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What is the largest order of insects?

Coleoptera, which includes beetles.

What is the primary function of a butterfly's proboscis?

To suck nectar from flowers.

What do you call the process by which insects shed their exoskeleton?

Molting.

Which insect is known for its ability to produce honey?

Honeybee.

What is the term for the life cycle stage of an insect between larva and adult?

Pupa.

What type of metamorphosis do grasshoppers undergo?

Incomplete metamorphosis.

What is the primary role of ants in their ecosystem?

Decomposition and soil aeration.

Which insect is known for its bright colors and mimicry?

The Monarch butterfly.

What is the main diet of a caterpillar?

Leaves.

What adaptation helps insects like the stick insect avoid predators?

Camouflage.