

Lab Tots Report Card



Session Venue & Time: Hartsfield JMI, Tuesdays

Lab Tots Term: Autumn Term 2018

Instructor: Sophia Mitchell

Session Dates: 9th Oct 2018

What We Did & What We Learnt:

Crazy Critters 2

- We looked at some real life bugs (arthropods) preserved in acetate and continued our research and observations as entomologists!
- We looked at the UV properties of scorpions
- We observed the detailed anatomy using a range of microscopes
- We discussed some fun facts on each of our real examples
- We looked at iridescence in the emerald beetle and the blue morpho
- We undertook a metamorphosis challenge, to create a caterpillar using pegs and a peg board. The children made a pattern with the pegs and once completed, could only use the pegs from the caterpillar to complete their butterfly. The butterfly had to be symmetrical, thus critical thinking & planning skills were needed for this challenge

