



*After observing your ants, read these facts out loud to your class.
Then observe the ants again; point out these details.*

1. Ants are little **animals**.
2. They are one kind of **insect**.
3. They have **six** legs and **two** antennae.
4. Male ants are called **drones**.
Female ants are workers and **queens**.
5. Ants live **all over the world** in places where it is warm at least some of the time.
6. All ants live in big groups, called **colonies**.
7. Most ants dig tunnels and make nests **underground**.
8. Ants have **strong** jaws.
9. Ants eat plants, mold, **garbage** and other animals.
10. Ants bite to **protect** themselves when they are in danger.



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