

Book List for *Jack's Insects Narration and Nature Study Notebook*

- [*Jack's Insects*](#) by Edmund Selous
- Field guides for insects and butterflies. Our favorites include
 - *National Wildlife Federation: Field Guide to Insects and Spiders of North America* by Arthur V. Evans
 - *Princeton Field Guides: Caterpillars of Eastern North America* by David L. Wagner
- *Field Trips: Bug Hunting, Animal Tracking, Bird-watching, Shore Walking* with Jim Arnosky (optional nature study reference book but highly recommended)
- *Insect Investigators: Entomologists (Scientists at Work)* by Richard Spilsbury
- *The Life Cycles of Butterflies: From Egg to Maturity, a Visual Guide to 23 Common Garden Butterflies* by Judy Burris and Wayne Richards
- *An Extraordinary Life: The Story of a Monarch Butterfly* by Laurence Pringle (optional; out of print)
- *Jungle Bugs: Masters of Camouflage and Mimicry* by Bruce Purser
- *Praying Mantises: Hungry Insect Heroes (Insect World)* by Sandra Markle
- *Social Life in the Insect World* by Jean Henri Fabre
- *Locusts: Insects on the Move* by Sandra Markle
- *The Fiddlehoppers: Crickets, Katydid, and Locusts* by Phyllis Perry
- *Social Life in the Insect World* by Jean Henri Fabre
- Bible
- *On the Banks of Plum Creek* by Laura Ingalls Wilder
- *Grasshoppers and Crickets of North America* by Sara Swan Miller
- *Cicadas!: Strange and Wonderful* by Laurence Pringle
- *Animal Lives: Bees and Wasps (Qeb Animal Lives)* by Sally Morgan
- *The Glow-Worm and Other Beetles* by Jean Henri Fabre
- *Fireflies (Bugs Bugs Bugs)* by Margaret Hall
- *Spiders* by Seymour Simon
- *Bramble-Bees and Others* by Jean Henri Fabre