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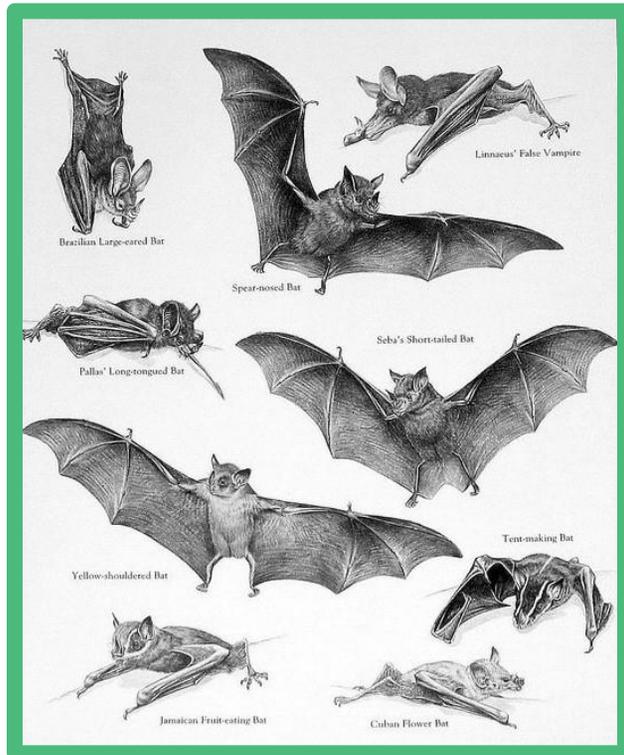
## Microbats



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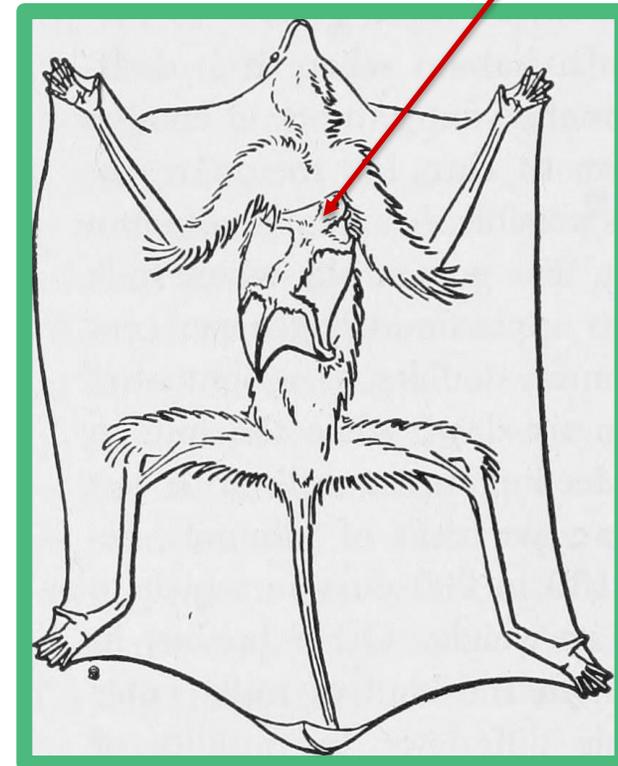


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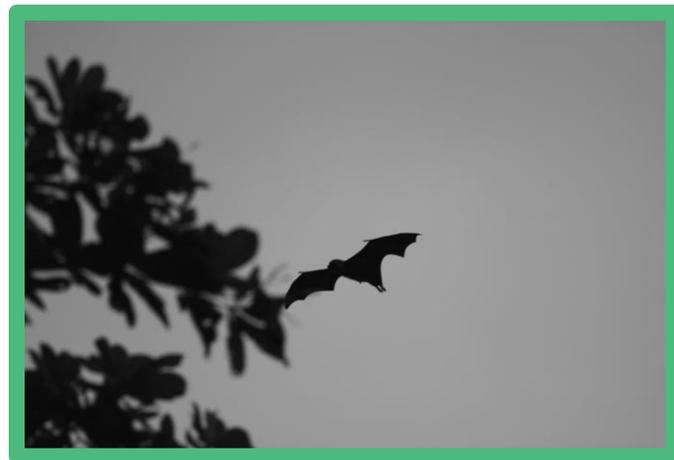
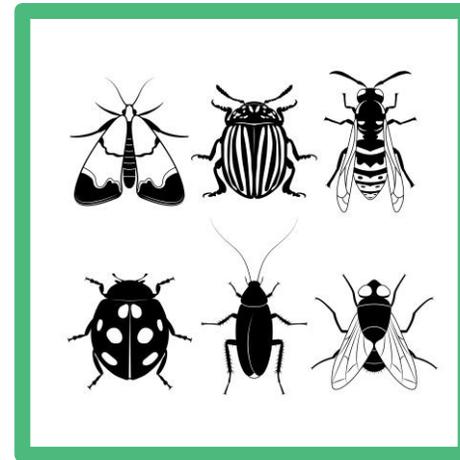


There are many types of **bats**.  
 There are more than 1,000!  
 What do you know about bats?

Baby bat drinking milk from mother

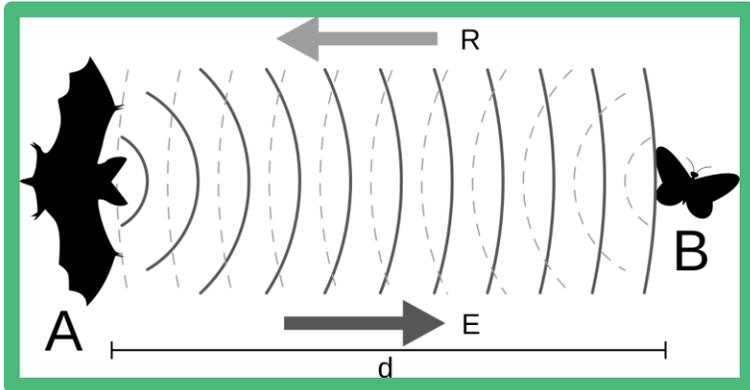


All bats are **flying mammals**.  
 Mammals feed their babies  
 milk. What other animals are  
 mammals?



All bats are awake at night. Bats are **nocturnal**. What do you do at night?

Microbats eat **insects**. They can eat 1,000 insects in one hour! What insects do you see outside?



Microbats cannot see in the dark. They make sounds. They listen to it **echo**. That is how they find insects. How do you find things?



Bats fly home in the morning. They sleep in the **day**. What do you do during the day?



Microbats sleep in **caves**.  
They sleep upside down.  
What is a cave?



Microbats also sleep  
under **bridges**. Are there  
bridges where you live?



At night, the bats **wake up**. They stay up all night. They look for insects to eat.



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