

Figure S1. The dermatitis phenotype in mutant animals from the SV background is the result of cell-autonomous deletion of RBP-J within skin cells and cannot be rescued by bone marrow transplant.

A: Four mutant animals from the SV background (*RBP-J^{fl/fl};Ren1^{dcre/+}(SV)*) were transplanted with bone marrow cells from wildtype donor animals. Age- and disease-matched mutant animals were selected as controls and were not transplanted. Transplant did not rescue the dermatitis, and there was no difference in survival between these groups.

B: Representative pictures following transplant. The skin phenotype of mutant mice did not improve following bone marrow transplant, suggesting that the dermatitis is not secondary to the myeloproliferative process in the bone marrow.

C: Bone marrow transplant in mutant mice may lessen the myeloproliferative process in the bone marrow.



Figure S2. Mice from a BI6 background have more renin-lineage cells in their blood during the first 3 months of life compared to mice from a SV background.

The percentage of renin-lineage (GFP+) cells in the blood was determined at different post-natal ages (same data as shown in Figure 4B). In order to perform statistical analysis, we grouped the data into two "bins" representing ages 0-3 months and 3-6 months. There are more renin-lineage cells in the peripheral blood of BI6 mice compared to SV mice at ages <3 months of age ($7.8 \pm 0.69 \%$ n=37 versus 5.24 ± 0.56 % n=10, *P* < 0.001).



Figure S3. There are more GFP+ cells in the spleen compared to bone marrow of transgenic mice.

The percentage of GFP+ cells within the bone marrow and spleen from different B cell stage-specific cre transgenic mice was determined including Pro B-cells (*Mb1-cre*), Pre B-cells (*CD19-cre*), and Renin-expressing B-cells (*Renin-cre*). In all three groups, there were more GFP+ cells in the spleen compared to the bone marrow. Mann-Whitney U test, **P* < 0.05 and ***P* < 0.01.

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Genotype	Copies of Cre	Site of cre expression
RBP-J ^{fl/fl} ;Ren1 ^{dcre/+}	1	Renin-expressing cells
RBP-J ^{fl/fl} ;Ren1 ^{dcre/cre}	2	Renin-expressing cells
RBP-J ^{del/fl} ;Ren1 ^{dcre/+}	1	Renin-expressing cells
RBP-J ^{del/fl} ;Mb1 ^{cre/+}	1	Pro B cells
RBP-J ^{del/fl} ;CD19 ^{cre/+}	1	Pre B cells

Table S1.	Conditional	deletion of	RBP-J using	different cre	recombinase	transgenes.
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Table S2.	Antibodies	used in	flow cy	ytometry	analysis.
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Antibody		Fluorochrome	Concentration	Catalogue #
				(Biolegends)
B220	Pan B cell marker expressed from	APC/Cy7	1 μg per 10 ⁶ cells	103223
	pro-B cells through mature B cells			
CD5	Expressed on T cells and a subset	Brilliant Violet	0.25 μg per 10 ⁶	100617
	of B cells called B-1 cells	421	cells	
CD11b	Expressed on granulocytes,	PerCP/Cy5.5	0.25 μg per 10 ⁶	101227
	monocytes, and macrophages		cells	
CD19	Pan B cell marker expressed from	Alexa Fluor 647	0.25 μg per 10 ⁶	115525
	pro-B cells through mature B cells		cells	
CD23	Expressed on mature B cells	PE/Cy7	0.05 μg per 10 ⁶	101613
	including follicular B cells		cells	
Gr1	Expressed on maturing	PE/Cy7	0.05 μg per 10 ⁶	108415
	granulocytes		cells	
lgM	Expressed on immature and	Brilliant Violet	5 μl per 10 ⁶ cells	406517
	mature B cells	421		