

# Colorful Insects

Insects have three main body parts, a head, a thorax, and an abdomen. Insects have six legs. Insects often have interesting patterns too.

**Goal:** Create a colorful bug that has a pattern or patterns.

**You could use:**

- Paper and crayons
- Recycled objects
- Sticks, pebbles, and leaves
- Craft Supplies
- Construction Paper



**What to do:**

- Make an insect, either a real insect or an imaginary one. Draw and color the insect or if you prefer, use paper and objects to make a 3-dimensional insect.
- Use a pattern to decorate your insect's legs, head, thorax, and/or abdomen.
- Explain to somebody which pattern you used to decorate your insect. Did you use more than one pattern when making the insect? If so, are they different types of patterns?

