

2 – 4 Year Olds Children’s Meeting

LESSON 52 ANTS

TEACHERS: Pray together, read Genesis 1:10 – 13

OPENING TIME: SONGS -- Why was a Cup Made

BIBLE VERSE: Gen 1:26 “... over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth.”

LESSON:

1. You might not like ants when they get in your food or crawl in your house, but they are pretty interesting insects.
2. Ants live in colonies like bees.
3. Each ant has a special job. The queen ant lays eggs, while the male ants mate with the queen.
4. The other female ants are worker ants. They build the ant hill, find food and even act as soldier ants.
5. Soldier ants protect the colony and sometimes attack other colonies.
6. If soldier ants attack and conquer a colony, they carry away eggs from that colony. When the eggs hatch, those ants become slave ants, doing work in the new colony!
7. An ant colony has several tunnels and rooms.
8. When a queen ant dies, the whole colony usually dies within a few months.

ACTIVITIES:

Coloring page

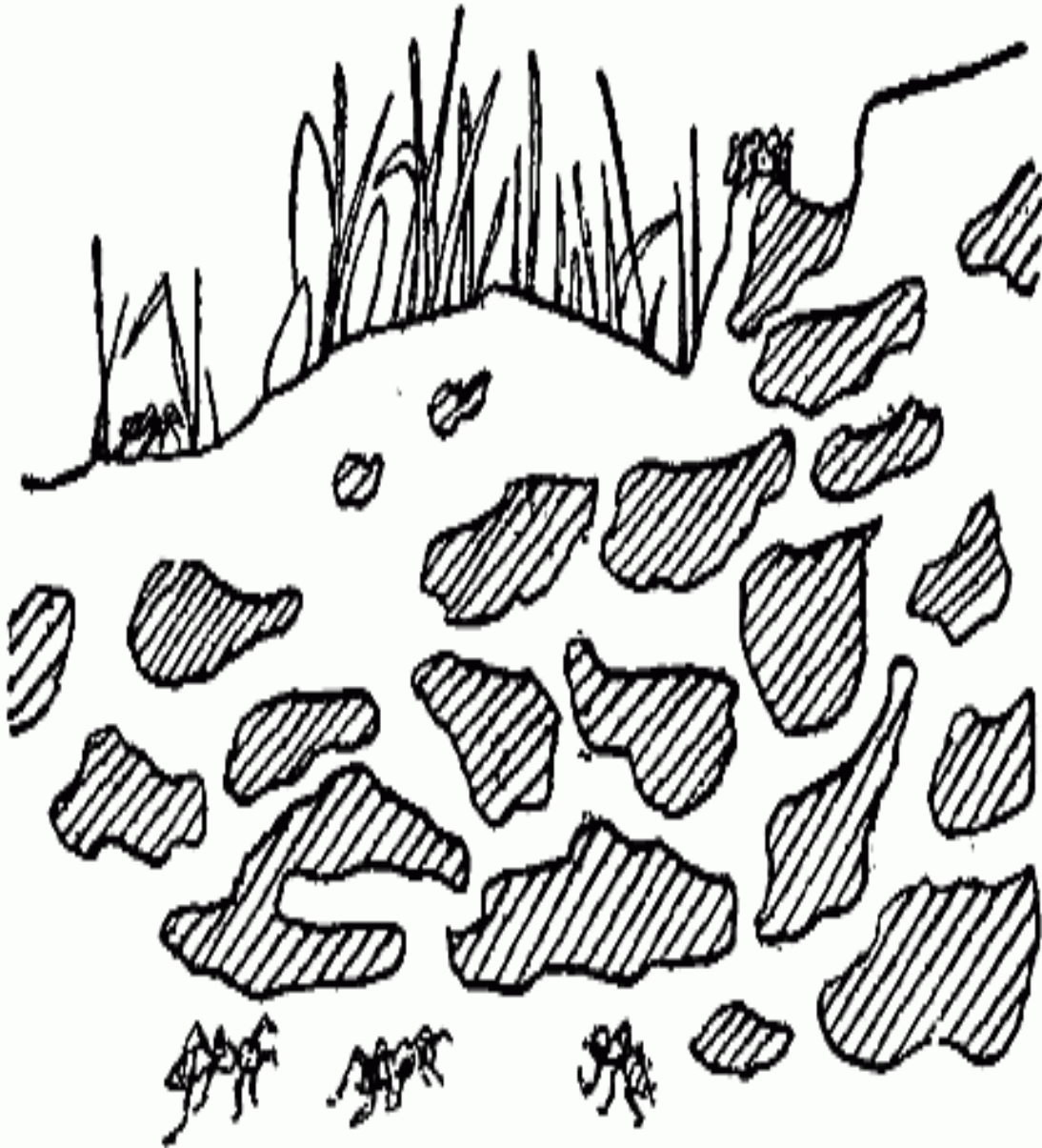
Play outside.

Craft:

Ants on a log snack



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Gen 1:26**



COLONY NEST OF BLACK ANTS