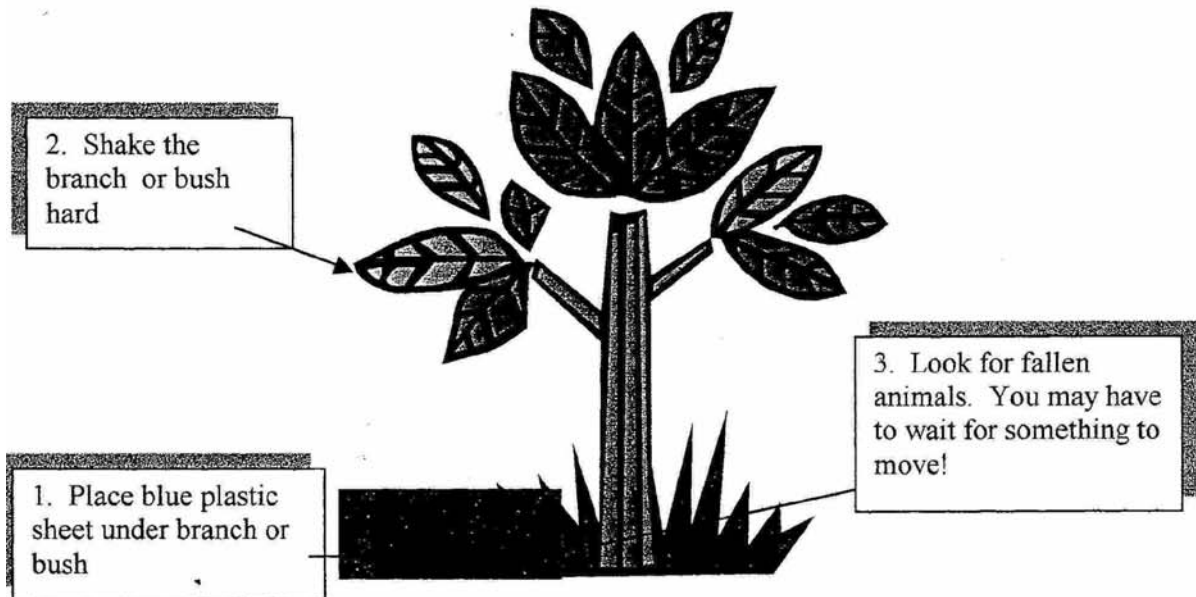


WHITE PINE BUSH

SHAKE THEM OUT

(Small Animals)

Select a shrub, branch or small tree. Search it to find any small animals living on it. Not easy? Try this.



Use your viewer to carefully examine your finds. Show your friends.

Do different plants have different animals on them? Try other plants.

Which animal do you think eats the holes in the kawakawa leaves?.....

IN THE LITTLER LAYER

(or log.....)

Gently brush aside the surface layer on the ground. You may have to move quickly to catch some animals OR you may have to wait for them to move.

Use your viewer to catch and carefully examine the animals. What do you think they eat? What might eat them?

TUNING FORK AND SPIDERS

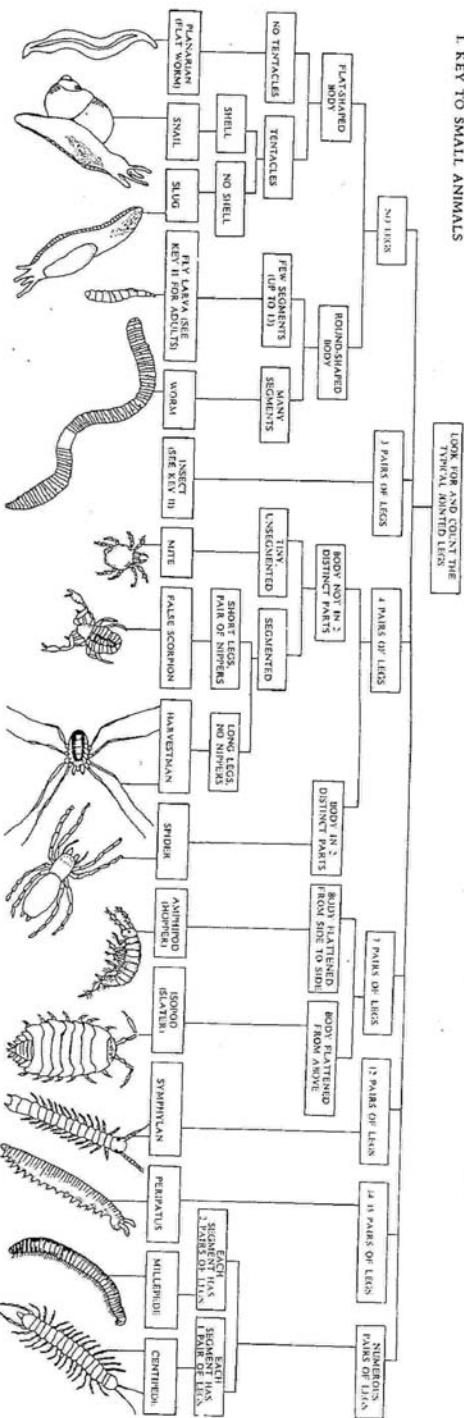
Bang the fork on something hard and gently touch a spiders web. Try several.

The Small World

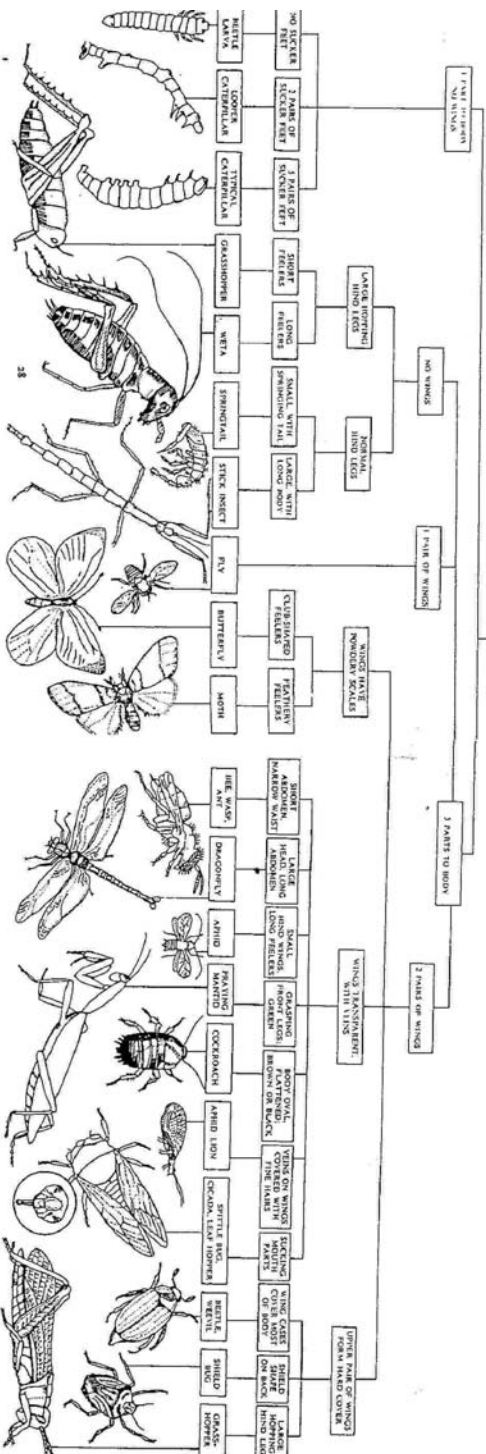
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NAME:.....

WHITE PINE BUSH

ANIMAL RECORD SHEET



Name of plant shaken (or litter, log,.....).....

Name of your animal.....

About how many did you find?.....

Description:

Colour:..... Size:.....

Legs (how many)..... Antennae:.....

Hairy:.....

How does it move?.....

What did/does it do?.....

What might it eat?.....

What might eat it?.....

Anything else.....

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How do these things help it stay alive?.....

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Draw your animal –