



# Plan for Week

## Minibeast Fact File

Lesson 1 – SPaG (Spelling and Grammar)

Lesson 2 – Planning

Lesson 3 – Writing about 1<sup>st</sup> Minibeast

Lesson 4 – Writing about 2<sup>nd</sup> Minibeast

Lesson 5 – Front cover, contents re-read and edit



**Year 2**  
**English**  
**Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> June 2020**



# SPaG

- Think about yesterday's work on capital letters and full stops.

Where should capital letters and full stops be used in this paragraph?



Where would you also need commas?

mr monk loves riding his bike he tries to ride his bike as much as he can to keep fit he likes riding up leigh hill on hot sunny days



# Lesson aim

- I can plan for information writing about minibeads.

Success Criteria:

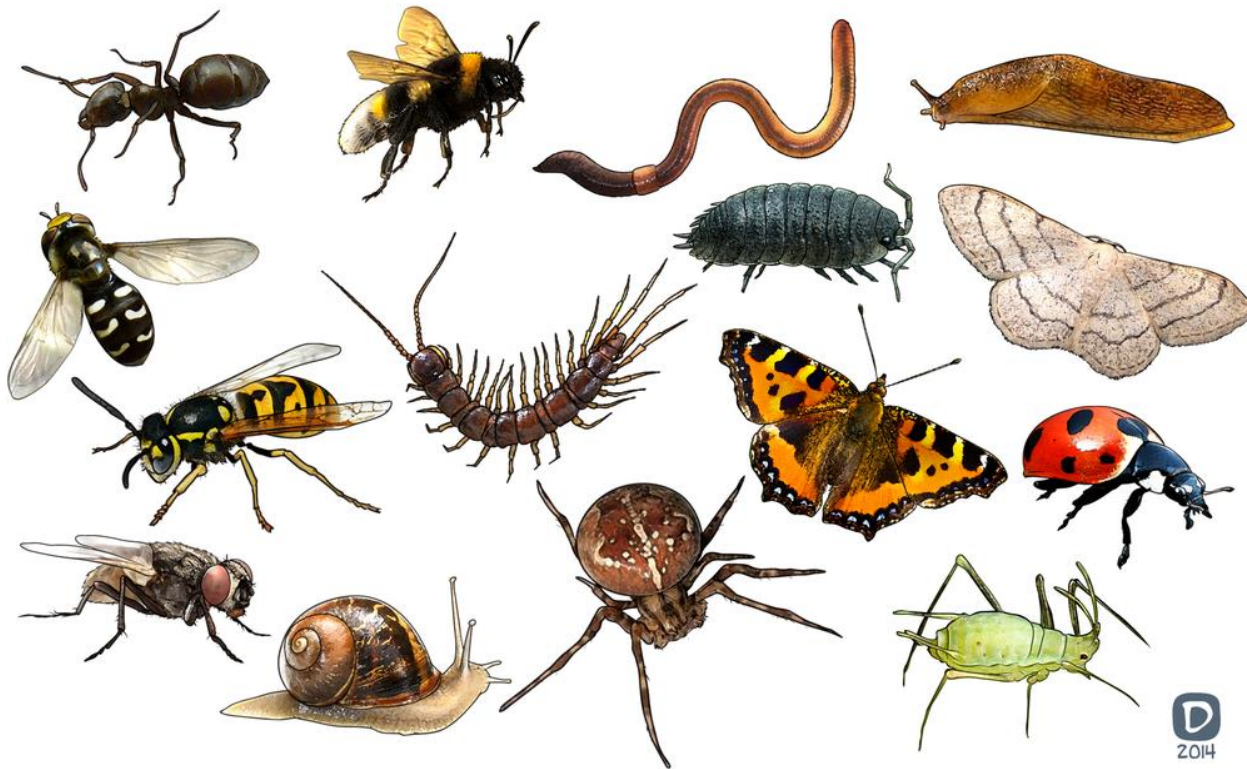
I can read information carefully.

I can record facts using bullet points.



# Planning your minibeast fact file

What minibeasts did you find yesterday?





**Choose 2 mini-beast that you would like to write about this week.**

**You are going to research some facts about them.**

**Find out and write down facts in your book about :**

- What they look like**
- What their habitat is**
- What they eat**
- Other interesting facts**

**Look at the example about woodlice on the next page.**



# Woodlice

## Appearance

- has 14 legs- starts with 12 then grows another 2.
- hard shell
- antennae** to help find food
- usually grey or brown- **camouflage**



## Habitat

- found in dark, damp places
- under bark and leaves
- gardens, woods



## Diet

- detritivore**- eats dead plants and bark on the floor

## Interesting facts

- can roll into a ball for protection
- often go looking for food at night



# Research

Different ways to do your research:

- The minibeast fact cards on the school website
- If you have a book with minibeast information in it, you could use that
- Web sites:
  - <https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/category/discover/animals/>
  - <https://www.coolkidfacts.com/animals/>
- TV shows – the Cbeebies series ‘Minibeast Adventures with Jess’ (available on the BBC website and youtube)