

TOP 10 Mini-beasts - Mind bogglers!



Dragonfly: Because of where their eyes are, they can see all around without moving their heads. Keep your head still, and move your eyes. What can you see?



Grasshopper: Can jump 20 times its own body length. How far can you jump?



Shield Bug: Is shaped just like a shield for protection. We have to wear a suit of armour!



Woodlice: Have 14 legs, and grow a new shell, when they go from a baby into adult. We just get bigger clothes!



Centipede: If they lose a leg they can grow another. Wow!



Spider: Have an exoskeleton. This means their skeleton is on the outside. We would look weird!



Honey Bee: Use funky moves to talk to one another, instead of speaking! It's a bit like miming in dance. Have a go with your friends!



Earwig: They normally rest in the day and come out at night to sense foul smelling stuff to eat!



Ladybirds: The black spotted and red one, uses this colourful shell to warn animals. It means, 'I don't taste nice!'



Common Ant: Can lift about 20 times their own body weight. Could you lift 20 of you? Now that's strong!

Did you know...

Cannock Chase is covered in billions of creepy crawlies. Err! But they do a very important job. They break up old leaves which feed new plants and even help some flowers change into fruit (pollination). Like super heroes, they each have a special power!