

Build a Minibeast home



Create a safe place for minibeasts to live, hibernate and lay their eggs. It can be as simple or fancy as you like. Make sure you put it in a sheltered area that won't get disturbed.

You will need:

- Something to give structure eg a large plastic drinks bottle, an old mug, a clean food can, old bricks, roof tiles
- Twigs, hollow dead stems/canes, pine cones, old plant pots, dried plant stems, dried seed heads

What to do:

1. Build your structure or secure a way of hanging it. Make sure the rain is not able to get in.
2. Stuff it with materials which will allow the bugs to crawl in.
3. Come back soon and see if any beasties have moved in.
4. As the material rots down, add more to keep it packed.

