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A Day in the **Life**

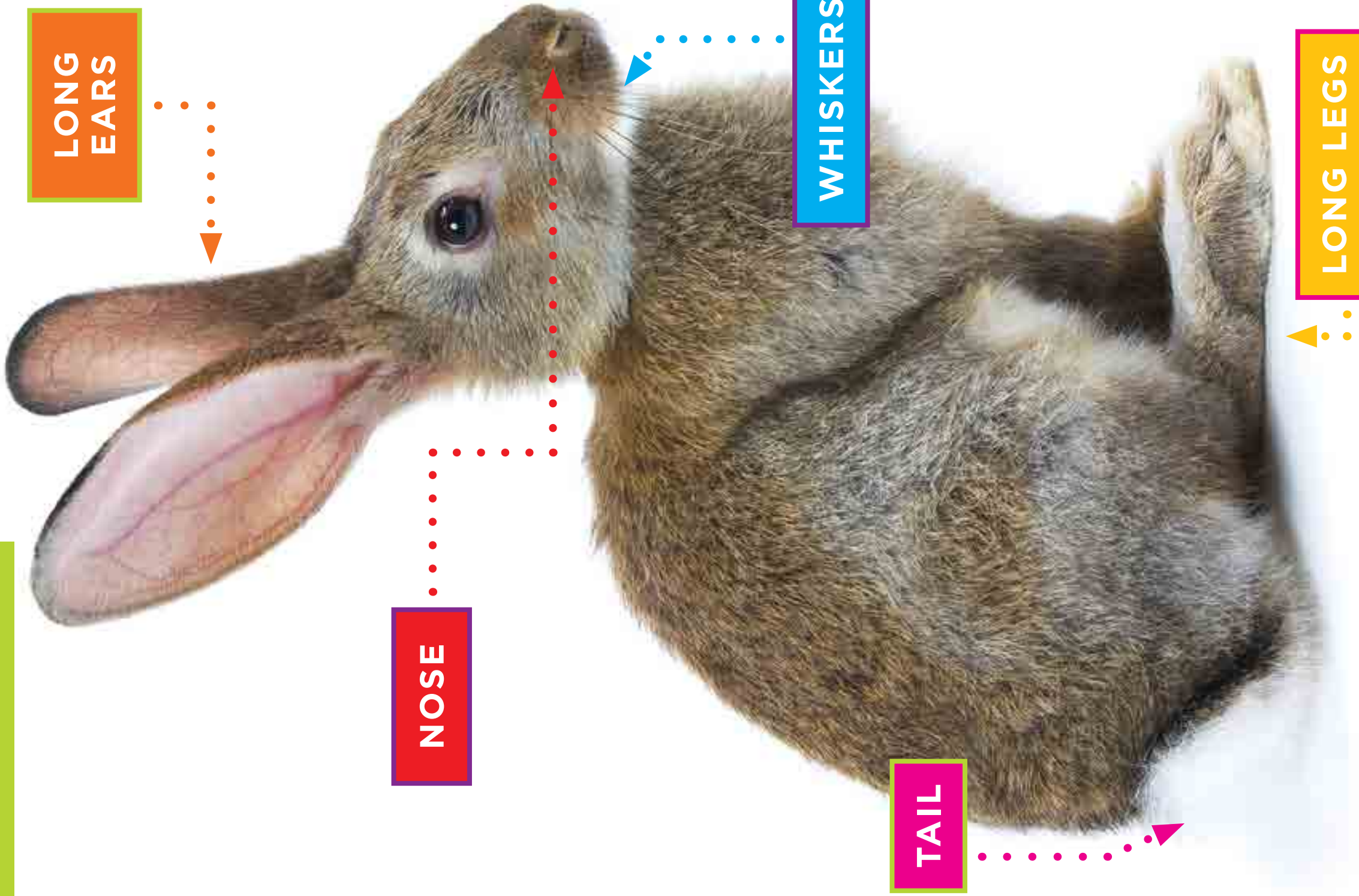
It's late in the afternoon. A female rabbit hops into a field and starts to **graze**. It eats, looks up for danger, and then eats some more.

After grazing awhile, the rabbit stops to sniff. Clover! It hops over and nibbles. Then it hears a noise. Not stopping to check it out, it hops under a bush.



RABBIT FEATURES

LONG
EARS



NOSE

WHISKERS

TAIL

LONG LEGS



Babies in the Burrow

The rabbit returns to the **burrow** where its babies wait. It feeds them and then leaves. It will be back the next night to feed them again.

COMPARING RABBITS' SIZES

Pygmy Rabbit
 9.4 TO 11.6 INCHES
 (24 to 29 centimeters)
 0.6 TO 1.0 POUNDS
 (.3 to .5 kilograms)

Swamp Rabbit
 16 TO 22 INCHES
 (41 to 56 cm)
 4 TO 6 POUNDS
 (1.8 to 2.7 kg)

