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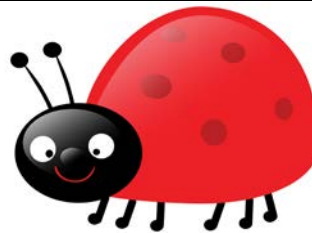


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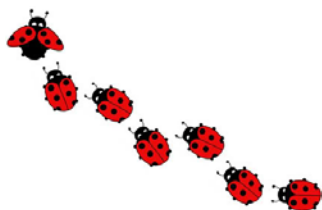


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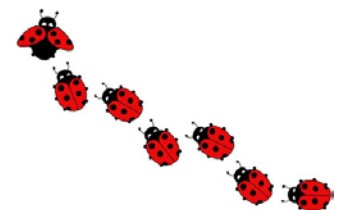
First Grade Scientists



First grade Scientists are hard at work studying ladybugs! The students read several nonfiction texts about ladybugs to learn many new and interesting facts about these beetles. They are observing three of the four stages in the ladybug's life cycle. First graders are comparing the differences they observe in the larva, pupa, and adult stages and are using many, varied, and unusual words to describe their observations. Using a magnifying lens, the students are able to look closely at the details in their bodies. They are labeling diagrams by identifying the jaws, antennae, head, thorax, abdomen, and legs. The students are responsible for keeping the ladybugs' environment moist by adding water to the habitat. Once the adults emerge, they will add raisins to provide food. First Grade Scientists are looking forward to our release day!



Have a wonderful weekend!
Sincerely,



Mrs. Joanne Mannion, Principal