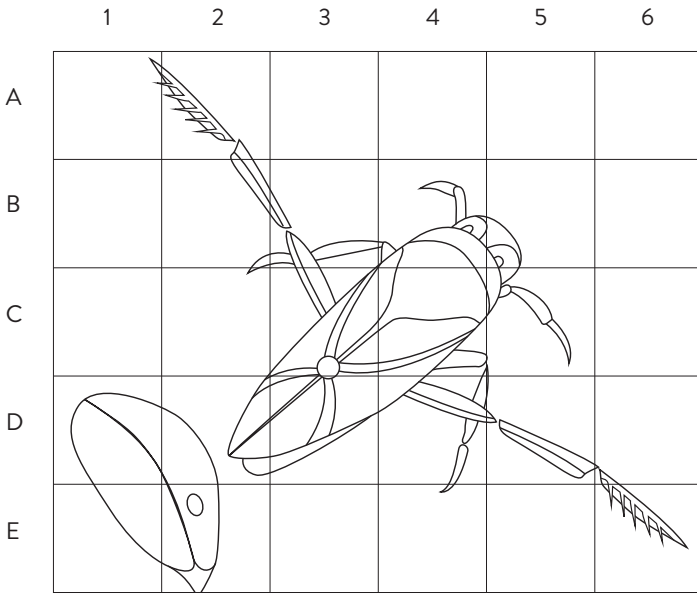


# Explore the world of water bugs






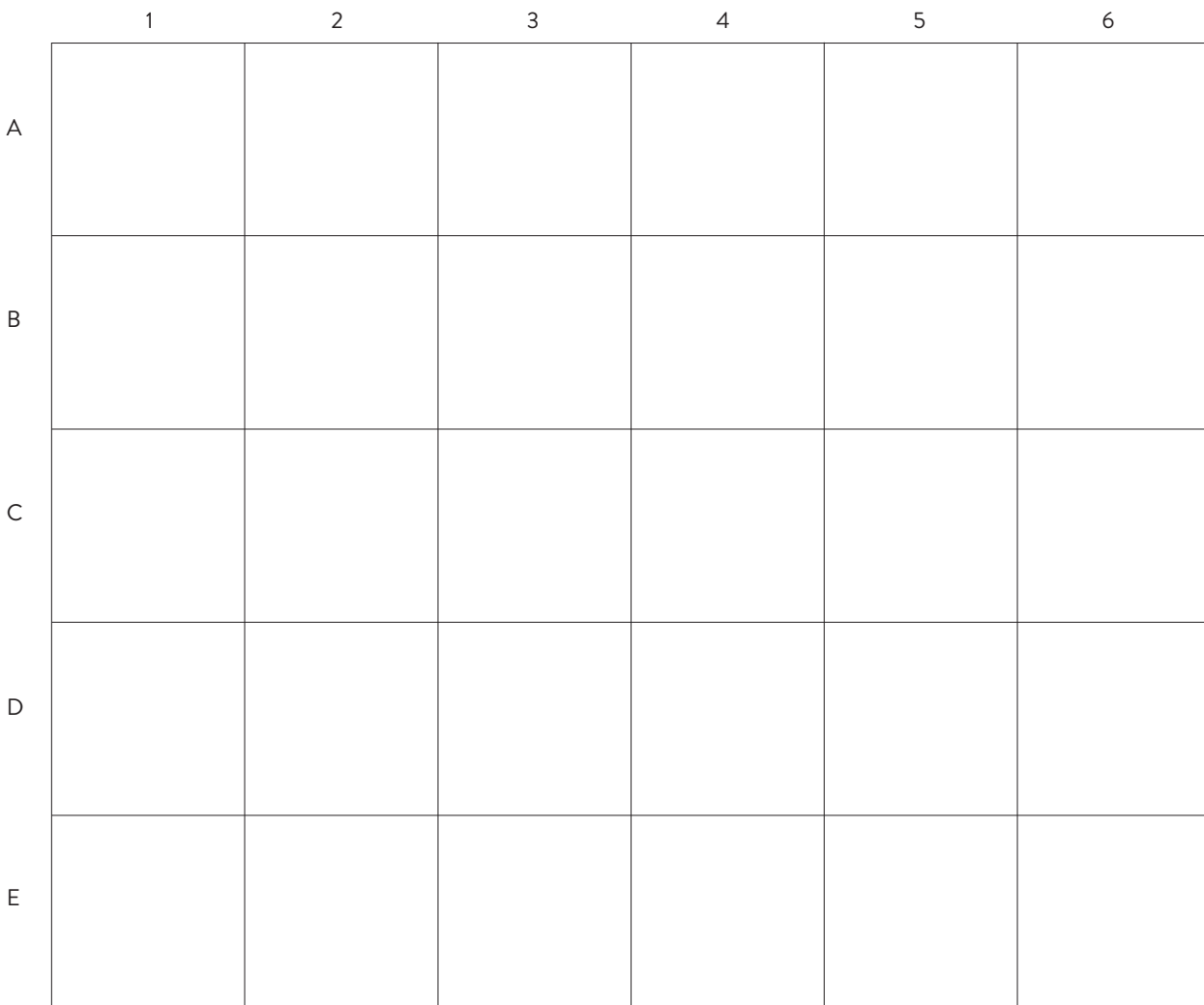
Waterways are home to many creatures, including water bugs. The types of water bugs and the number of them living in the water can help us understand how healthy the water is.



## Backswimmer

Use the grid lines to enlarge your water bug. You might find it easier to copy it one square at a time.

-  Backswimmers live in still ponds or slow-moving freshwater streams.
-  They eat small bugs, tadpoles and little fish.
-  Backswimmers swim upside down.



How sensitive is your bug to pollution in the water?

Very tolerant		Tolerant			Sensitive		Very sensitive		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

