



EarthLearn

Innovator & Campaigner Learning Activities

Championing solutions to improve invertebrate biodiversity and wellbeing, now and in the future

24. How about a minibeast feast?

Requirements: writing materials

7-11 years: teacher-led or small group discussion, followed by working in pairs or individually (or fully teacher-led for 7-9 years)

12-14 years: teacher-led or small group discussion, followed by working in pairs or individually

Curriculum: Science (living organisms; biology; nutrition); English (oracy and writing); Citizenship (invertebrate wellbeing)

Time: 20 minutes

How do you feel about eating snails, crickets or ants? From snails in France, to fried crickets in Thailand, honey ants in Australia, and crabs in Cornwall, humans are eating minibeasts all over the world. They are very nutritious and packed with protein.

Use your imagination to prepare a minibeast feast menu with your friends: Starter – Main Course – Desert!

Should we be encouraging more people to eat minibeasts as a sustainable source of protein?