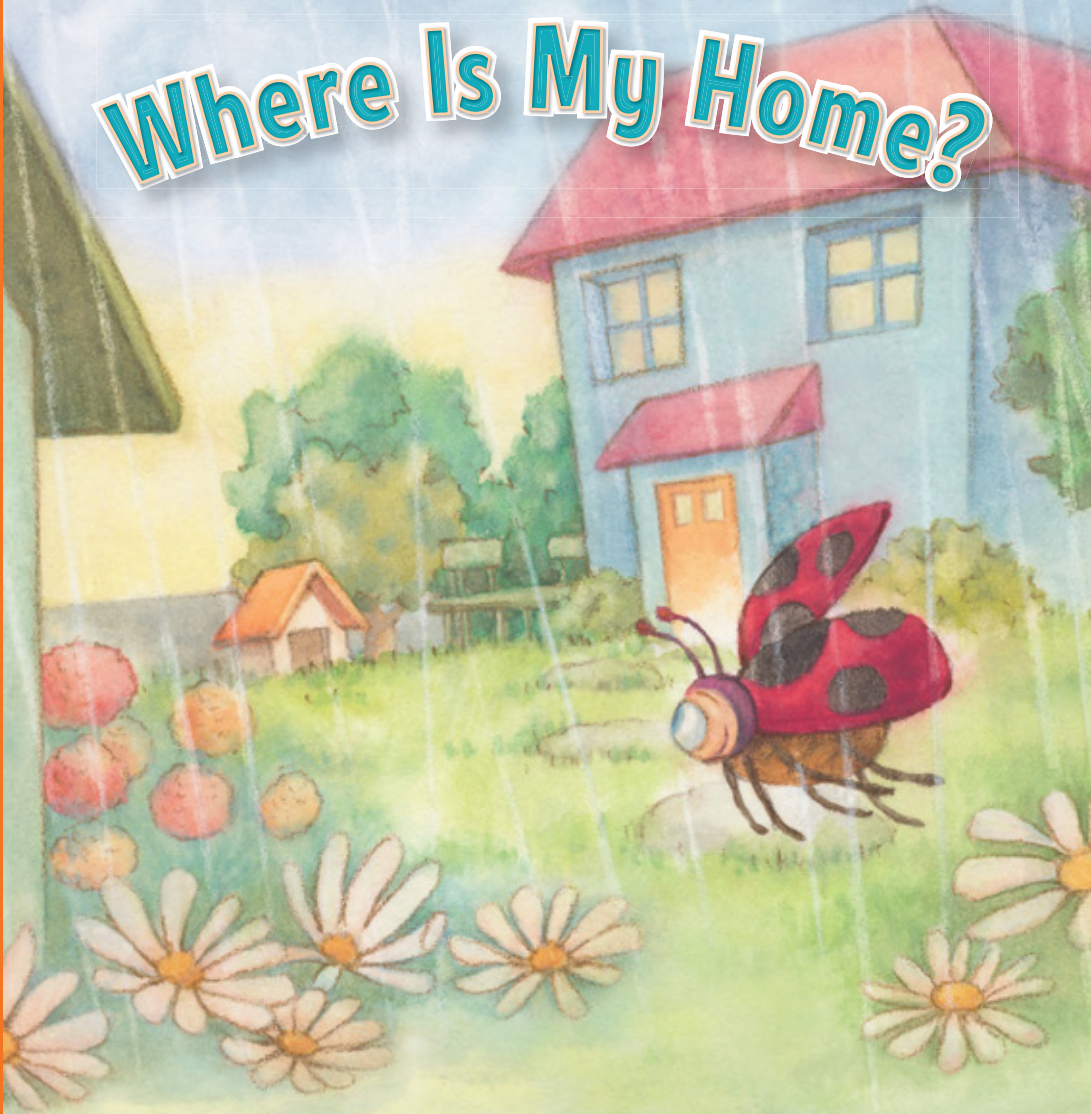


Fantasy

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Wings

STRATEGIES & SKILLS

Comprehension

Strategy: Visualize

Skill: Point of View

Vocabulary

beautiful, caught, fancy,
flew, know, laugh, listen,
were

Phonics

Long *i*: *i*, *y*, *igh*, *ie*

Content Standards

Science

Life Science

Word count: 191**

**The total word count is based on words in the running text and headings only. Numerals and words in captions, labels, diagrams, charts, and sidebars are not included.



Genre Fantasy



Essential Question

**What insects do you know about?
How are they alike and different?**

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Chapter 1

Dog and Bird



The bug likes to play and laugh. Now she is caught in the rain. She flies to the doghouse.

“Is this my home?”
she asks.

The dog says, “Ruff, ruff!”

“This is not my home,”
the bug says.





“This looks just right,” the bug says.

The bird yells, "Squawk!"

"This is not my home,"
sighs the bug.



Chapter 2

Bees and Ants

The bug sees a hive. She
flies up to it.

“Is this my home?”



The bees say, "Buzz, buzz."

"I can't stay here. Listen to all that buzzing!" cries the bug.



The bug sees an ant hill.
Will that make a good
home?

“Oh, my, this won’t work,”
says the bug.



“It will soon be night. I don’t know what to do. I wish I were home.”

The bug is tired. She flew all day.





The bug finds a home.

“It is fancy and beautiful.
I can sleep here.”

It is a quiet night. The bug found a home. Good night!



Respond to Reading

Retell

Use the chart to retell *Where Is My Home?*

Character	Clue	Point of View

Text Evidence

1. Look at page 5. Why is the bird mad? **Point of View**
2. Look at page 7. How does the bug feel about the bees?
Point of View
3. How do you know that *Where Is My Home?* is a pretend story? **Genre**

Compare Texts

Compare insect wings.

Wings

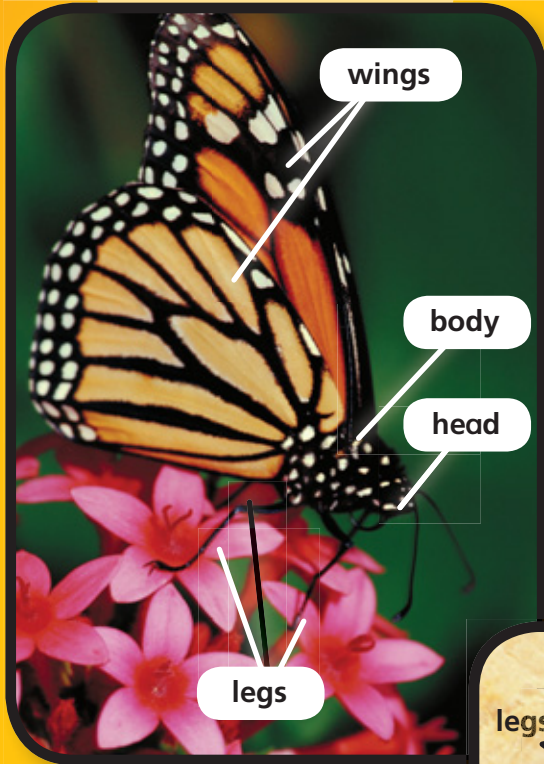




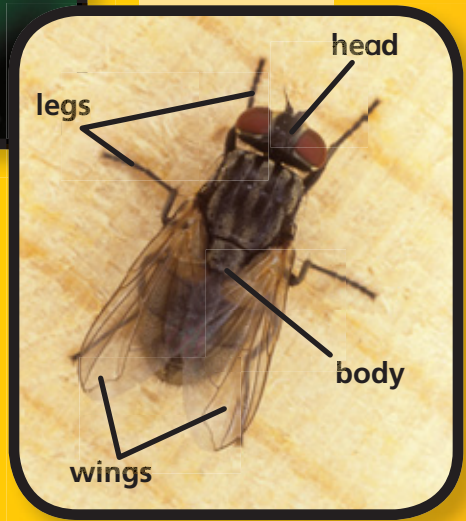
Insects

Look at the insects. Each one has wings. A butterfly has four colorful wings. A fly has one pair of wings. They are not as colorful as a butterfly's wings.

Butterfly



Fly



Make Connections

How is a bug like a butterfly?

How is it different? [Text to Text](#)

Focus on Science

Purpose To compare insects

What to Do

Step 1 Who are the insects in *Where Is My Home?* Write this list:

bug

bee

ant

Step 2 Read your list. If an insect has wings, write *yes*.

Step 3 If an insect has no wings, write *no*.

Conclusion Which insects on your list have wings?

Thinkmark

Characters

Who is the main character in *Where Is My Home?*

Plot

What was the bug's problem?
How did she solve it?

Sequence of Events

What happened in the beginning of the story? What happened at the end?