



# Egg Carton Bugs

IT'S THAT TIME of the school year: picture day! But wait, this is no everyday class: it's filled with Buttons, Feathers, Pom-poms, Strings and Wheely things, and of course, GLUE! Read the book with the children and then make some of your own creatures!

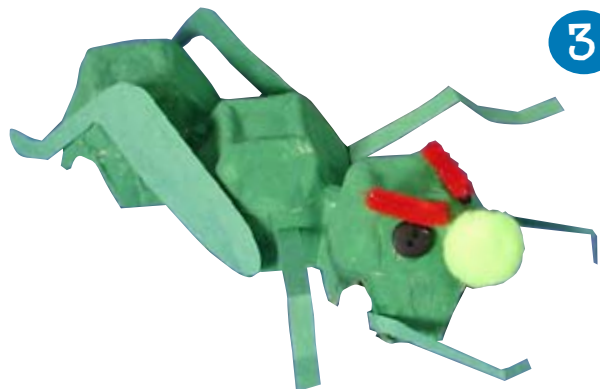


## MATERIALS

- Egg cartons
- Poster paint
- Construction paper
- Glue
- Miscellaneous items: sequins, buttons, pipe cleaners, pom poms, beads, yarn, easter grasses, etc.

## INSTRUCTIONS

- 1 Prepare ahead for activity by cutting up egg cartons into single, double and triple sections.
- 2 Have children start by painting the bodies in solid colors. Let base colors dry. Then paint on stripes and spots. Let paint dry.
- 3 Glue on legs, tongues, eyes, wings antenea and stingers using construction paper and the miscellaneous items.



**TIP:** Talk to children about bugs and the different parts of bug bodies before beginning the activity. Encourage them to invent their own bugs!