

FOX PUPS

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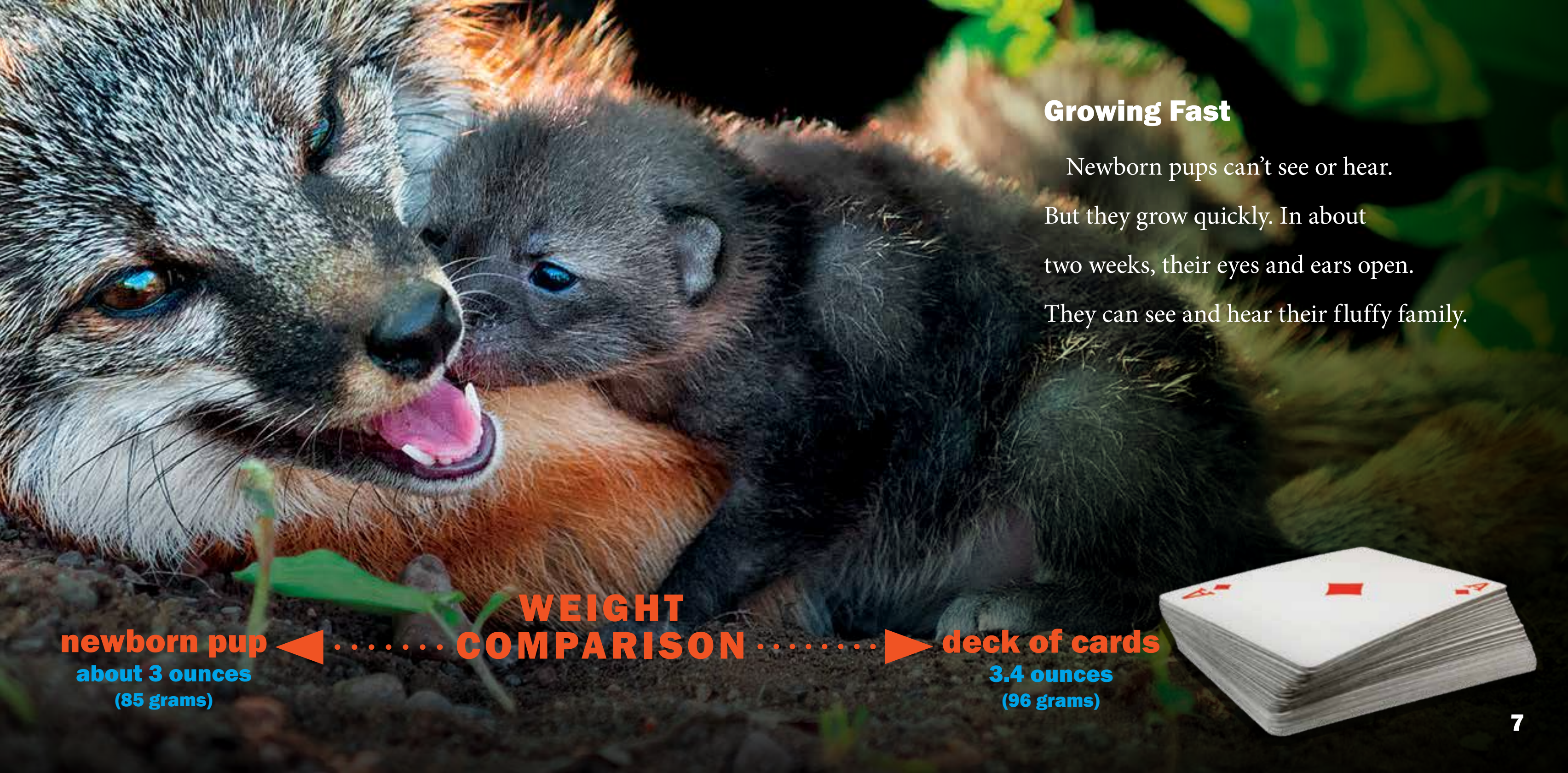
A Hungry Baby

A fox pup hides in the grass. It **sneaks** up on its sister. Jump! The pup lands on the other one. Then they wrestle. But soon they need their mother. The pups are hungry!



sneak: to move in a secret way





Growing Fast

Newborn pups can't see or hear. But they grow quickly. In about two weeks, their eyes and ears open. They can see and hear their fluffy family.

WEIGHT COMPARISON

newborn pup ◀ **deck of cards**

about 3 ounces (85 grams) 3.4 ounces (96 grams)



PARTS OF A

Fox Pup



ears

fur

tail

eyes

mouth

paws