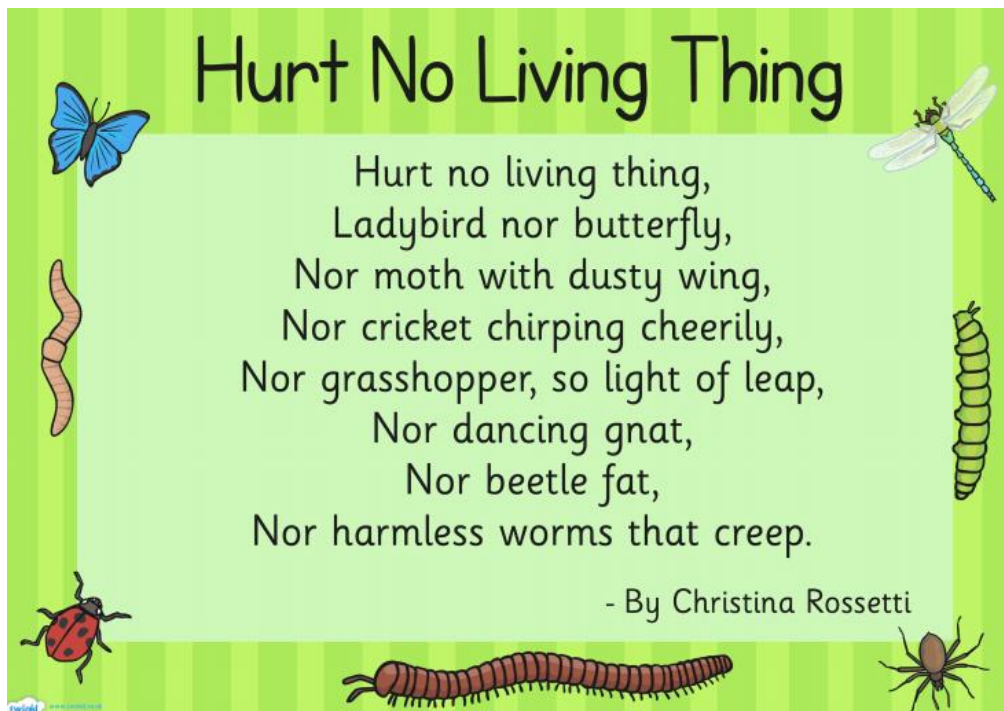


WALT: Shared reading poetry



- Find and copy one word that is closest in meaning to 'happily'.
Cheerily
- Find and copy the phrase that describes how an animal jumps.
light of leap
- Why has the poet chosen to write only about very small creatures?
There are lots of things that could be hurt.; It makes you think you shouldn't hurt anything.; It makes you realise there are many creatures, all living in their own way.;
The 'harmless' at the end makes you realise they are all harmless.
- What is your favourite small creature? Explain why.
In my opinion I think that... because...
- Draw a line to match the creature to its description. One has been done for you.

Creature	Description
cricket	dancing
moth	light of leap
grasshopper	chirping cheerily
gnat	harmless
beetle	dusty wing
worms	fat

Answer: Award one mark for all correct answers:

gnat – dancing

grasshopper – light of leap

cricket (given) – chirping cheerily

worms – harmless

moth – dusty wing

beetle – fat