

Fingerprint Bug Pages

An ink pad, ten fingers, and a garden full of bugs.

What you need: this printable, a washable ink pad (or a blob of paint on a sponge), a fine black pen, and a damp cloth for sticky fingers.

Page 2 - Bug guide: how to turn one fingerprint into a ladybird, a bee, an ant, a caterpillar, a spider and a snail.

Page 3 - The garden: press your fingerprints anywhere on the page, then draw legs, wings and antennae to decide what each one became.

Page 4 - Bug hunt tally: stamp one print for every bug you really find outside.

Toddlers can stamp while you draw the legs. Five-year-olds will want the pen.

Six bugs from one fingerprint

Ladybird

one red print + black dots and a head



Bee

one yellow print + black stripes and wings



Ant

three small prints in a row + six legs



Caterpillar

five green prints in a curve + a face



Spider

one print + eight legs, four each side



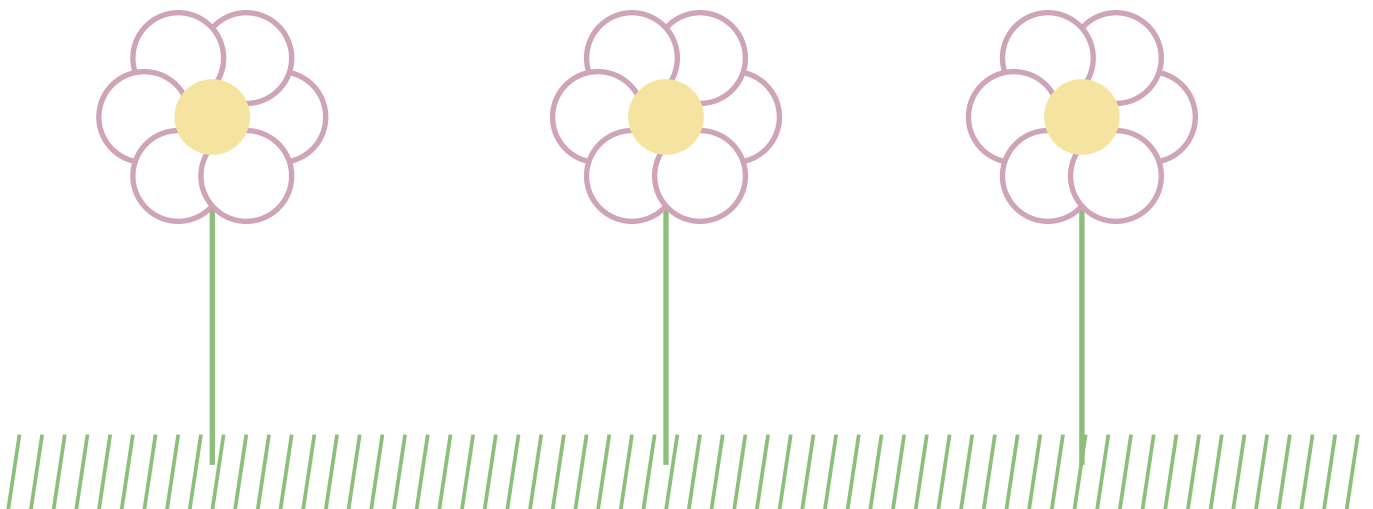
Snail

one print + a spiral and two feelers



Fill the garden with bugs

Stamp your fingerprints, then draw legs, wings and antennae.



Bug hunt tally

One fingerprint for every bug you really find outside.

Ladybird



Bee



Ant



Spider



Snail



Butterfly



Woodlouse



Something new

