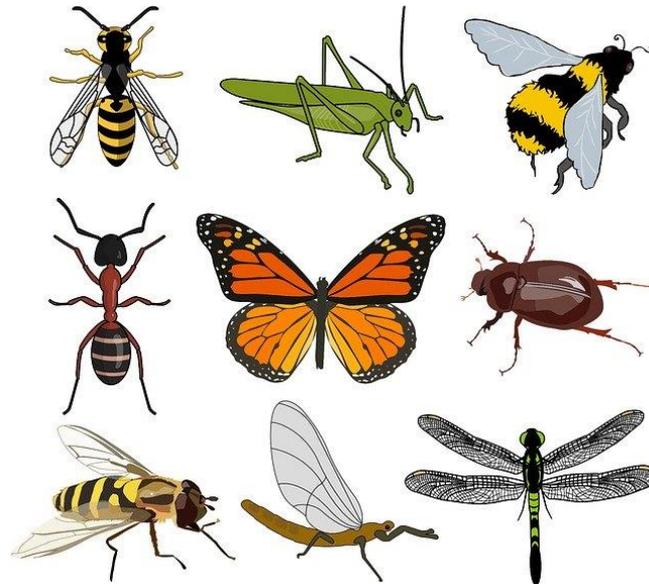


MINIBEASTS



For Science and Music the focus is on Minibeasts....they are everywhere right now!

Minibeasts are small creatures that do not have a back bone (invertebrates) such as spiders, worms, butterflies, insects and snails. What is the name of your backbone???

What I would like you to do is ;

1 Research minibeasts with an adult to find out a little about them.

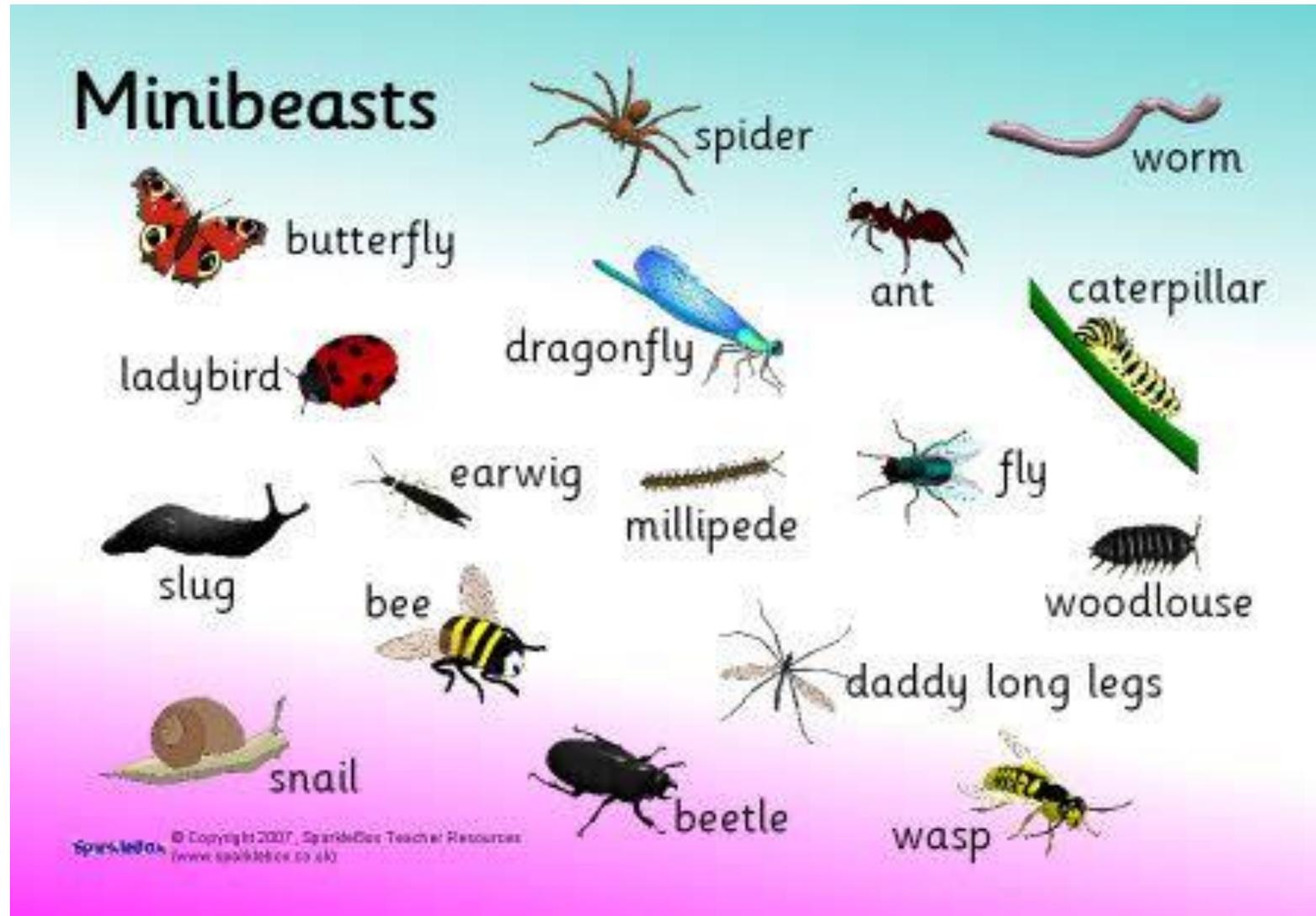
2 With an adult explore your back garden to see what minibeasts you can spot and identify. Observe them for a while to see how they move and the details of their bodies.(Please leave it in it's habitat - a habitat is the environment in which something lives!)

3 Find out 3 facts about your favourite minibeast

4 The fun part - Build a Bug Hotel for all the minibeasts out there! (in your garden or in a suitable place near your home -with an adult).

They love holes in dead wood, piles of fallen leaves, gaps between stones, hollow plant stems and piles of earth to shelter and live in. So gather together what you can and create the best minibeast hotel ever!

Look at all the mini-beasts. Can you recognise and name any? Can you find them on your mini-beast hunt?



Recycle a milk carton or plastic bottle and create a mini bug hotel for mini beasts. Put in leaves, twigs, straws, grass, acorns, soil, moss and all the things those little mini beast likes to hide in. Leave it outside and see who 'checks-in' to your hotel everyday.



Mini-beast adventure with Jess

Watch some youtube clips and go on a mini beast adventure with Jess to find out about all of the different mini-beasts. Here is one link to start you off on the adventure.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FUEeu4moxzM>

Then go on your own mini-beast hunt. Perhaps you will find some in your bug hotel.



Story;

The Very Hungry Caterpillar

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=btFCtMhF3il>

Mini-beast song

- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-eajwaH0_2c