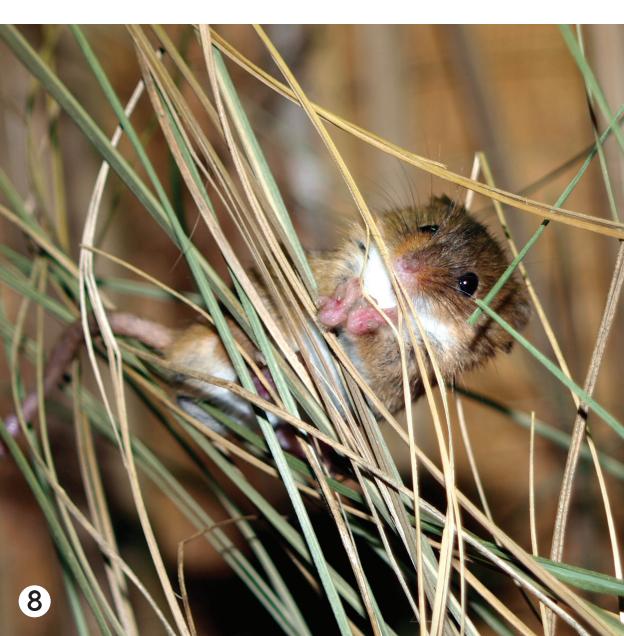
First, the harvest mouse **collects** pieces of grass. Then, she **weaves** the pieces together to make a small nest.



The nest is about the size of a baseball. The ball-shaped nest hangs off the ground between plant **stalks**.

Inside the nest, the baby mice grow. At first, they are pink and hairless. And, they are oh so tiny!



Within a week they have hair. When they are two weeks old, the baby mice are out playing. Soon they will be living on their own.

