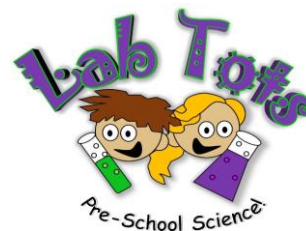


# Lab Tots Report Card



**Session Venue & Time:** Hartsfield JMI, Tuesdays

**Lab Tots Term:** Autumn Term 2018

**Instructor:** Sophia Mitchell

**Session Dates:** 13<sup>th</sup> Nov 2018

## What We Did & What We Learnt:

### Crazy Critters

- We continued our interest in bugs (arthropods) and classifications, becoming entomologists!
- We went on a big hunt and identified a range of bugs, looking closely at their anatomy using magnifying glasses
- We put the bugs into groups based on their similarities and discussed the key features of those groups (insects, arachnids, slugs & snails, woodlice/crustaceans, worms, centipedes & millipedes)
- We focussed on butterflies and their lifecycle
- We went through metamorphosis as the process, looking at the very hungry caterpillar and real life butterfly models
- We discussed colouration of the blue morpho and iridescence from nanostructures in the wings
- We made our own butterfly print, looking at symmetry
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