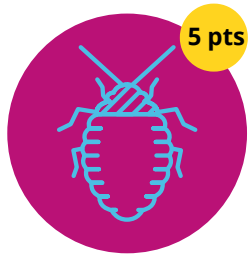


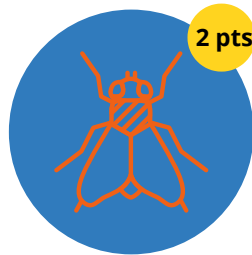
Minibeast hunt

Can you spot any minibeasts in your garden? Add up the points you see for each minibeast for your score



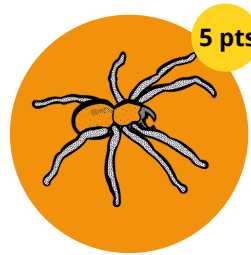
Woodlouse

Also known as billybakers. They like dark, damp places, try looking for them under stones or in a wall. They are also known to curl up into balls. What do you call them in your family?



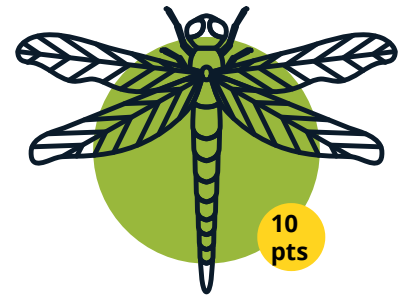
Fly

Flies have two wings unlike most flying insects who have four. They have hairy, sticky feet and can stick to almost any surface.



Spider

You might find spiders near silk spider webs which they cast to catch their prey. Spiders are arachnids, not insects and you can identify this by their eight legs. You can also tell them apart as spiders don't have antennae like insects do.



Dragonfly

When dragonflies first hatch, they are known as larvae and stay in the water for a year. It is common to find them near rivers, lakes, ponds, and streams. They lie in the sun in the morning before a day of flying.



Beetle

Beetles have two sets of wings, the first pair is harder and shield their flying wings, which are hiding below. They can live anywhere from the driest deserts to the wettest rainforests.



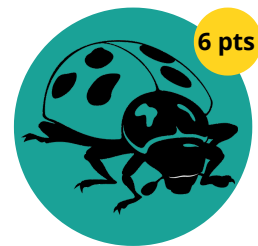
Bee or a wasp

Bees are different from wasps because they have small combs on their arms to help them clean their antennae and they also have unique wings.



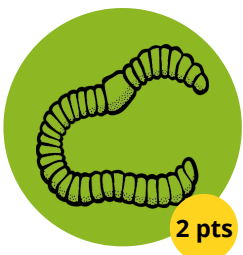
Ant

Ants live in colonies with a queen ant and up to a million other ants. They can carry 20 times their own body weight. That's like you lifting a car!



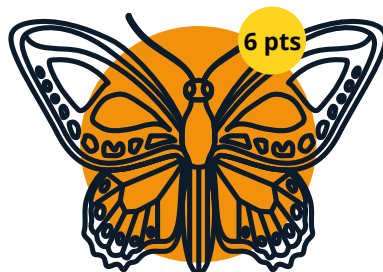
Ladybird

Ladybirds come in many colors, most commonly red, orange, yellow or scarlet with black dots on them. Their dots get lighter as they get older.



Worm

They live in soil where they eat organic waste. Instead of legs, worms are covered in hairs that help them to move.



Butterfly

Butterflies eat the nectar from flowers, pollen, tree sap, or rotting fruit. Butterflies have taste receptors on their feet.



Snail

Snails live under rocks and logs and in dark places. Other snails live in water, like lakes and ponds. Some snails even live in oceans!

Total points

