

DINO'S DYNAMOS

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Fluffy Ladybirds

You will need:

- Red fluffy material or felt
- Black felt
- Cotton wool balls
- Needle and thread
- Googly eyes



Step 1 Cut two circles of red material with a diameter (that's the width of a circle) of 8cm.

Step 2 Place each circle on top of one another and using your needle and thread, sew the two pieces together. Leave a little hole at one end just now but keep the needle and thread attached.

Step 3 Stuff cotton wool balls into the felt circles to puff up your ladybird's body.

Step 4 Sew the little hole closed.

Step 5 You can now add black felt to the top to make a head and black spots to your ladybird. The finishing touch is adding googly eyes.



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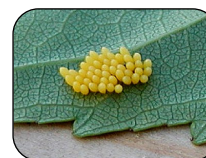
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Ladybirds



Ladybirds have four different life stages; they begin as eggs which then hatch into larvae. The larvae turn into pupae which develop into adult ladybirds which then lay more eggs. They look very different at each stage. This transformation is called metamorphosis.



eggs



larva



pupa



adult

FACT! Ladybirds can be yellow, orange or red. Their bright colours and spots show predators that they taste disgusting.

