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Activity Guide #2

Alien Invaders / Invasores extraterrestres

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Subjects
Science
Art

Brief Description
Bugs eat many different things such as leaves, sap, pollen, nectar—and other bugs! In this activity, children decorate cupcakes to look like the things insects/bugs like to eat. They also will learn about the clues certain insects leave behind after feeding.

Objectives
- Learn to identify insect food sources
- Learn to identify insect clues in the environment

Key Words
Insect identification, insect habitat, insect food sources, bug/insect art project

Grade Level(s)
K-4

Materials Needed
Insect books/field guides
Internet sites on specific insects
Small cupcakes
Colored decorations such as icing, jimmies, nuts, etc.

Activities
- Talk about what bugs eat and the clues children have seen (like slug trails in *Alien Invaders / Invasores extraterrestres*, holes in leaves, etc.)
- Look in the books and on web sites to find out more insect food source information.
- Decorate cupcakes to 'appeal' to bugs—a leaf made from icing with a hole nibbled in it, perhaps with a marzipan slug or gummy worm.

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