



Nature around us



Birds

- When you hear birds singing or chirping, they are either speaking to each other or sending messages about food or danger.







Ants

An ant walking up a tree: the ant needs what the tree provides.

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An ant carrying a seed: the plant needs the ant to carry its seeds underground.

Ants following each other in a trail: ant sisters help each other find and carry food.













Beetles & Woodlice

- Many beetles eat leaves and help the soil become richer.

The woodlouse eats dead plant material and helps the composting process.









Spiders

- A spider's web: the spider catches food and keeps insect numbers in control so that there is enough food for all.







Butterflies, bees and other insects on flowers

The insect sucks nectar and while its hairy body rubs against the flower, the flower gets pollinated.

















Aphids

- Aphids get food from plants and are an important link in many food chains.





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