

forest preserve KIDS!

Families: New in September!

Do you want to look for insects but don't know how or don't have the tools? Well, come out to the forest preserve and borrow an insect backpack! Each backpack will contain a how-to guide, insect nets, bug boxes, insect guides, and much more. They will be available in September at the Environmental Education Center at Homer Lake Forest Preserve, the Early American Museum and our Headquarters office at Lake of the Woods Forest Preserve. For more information, please call 217-896-2455

Insect Fact!



Bees and Butterflies are very important pollinators for many types of plants. Some other insect pollinators you may not know about are:

Flies



Beetles

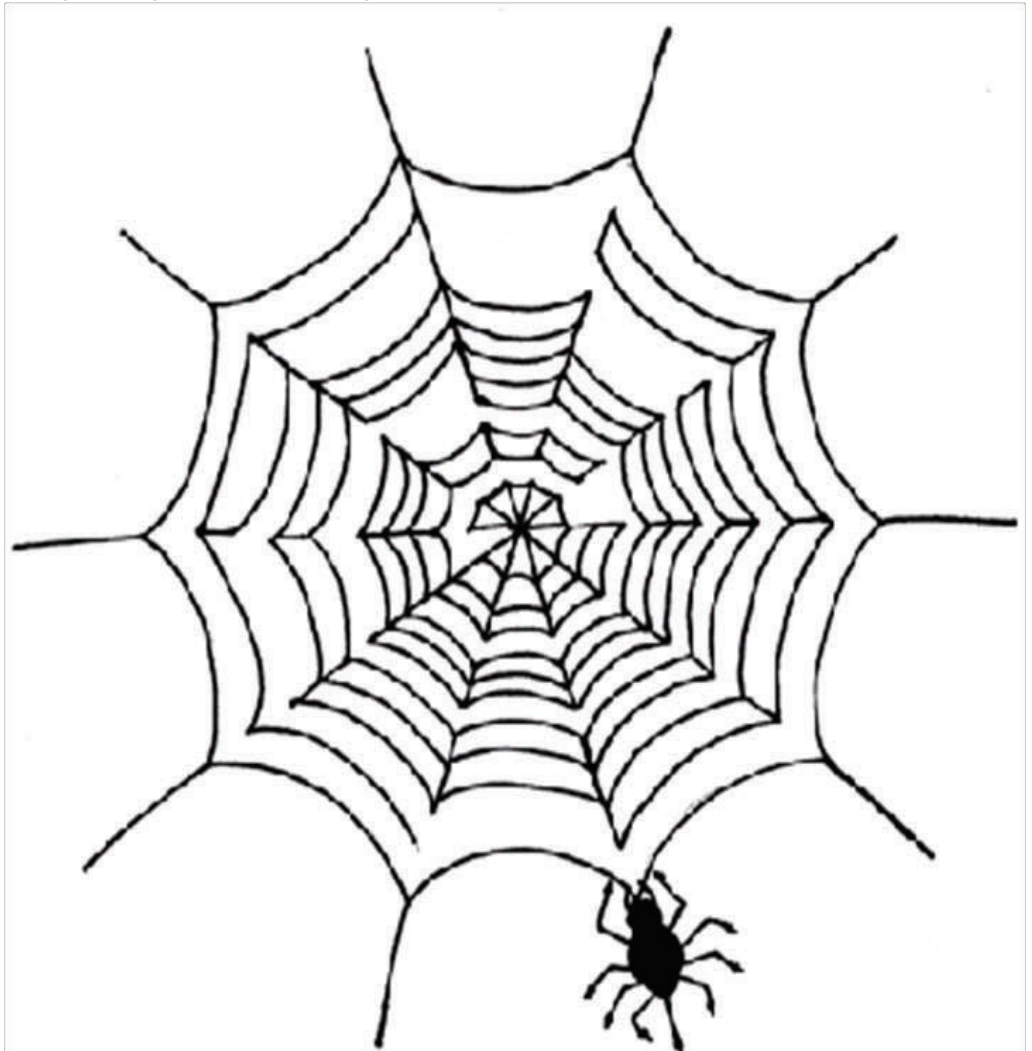


Wasps










Spider Web Maze!

Spider needs to get to the center of her web to wait for insects. Can you help her find the way?



Insect Catch!

The insect pictures and names are in the wrong order here. See if you can "CATCH" these insects by drawing a line to match their name with their picture.

						
BEE	DRAGONFLY	CRICKET	PRAYING MANTIS	ANT	MOTH	BUTTERFLY