

Mini-beasts knowledge organiser

Key words	Definition
Mini-beast	A very small animal, which is an invertebrate.
Insect	A small animal with six legs, a body divided into three parts and, usually, two pairs of wings.
Antennae	Long feelers on the top of on an animal's head to help them sense the world around them.
Invertebrate	An animal without a backbone.
Carnivore	An animal that eats other animals.
Herbivore	An animal that eats plants.
Pincers	A sharp body part for grabbing things.
Habitat	The place where something lives.



Facts
There are lots of different types of mini-beasts.
They can be carnivores or herbivores.
Their colours help them hide or warn other animals not to eat them.
They can have different amounts of legs; some have lots of legs.
Some have wings and can fly.
They live in different types of habitats.
Some countries eat some mini-beasts, although we don't tend to in our country
Most types of mini-beasts lay eggs.