together.

Bats look like sausages wrapped in blankets when they sleep. I like being upside down like a bats. Visit London Zoo! Make a house for a nocturnal creature. Make a camp fire and have snacks together. A Gruffalo play - all the creatures are nocturnal. Go on a night time walk to see some animals.