



## Unit 4 Lesson 3: Insectivores

Overhead 1

### "You and the Shrew"

#### Comparing human need to insectivore feeds

#### Human Facts

1. I weigh 70 pounds.
2. I see color.
3. I breathe in and out 20 times a minute.
4. Without food, I would starve in 20 to 30 days.
5. My heart beats 80 times per minute at rest.
6. My heart beats 120 times per minute when I am running.
7. I am 54 inches (1.4 meters) tall.
8. I eat less than 1/14th of my weight in food each day.
9. I could live to be 100.

#### Shrew Facts

1. I weigh less than a penny.
2. I am color blind. I only see light and dark and black.
3. I breathe in and out 850 times a minute.
4. I can starve to death in about 6 hours if I don't eat.
5. My heart beats 600 times a minute resting.
6. My heart beats 800 times a minute when I'm active.
7. I am 3 inches (7.5 cm.) long.
8. I eat 1½ times my weight in food each day.
9. I will live about one year.

