

Ladybirds

This task is about reading a text to find information and make inferences.

Read the article about ladybirds, written by Diana Noonan, from *The garden* by Diana Noonan and Nic Bishop. Then answer the questions.

a) What are the names of two insects that ladybird larvae eat?

i) ii)

b) Why don't birds eat ladybirds?

c) What do ladybirds sometimes do when they "play dead"?

d) What does "play dead" mean?

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