

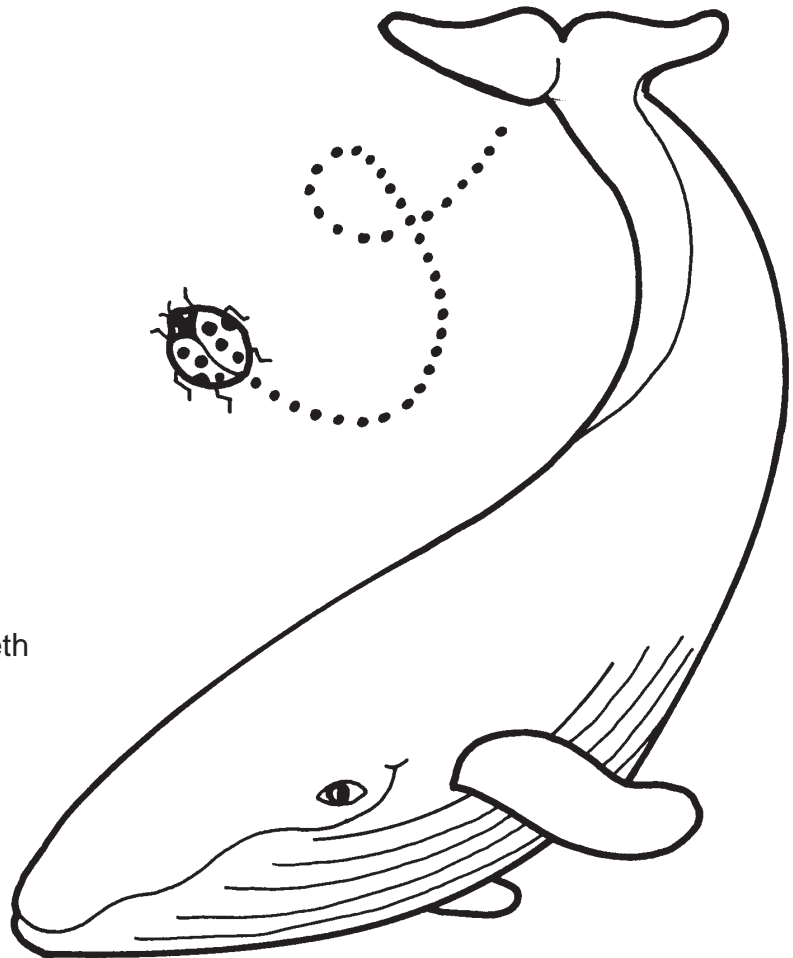
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# Who Is It?

**Directions:** Read *The Grouchy Ladybug*. Match the animals to their actions by writing their names in the blanks.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. beats its chest
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. lifts its tail
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. raises its trunk
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. opens its jaws
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. lowers its horn
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. gives a slap
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. shows its stinger
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. opens its beak
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. laughs and shows its teeth
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. reaches out its legs
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. offers to share
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. stretches its claws



elephant	ladybug	rhinoceros	stag beetle
gorilla	lobster	skunk	whale
hyena	praying mantis	sparrow	yellow jacket

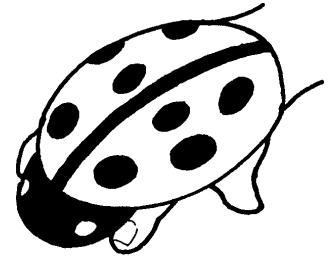
Challenge: What animal in the book is missing from this list?

# Ladybug Puppet

Make a simple ladybug puppet by following these directions.

## Materials:

- body pattern
- red, black, and white felt
- red or black sewing thread or embroidery thread
- large sewing needles
- fabric, craft, or tacky glue
- scissors
- white chalk



## Directions:

1. Using white chalk, trace the entire pattern (head and body) onto black felt, marking the "leg" holes. (See position of "leg" holes on pattern.) Cut out the holes and the body piece. This will make the bottom of the body.
2. Again using the white chalk, trace only the body pattern onto red felt. Cut it out.
3. Cut out the head piece from the pattern and trace it onto black felt. To make the eyes, cut two small circles from white felt and glue them to the head. Cut out the head and glue it in the appropriate place on the red felt to make the upper body.
4. Cut out a strip of black felt to glue along the center of the upper body to divide the wings. Also cut out black dots to decorate the wings with spots.
5. Place the upper body on top of the lower body and stitch them together around the sides and head. Leave the tail-end free.
6. Place your hand inside the puppet, inserting your fingers through the holes. You now have a ladybug puppet!

