

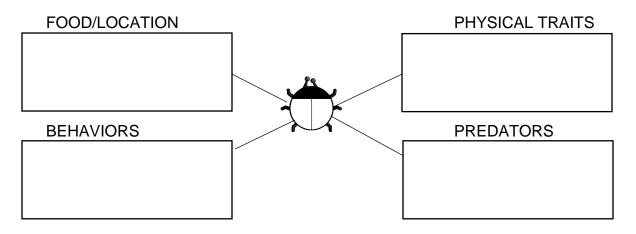
Name Shape Insect

Make the insect:

- 1. Fold a piece of colored construction paper in half the long ways.
- 2. Write your first or last name so that the bottom of your name is on the fold
- 3. Next, cut out the outline of your name. Do not cut along the fold line.
- 4. Open it up. Turn it over so that the pencil/pen/marker line doesn't show.
- 5. Add googly eyes, sequins, paint, puffy paint, what have you to add details!

Describe the insect:

- 6. Create a name for the insect.
- 7. Show the following graphic organizer:



- 8. Think of physical traits and behaviors.
- 9. Decide where the insect lives and what it eats as well as what kills and eats it.

Now to write!

- 1. Hook the reader with a question: Have you ever heard of a _____?
- 2. Name the insect and describe its appearance.
- 3. Describe its behaviors.
- 4. Write about where it lives and what it eats.
- 5. Write about its predators.
- 6. Write a conclusion that warns the reader. So watch out for a ______ whenever you

Writers can glue their insect to the back of their writing and place it in a plastic page protector.

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