Get the facts Red foxes





Most red foxes have red fur but other colour variations may occur, including brown, silver and black. Red foxes have black ears and paws and a white throat, tail tip and underparts. Their long, bushy tail makes up to one-third of their total length. Red foxes are one of Canada's most widespread species. This can be attributed to their ability to adapt to a diverse range of habitat types, including forests, prairies, farms and cities.



Red foxes are great hunters, thanks to their keen eyesight, hearing and sense of smell. Mainly nocturnal, much of this species' hunting is done at night.

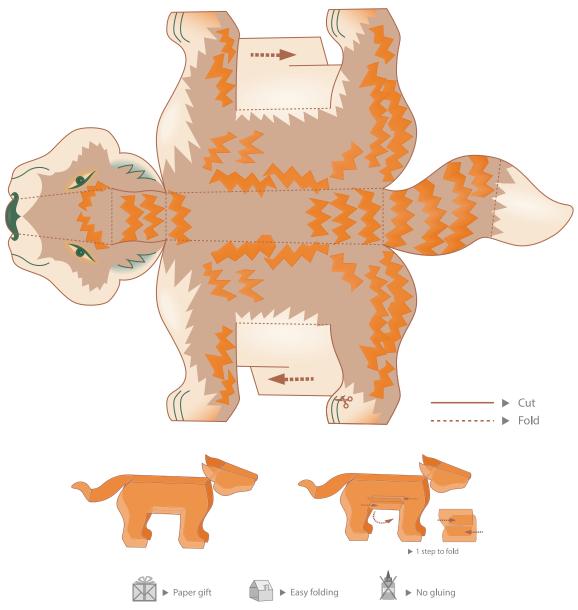
(L to R) Red fox, photo by Mhairi Mcfarlane (NCC staff); red fox, photo by Rochepeault; red fox; photo by Marcus Buck.



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