

FFA Entomology CDE Specimen List (2022-2023)

The list below includes the order names and the common names of the representative species. Remember there can be variation in size and general appearance among specimens within a group.

Coleoptera

1. Bean leaf beetle
2. Blister beetle
3. Click beetle
4. Colorado potato beetle
5. Carrion beetle
6. Dermestid beetle
7. Green June beetle
8. Firefly
9. Ground beetle
10. Lady beetle
11. Long horned beetle
12. May/June beetle
13. Weevil
14. Alfalfa weevil
15. Soldier beetle
16. Spotted cucumber beetle
17. Tiger beetle
18. Water beetles*
19. Flour beetle
20. Japanese beetle
76. Rove beetle**

Diptera

21. Blow Fly
22. Flower fly
23. Horse fly
24. House fly
25. Mosquito
26. Midges
58. Robber fly**
71. Fruit fly**
72. Tachinid fly**
73. Crane fly**

Hemiptera

27. Scentless plant bugs

28. Chinch bug
29. Lace bug
30. Assassin bug
31. Squash bug
32. Stink bug
33. Tarnished plant bug
34. Water strider
35. Cicada
36. Leafhopper
37. Planthopper
38. Scale insect
39. Aphids
74. Treehopper**
75. Leaffooted bugs**

Hymenoptera

40. Ant
41. Bumble bee
42. Honey bee
43. Ichneumon wasp
44. Sphecid wasp
45. Sweat bee
46. Vespid wasp
47. Carpenter bee

Isoptera

48. Termite

Lepidoptera

49. Alfalfa caterpillar butterfly
50. Bagworm
51. Cutworm
52. Corn earworm moth
53. Painted lady
54. Indian meal moth

55. Tomato/tobacco hornworm moth

Neuroptera

56. Lacewing

Thysanoptera

57. Thrips

Odonata

59. Damselfly
60. Dragonfly

Orthoptera

61. Cricket
62. Shorthorned grasshopper
63. Longhorned grasshopper

Blattodea

64. American cockroach
65. German cockroach

Plecoptera

67. Stonefly

Tricoptera

68. Caddisfly

Ephemeroptera

69. Mayfly

Siphonaptera

70. Flea

Mantodea

77. Praying mantis

*18. Water beetles may include one of the following specimens: predacious diving beetles (Dytiscidae), whirling beetles (Gyrinidae), water scavenger beetle (Hydrophilidae).

**Note: there might not be consecutive numbers accompanying each insect name. Numbers are used as a reference for FFA officers.