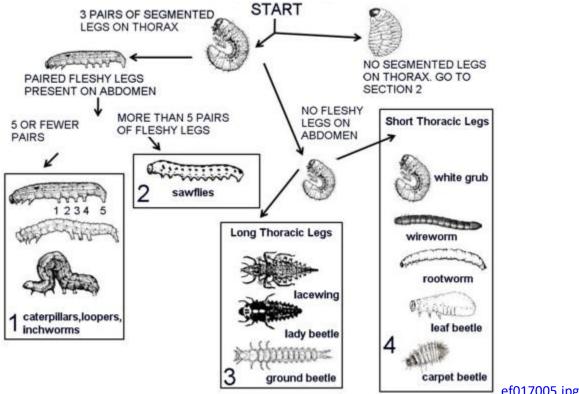
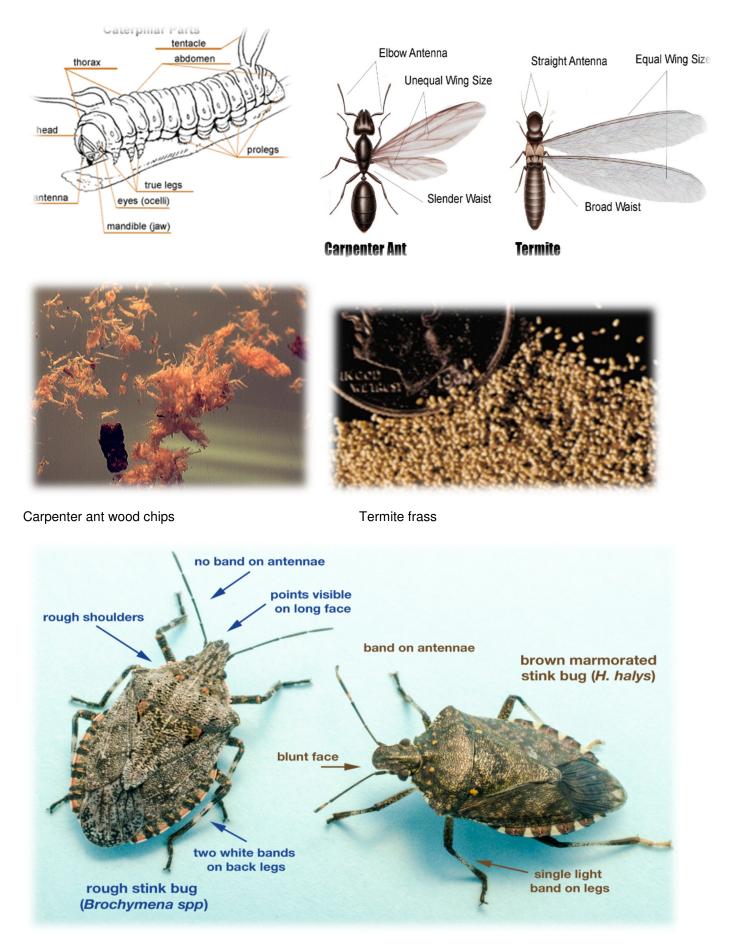
A generalize guide for common pupa & larvae found in yard and gardens; there are exceptions!

	BEETLES	MOTHS	BUTTERFLIES	True FLIES
Generalized	Barrel like can have	Larva of moths are	Larva of butterflies are not	Pointed on one end a blunt
larva form	enlarged rear	usually fuzzy or hairy	fuzzy or hairy but may have	on the other end Smooth
		caterpillars.	spikes or spines.	with no hair usually in
				moist/wet conditions
Larvae	Head capsule, 3 pairs	True legs are on the	True legs are on the thorax,	No legs present
Legs	of legs on the thorax,	thorax, up to 4 pairs of	up to 4 pairs of pro-legs	
	no legs on the abdomen	pro-legs found on the	found on the abdomen. Pro-	
	(Weevil larvae lack	abdomen. Pro-legs are	legs are not true legs.	
	legs on the thorax)	not true legs.		
Larvae	Well-developed	Larvae have well-	Larvae have well-developed	Larvae have chewing mouth
Mouth type	chewing mouth parts in	developed chewing	chewing mouth parts	parts
	larva and adults.	mouth parts		
		Cocoons or Pupa:	Chrysalis or Pupa: Has	No hairs present. Lose and
Cocoons		Plastered with silk	smooth skin & hangs from a	can be found most
		threads. Cocoons found	patch of silk usually on a	anywhere.
		in the soil/dirt are moths.	plant part, not found in soil.	
		Most rest with wings flat	Usually hold their wings	Hold wings folded in a roof
Adults		or folded in a roof like	folded up over their bodies at	like position.
		position over their	rest. May open & close when	
		bodies. Bodies tend to be	feeding or hold them flat	
		chubbier than butterflies	when basking in the sunshine	
Wings		Two pairs of wings	Two pairs of wings	Only one pair of wings

PICTURE KEY TO INSECT LARVAL TYPES: SECTION 1



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