



# FURBEARER FUN

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**Coat Hoods**



**Basketballs**



**Winter Hats**



**Coats**



**Ceremonies**



**Steaks/Meat**



**Playgrounds**



**Hats**



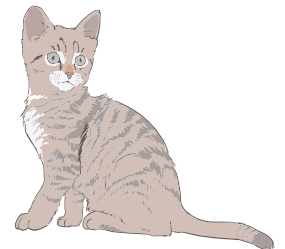
**Stews**



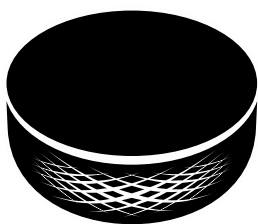
**Mitts**



**Blankets**



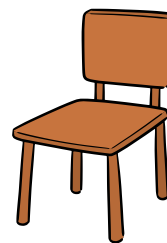
**Pets**



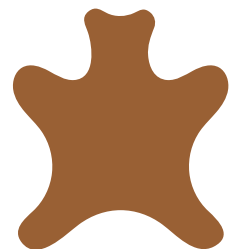
**Hockey Pucks**



**Salads**



**Chairs**



**Rugs**

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NATURAL



MUSTELIDS



FURBEARERS

UNDERCOAT

LEAST

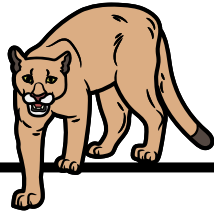
FOOD

COUGAR

CLOTHING

BADGER

WOLVERINE



MAMMALS



GUARD

1. Ontario is home to approximately 20 different species of \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Technically, all \_\_\_\_\_ have fur, but furbearers have traditionally been trapped or hunted for their furs.
3. Fur is a \_\_\_\_\_ resource as it is naturally replenished.
4. Furbearers have been used in North America for thousands of years for \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and religious ceremony.
5. Furbearers' fur has two layers, an \_\_\_\_\_ layer for insulation and water resistance, and \_\_\_\_\_ hairs to protect it from matting and damage.
6. Ontario is home to the world's smallest carnivore, the \_\_\_\_\_ weasel.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ are a family of species who all have scent glands which produce a strong, musky, stinky odour.
8. Ontario is home to three species of endangered furbearers, the American \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_.

