

Ethogram and Observation Data Sheet

Squirrel

Digging/Burying – The squirrel is scratching the ground or tree, and/or manipulating an object into the ground or tree hollow.

Locomotion – The squirrel is moving either by walking, running, jumping, or climbing.

Feeding – The squirrel is grabbing at and/or biting vegetation with their teeth.

Grooming – The squirrel is dusting, grabbing, biting, clawing, or rubbing its body.

Alertness – The squirrel is standing in an upright position looking at their surroundings

Resting – The squirrel is lying on the ground, logs, rocks, etc. Their eyes may or may not be opened.

Not Visible – You are unable to see the squirrel you are observing.

Other – You see a behavior other than the ones described above.

Ethograms that are part of this curriculum guide have been modified and condensed in order to be more developmentally appropriate for your students.

	Digging / Burying	Locomotion	Feeding	Grooming	Alertness	Resting	Not Visible	Other
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