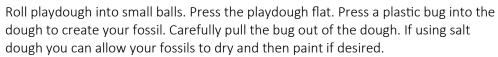


Bugs, Bugs, Bugs!

Playdough Bug Fossils

- Playdough or homemade salt dough (see below)
- Plastic bugs





Salt dough: Mix 2cups of flour and 1cup of salt. Slowly add 3/4 cup of boiling water and mix until it forms a dough and isn't sticky. Allow your creations to air dry overnight then place in oven at 120 degrees for 3 hours. Allow to air dry another day before painting if possible. After painting, seal with varnish or PVA glue.

Invitation to Create a Bug

- Construction paper
- Scissors
- Glue stick
- Googly eyes (optional)





Cut construction paper into many shapes (circles, thin strips, squares, etc). Let you child glue the pieces onto a sheet of paper to create their very own bug! From: www.cuttingtinybites.com

The Bugs Outside

(Tune: "The Wheels on the Bus")

The fireflies at night go blink, blink, blink.
Blink, blink, blink. Blink, blink, blink.
The fireflies at night go blink, blink, blink
Out in the garden.

Continue with: bees/flowers/buzz, cricket/fields/chirp, worms/in the ground/wiggle and squirm

Mosquito

I'm a great big fat mosquito (gesture "big")
And I'm coming after you. (point at child)
I think your blood is yummy, (rub belly)
It tastes like candy goo.
I really, really like you
And I just don't understand, (shrug shoulders)
Why when I come to meet you
You swat me with your hand! (swat—clap hands)



