

Discover the Unwanted Insects

Read the sentences below. Visit our Easy Science for Kids pages [Cockroaches](#), [Mosquitoes](#), [Locusts](#), and [Lice](#) to find the missing words. Write them in the empty spaces and find these hidden words in the puzzle!

[Words might be hidden horizontally, vertically and perhaps even back to front...!]

1. Female mosquitoes use _____ to nourish their eggs. Both males and females drink _____ as food.
2. Lice feed on tiny amounts of blood from the _____. Sometimes they leave red, itchy _____.
3. Cockroaches can live for one month without _____. A cockroach can live up to one week without its _____.
4. Locusts can _____ long distances, so they can cause major damage. They've been known to fly from _____ to England.
5. Mosquitoes can sense body _____ and smell body odor to locate prey.
6. Cockroaches can run up to three _____ per hour.
7. The _____ confuses the locusts and they drop to the ground. The people catch them, _____ them and eat them.
8. Head lice are really _____. Adult lice are only about as big as a _____ seed.
9. Mosquitoes lay as many as 200 eggs in _____. The eggs can live up to five _____ before hatching.

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