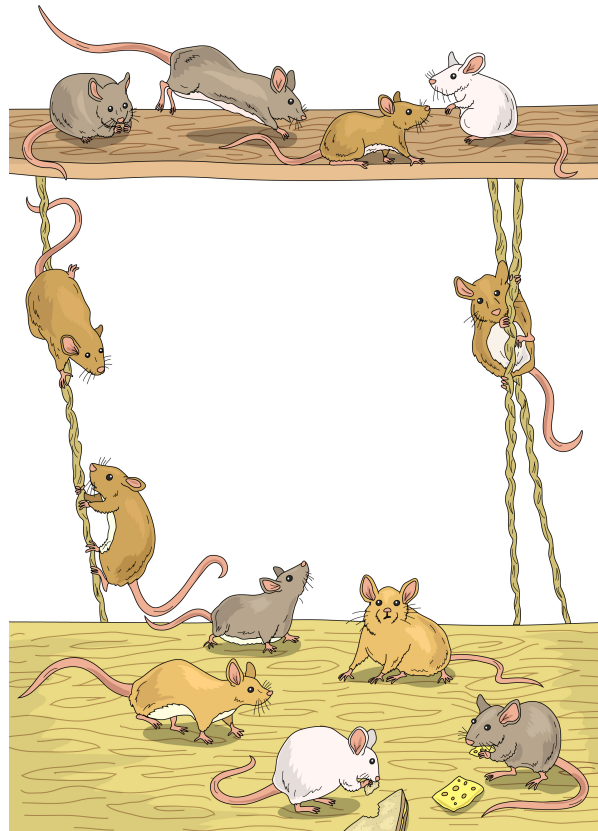


Mice by Rose Fyleman

I think mice
Are rather nice.
Their tails are long
Their faces small.
They haven't any chins at all.
Their ears are pink.
Their teeth are white.
They run about
The house at night.
They nibble things
They shouldn't touch
And no one seems
To like them much.
But I think mice.
Are rather nice.



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1 Write the words from the poem that rhyme with:

small white touch

1b

1 mark

2 *“They nibble things”*

The word *“nibble”* is closest in meaning to (choose **one**):

break.

crumb.

gnaw.

reach.

1a

1 mark

3 What do the mice do at night?

1b

1 mark

4 **Find and copy two** words that describe the colours on a mouse.

1b

1 mark

5 What do the mice do so that noone likes them much? Find an idea from the poem.

1d

1 mark

6 What do you think the poet likes about mice?

1d

1 mark