Chapter One

Rosie was in the backyard. She was playing with her little cousin, Josh.

Josh saw a bug. He pointed at it and shouted, 'Bug!'

Then he picked up the bug and tried to put it in his mouth.

'You mustn't do that!' said Rosie. 'Now go inside and wash your hands, please.'



Ben and Max came to the backyard.

- 'We're going to study minibeasts with Grandpa!' said Ben happily. 'Come with us, Rosie!'
- Rosie wasn't sure. 'I don't really like bugs,' she said.
- 'You like butterflies and ladybugs,' said Max.
- 'And look Josh is playing inside now,' said Ben.
- 'OK,' said Rosie. 'Let's go!'

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1 Match.



1 mouth

- 2 butterfly
- 3 minibeasts
- 🕨 4 pick up
- 5 bugs
- 6 ladybug

2 Order the words.

1 playing / Rosie / with / her cousin. / was

Rosie was playing with her cousin.

- 2 bug. / picked / Josh / a / up
- 3 go inside / hands. / and / wash / your / Now
- 4 backyard. / came / the / Ben and / to / Max
- 5 going to / We're / Grandpa. / study / minibeasts / with