

TRACKING

To search for animal tracks, look in bare dirt, mud or wet sand. If you find a set of mammal tracks, use the Track Math journal page to try to figure out which mammal family it's from.

Tracking is a challenging skill to learn, and takes a lot of practice. Don't be discouraged if you don't find any tracks, or can't tell what animal made them if you do. Keep trying!

Directions: Sketch a track you find. Try to answer the questions below about the animal.

What kind of animal made this track? _____

When do you think it made the track? _____

Where was it headed? _____

How fast was it going? _____