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**Activity 1**

Draw a cartoon mouse: some fun facts before starting sketching!

 - A mouse can weigh around one or two ounces.

 - Including the tail, they can have a size ranging from 3 to 8 inches.

 - There are several hundred species of mouse around the world.

This cute but not always appreciated animal is well-known for his big hairless ears (1), his long and thin tail (3) and his short and shiny white fur (2).

The mouse also has small legs (5) and several long whiskers (4). This is a unique animal, making it easy for anyone to draw a good representation of it!

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The mouse is mostly made of circles. The head is round but the part near the muzzle is a little narrower. The ears are also made of circles but when seen from a different view, they look more like triangles.

The tail is made of several small rectangles to help it move better. The body is represented by a big oval shape. Notice how the front legs are small compared to the back ones.

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Start this drawing lesson by sketching a circle for the head and half of an oval for the body. Next, add two circles to create the ears. Work a little bit on the outline and then draw the eyes.
Continue with the addition of the pupils and some rectangles to form the legs. Finish your drawing by working on the outline of the legs and by sketching the tail and whiskers.

 

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**Activity 2**

Bruno Jenkins Disappears

Draw a storyboard or draw cartoons to show the different stages as Bruno changes from a greedy boy into a tiny mouse.

Do Activity 1 to learn how to draw a cartoon mouse. See examples below.

 

**Activity 3**

Draw a picture of the Grand High Witch. You can re-read the description on page 59 of the book to give you ideas.