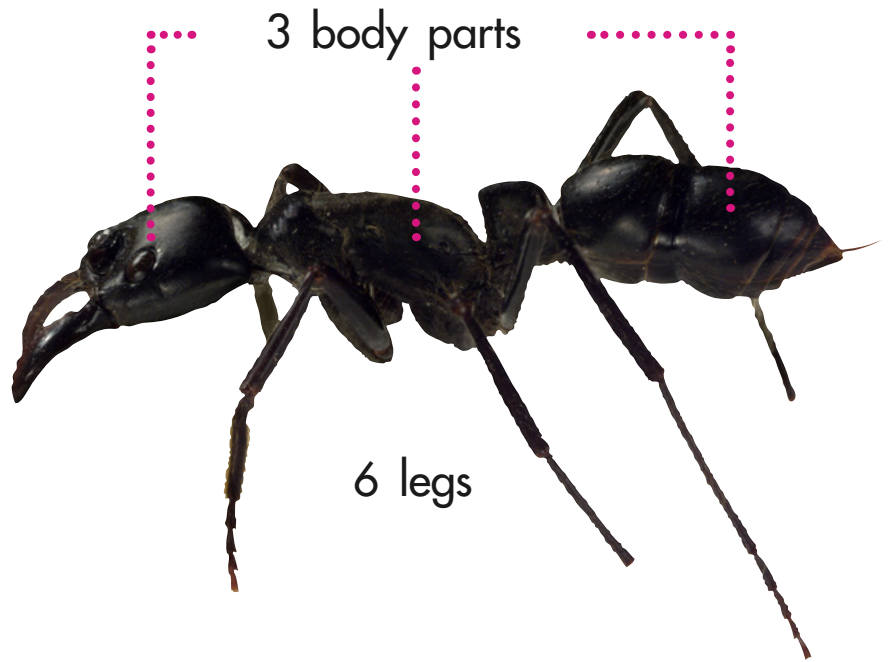


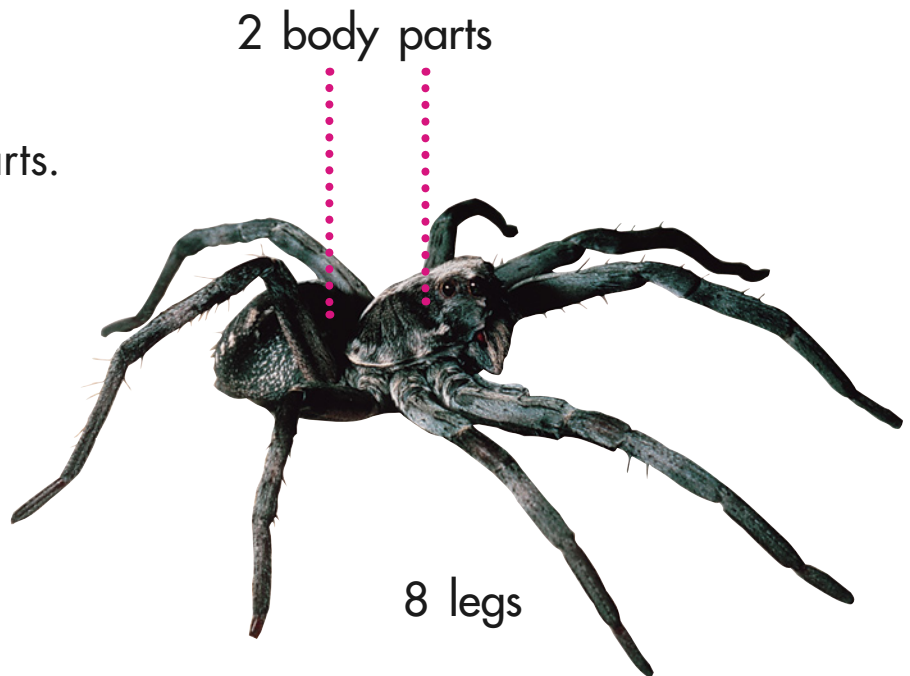
# Insects and Arachnids

Wiggle, hop, buzz, creep. Creepy crawlies are all around us.



**Insects** have 6 legs.  
Insects have 3 body parts.

Spiders have 8 legs.  
Spiders have 2 body parts.



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Spiders are not insects! They are **arachnids**.

There are more differences between insects and arachnids. Insects have two eyes. Arachnids have eight eyes. Insects have antennae to feel. Arachnids use bristles on their legs to feel. Most insects have wings. Arachnids never have wings.



	Insects	Arachnids
body parts	3: head, thorax, abdomen	2: cephalothorax, abdomen
legs	6 legs	8 legs
eyes	2 eyes	8 eyes
antennae	yes	no
wings	mostly	no



Can you be a detective? Look carefully at these creepy crawlies. Are they insects or arachnids? How do you know?

