

# I wonder where it lives?

## Vocabulary Dozen

### Minibeast

Minibeasts are creatures without backbones such as worms, butterflies and snails.



### Insect

An insect is a minibeast that has a body which is in three sections, has 2 sets of wings and 6 legs.



### Habitat

A habitat is where a creature or animal lives.



### Environment

The environment is everything around us. All our surroundings including the air, soil, water, plants, and animals make up the environment.

### Life-cycle

A journey a living thing takes from the beginning of its life to the end.



### Food chain

A food chain is the order that living things depend on each other for food.

### Camouflage

When a creature has specific colourings, shape and texture that allow it to blend into its habitat.

### Egg

A round or oval object that contains what may become a young bird, reptile, insect, or other animal.



### Caterpillar

A little worm-like insect that grows up to be a butterfly or moth.



### Chrysalis/cocoon

A hard shell that a butterfly or moth rests in before it changes into an adult butterfly or moth.



### Butterfly

An insect with four large wings that flies mostly in the daytime.



### Metamorphosis

When an animal changes from one stage of its life to another, looking completely different as it grows up.