

Hi Children's School Campers!

This week, we're focusing our bug theme on all sorts of crawling critters like **spiders** and **worms**! We're excited for all the exploring you'll get to do this week...

Dramatic Play with Mr. Allen: [How Can Insects Help People?](#) Mr. Allen takes a walk through his neighborhood garden and thinks about how bugs and insects work together to grow food. Earthworms keep our soil full of nutrients while spiders protect our plants from hungry bugs. Then, Mr. Allen decides to play a pretend game to help keep the garden strong! He searches for pretend worms in dirt and creates a spider web to shield the growing plants.

Music with Mrs. Bird:

1. Learn a new song about **WORMS**.
[Talking and Singing About Worms](#)
2. Watch Mrs. Bird make a new home for pet worms.
[New Home For the Worms](#)
3. Sing along with Mrs. Bird in lots of different ways.
[Playing With Music - The Eensy Weensy Spider](#)
4. Listen to this fun story about The Itsy Bitsy Spider
[Itsy-Bitsy Spider's Heroic Climb by David Novak](#) (click on the "listen for free" link)

Movement with Miss Dzina:

Design your very own obstacle course at home! Be creative with it: go under things, over things, around things, through things... Once you're done, you're going to race yourself through it so have a stopwatch ready. Pretend to be a worm and wriggle through your obstacle course. Pretend to be a spider and crawl through your obstacle course. Did you go faster as a worm or as a spider? What other bugs could you pretend to be going through your obstacle course?

Read Aloud with Mrs. Opferman:

1. [I Am a Little Spider by Marta Prims and Nuria Roca](#)
Check out [Mrs. Opferman's Garden Spider](#)
2. Bugs disguise themselves in amazing ways to avoid being eaten! Use your eyes to see if you can find these [Masters of Disguise](#)

Games with Mrs. Loomis:

*Hi Friends! I recently walked outside to go to my car. I found a beautiful spider web that a hard-working spider created right on the front door of my car! Be sure to check the attachment ([Spider Web.jpg](#)) to see this glorious work of art in nature!

*Click [HERE](#) to play the Creepy Crawly Video Game!



Video Quiz

Creepy Crawly Video Quiz

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How much do you know about spiders and worms?
Watch the videos to search for the answers to these questions.

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*I thought for the last week of Bug Camp you might enjoy learning some Bug Jokes! Check out the [attachment](#) ([Bug Jokes.pdf](#)) and start making your friends and family laugh out loud!

Bugs with Mr. Salinetto:

- This week our video is about spiders... and there are a few bonus bugs at the end! Go to [The Children's School YouTube page](#) to watch "Mr. Salinetto Talks Spiders".
- Journal Ideas: In the video, we saw 7 different types of spider. What would your spider look like? What color would you use? How big is it? Remember to use 8 eyes and 8 legs! On another page, can you cover it with a spider's web?
- ***GO OUT AND START LOOKING!... "There is nothing like looking, if you want to find something. You certainly usually find something, if you look..." ~ J.R.R. Tolkien, "The Hobbit"***

Have fun,
The Camp Team

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