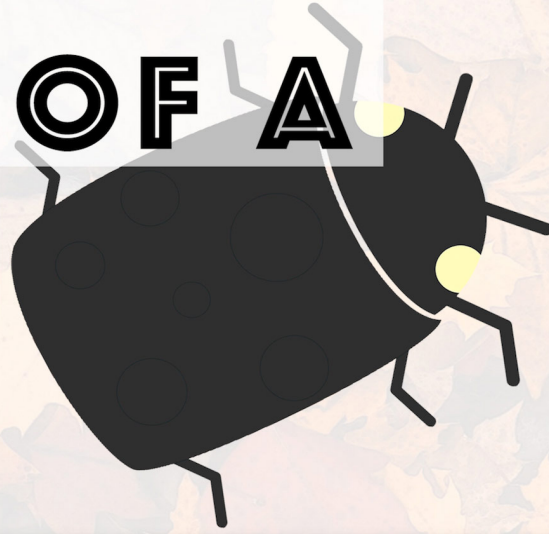


# A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A BUG



## -- TEACHER'S GUIDE --

This diary writing and research project is a great way to get your class learning about and having fun with first person narrative in the form of diary writing (recounts) in the outdoors.

Your class are to choose a minibeast and spend a few days finding, exploring, and researching their chosen minibeast. They will then have great fun planning and writing a diary entry for their chosen minibeast based around "a day in the life of".

The recommended order in which to teach these resources is:

- Head outside with the identification sheet for them to choose a minibeast.
- Draw a picture of their minibeast while observing them.
- Complete the fact file (observation, books, internet).
- Go through the example diary entry. Could they suggest improvements?
- Discuss the checklist.
- Plan their writing.
- Write the diary entry.

This resource is a great way to get your class exploring outdoors while learning about a key writing style.

WOW word: A good descriptive word that will make the teacher say 'WOW!'