

MINIBEASTS

Session Brief | EYFS

(30 mins)

After reading the fantastic story "The Very Hungry Caterpillar" by Eric Carle, we look at the life cycle of a butterfly and touch and hold creepy crawlies! We will look at how many legs insects have and the different body parts they have compared to us.

Session Content

- Look at the life cycle of a butterfly.
- Investigate how insects are different to us.
- Enjoy an interactive story.
- Meet some real minibeasts.

Early Learning Goals

- Show care and concern for living things and the environment.
- They make observations of animals and plants and explain why some things occur, and talk about changes.

Pre-visit

- Look at how many legs an insect has.

During visit

- Take a tour of our zoo and have a look and see what minibeasts you can find.

Post-visit

- Go on a bug hunt outside and draw all the bugs you find.
- Can you count how many bugs you found on your bug hunt?