

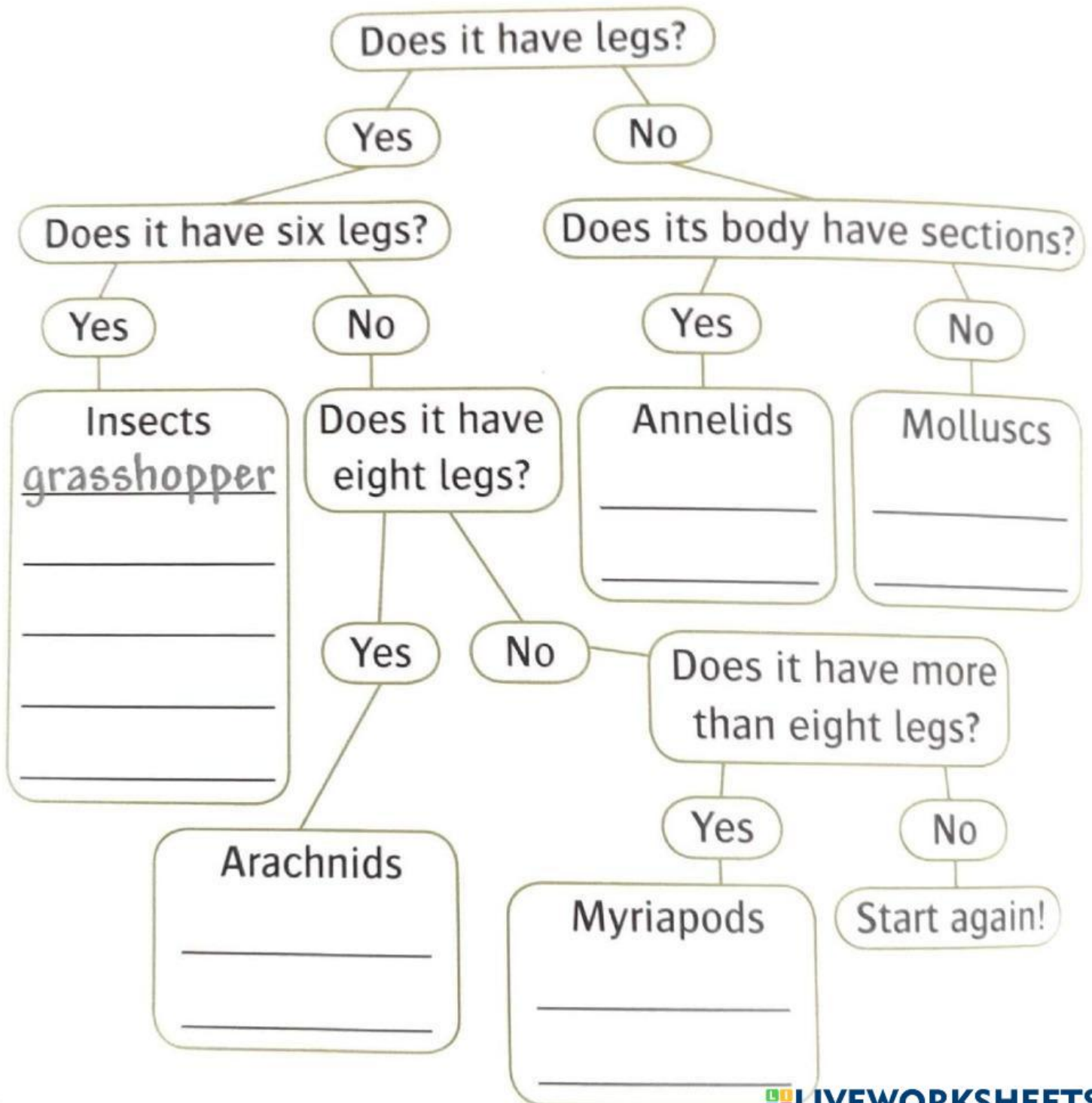
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Minibeasts

← Read pages 4–5.

1 Complete the chart.

leech grasshopper millipede fly centipede snail
bee ant spider slug earthworm beetle scorpion



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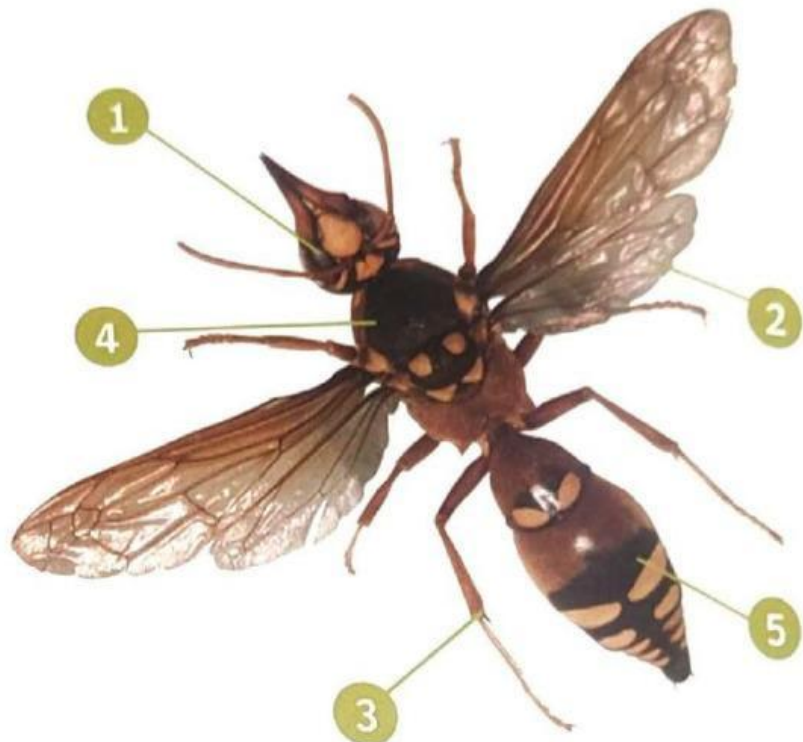
Insect Bodies

← Read pages 6–7.

1 Write the words.

head
thorax
abdomen
leg
wing

- 1 head
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____



2 Complete the sentences.

cover small new ~~bones~~ grow

Insects don't have any bones. They have a hard _____ called an exoskeleton. Insects _____, but their exoskeletons can't grow. When an exoskeleton is too _____, it comes off. Then the insect grows a _____, bigger exoskeleton.

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Insect Senses

← Read pages 8–9.

1 Write *true* or *false*.

- 1 All insects have only two eyes.
- 2 Some insects have more than two eyes.
- 3 Insects can see very clearly.
- 4 Insects can see things move.
- 5 All insects see light and dark.
- 6 Most insects have ears on their head.

false

2 Write the sentences.

These are antennae.

These eyes can see things move.

These eyes can see light and dark.

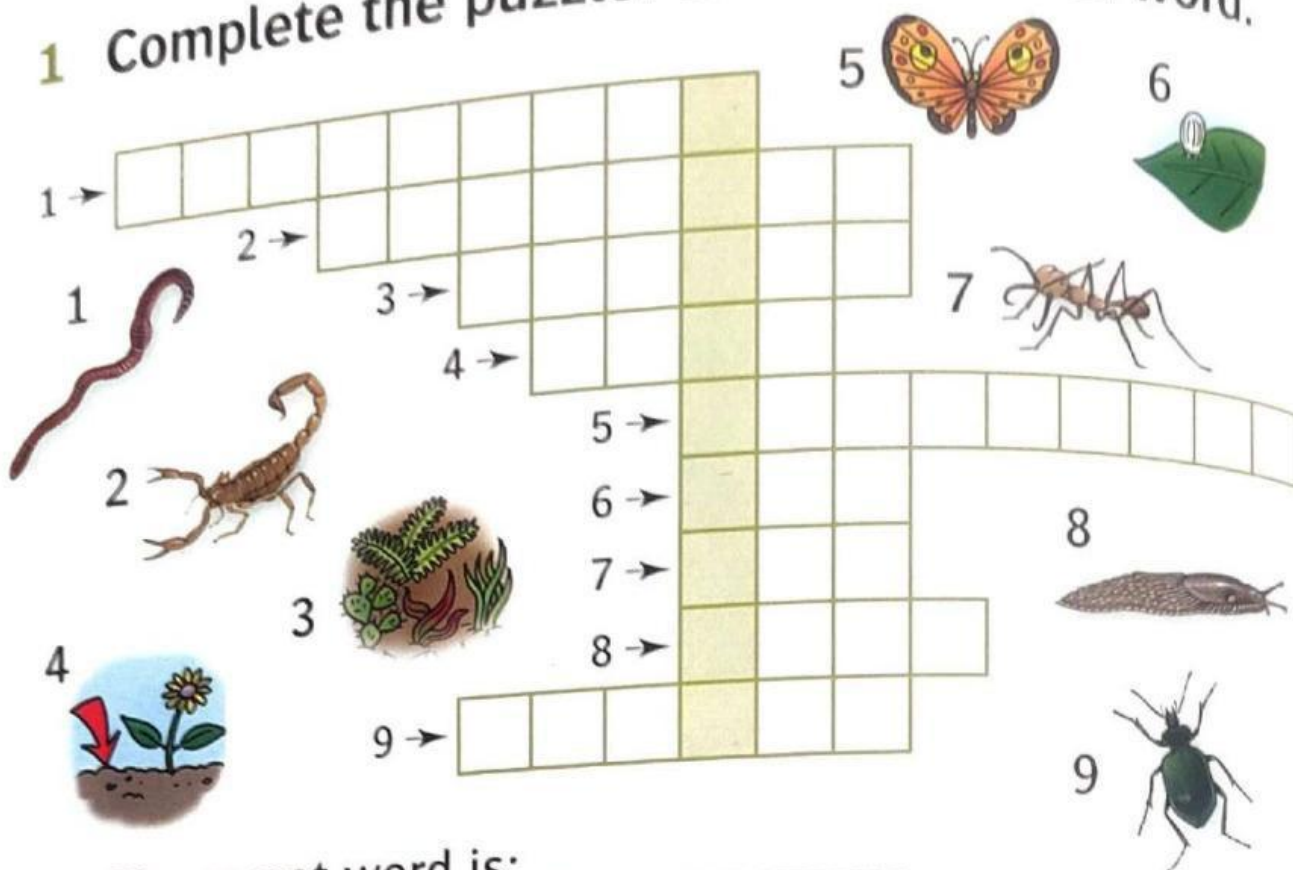


- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____

5 Baby Minibeasts

← Read pages 12–13.

1 Complete the puzzle. Write the secret word.



The secret word is: _____

2 Write ✓ or ✗

- 1 Most minibeasts lay eggs. ☒ have live babies.

- 2 Slugs and earthworms lay eggs in soil. ☐ on plants. ☐

- 3 Butterflies and beetles lay eggs in soil. ☐ on plants. ☐

- 4 Scorpions
lay eggs. ☐
have live babies. ☐

6 Working Insects

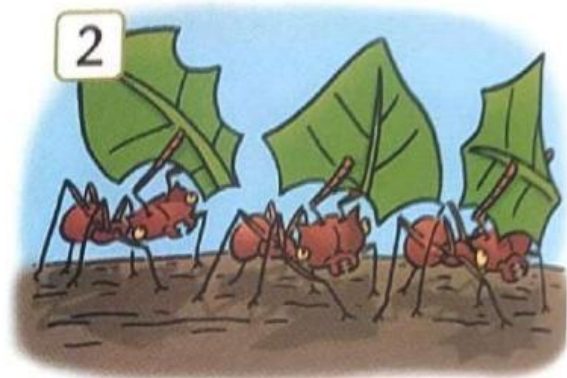
← Read pages 14–15.

1 Number the sentences in order. Then write.

- ☐ Fungus grows.
- ☐ They carry the leaves to their nest.
- ☒ 1 The leafcutter ants find leaves.
- ☐ They eat the fungus.



The leafcutter ants
find leaves



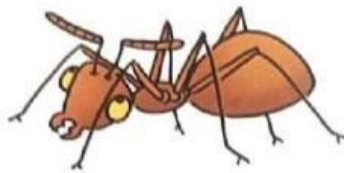
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Problems with Minibeasts

← Read pages 20–21.

1 Write the words.

ant mosquito locust
beetle moth



1 _____ 2 _____ 3 _____



4 _____ 5 _____

2 Circle the correct words.

- 1 A wasp can sting **again and again** / only once.
- 2 **All** / Some spiders have a poisonous bite.
- 3 A person **can** / can't die from the bite of a black widow spider.
- 4 **Spiders** / Mosquitoes give people malaria.
- 5 **Male** / Female mosquitoes bite.
- 6 Locusts eat food crops / clothes.