

Photo by Sarah Rayner

The Roly Poly is also known as pill-bug, doodle bug, potato bug, and pill woodlouse. They are not sow bugs, because sow bugs do not roll up in a ball.

Roly Polies are the arthropods that roll up into a ball! Find out more about the Roly Polies by clicking through the Learning Links below and then explore your backyard to see if you can find some of your own.

Learning Links:

Animal Fact Files Video: Roly Polies

How to Catch Your Own Roly Polies!

DIY Roly Poly Crafts