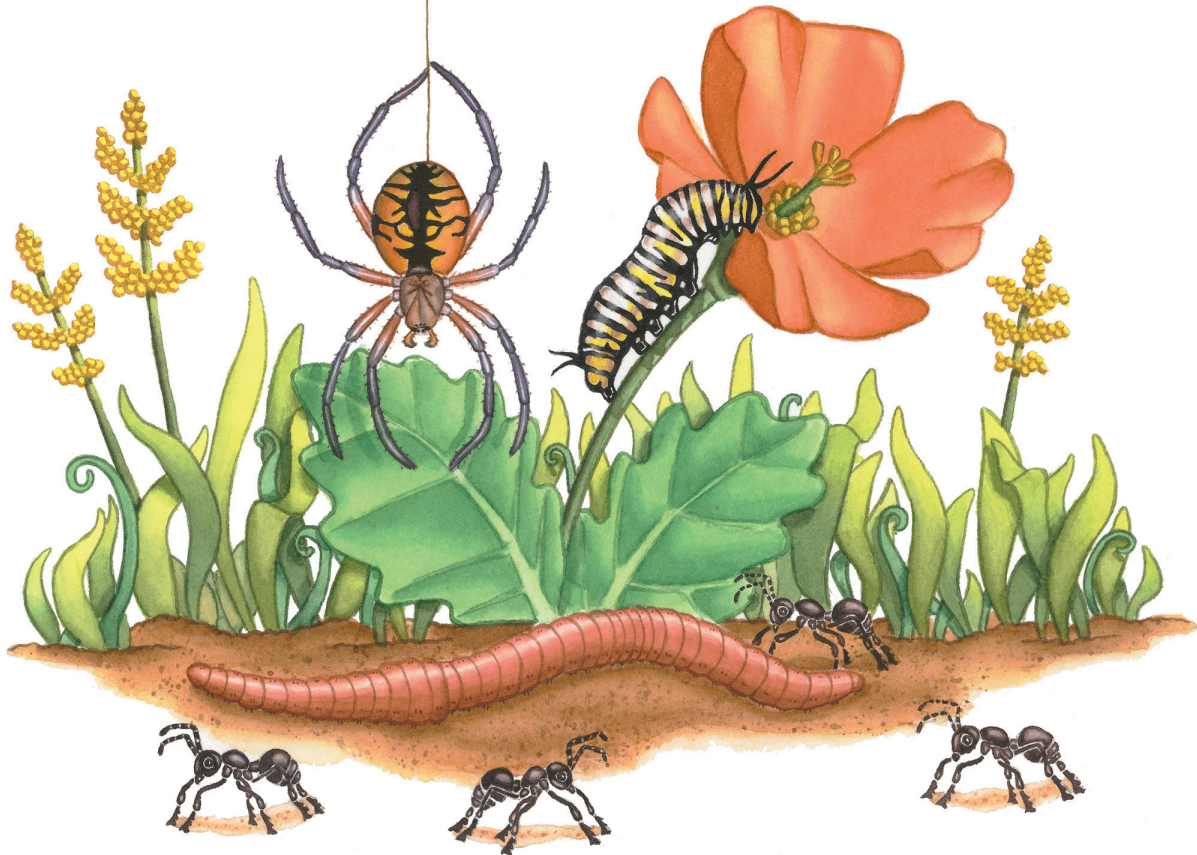
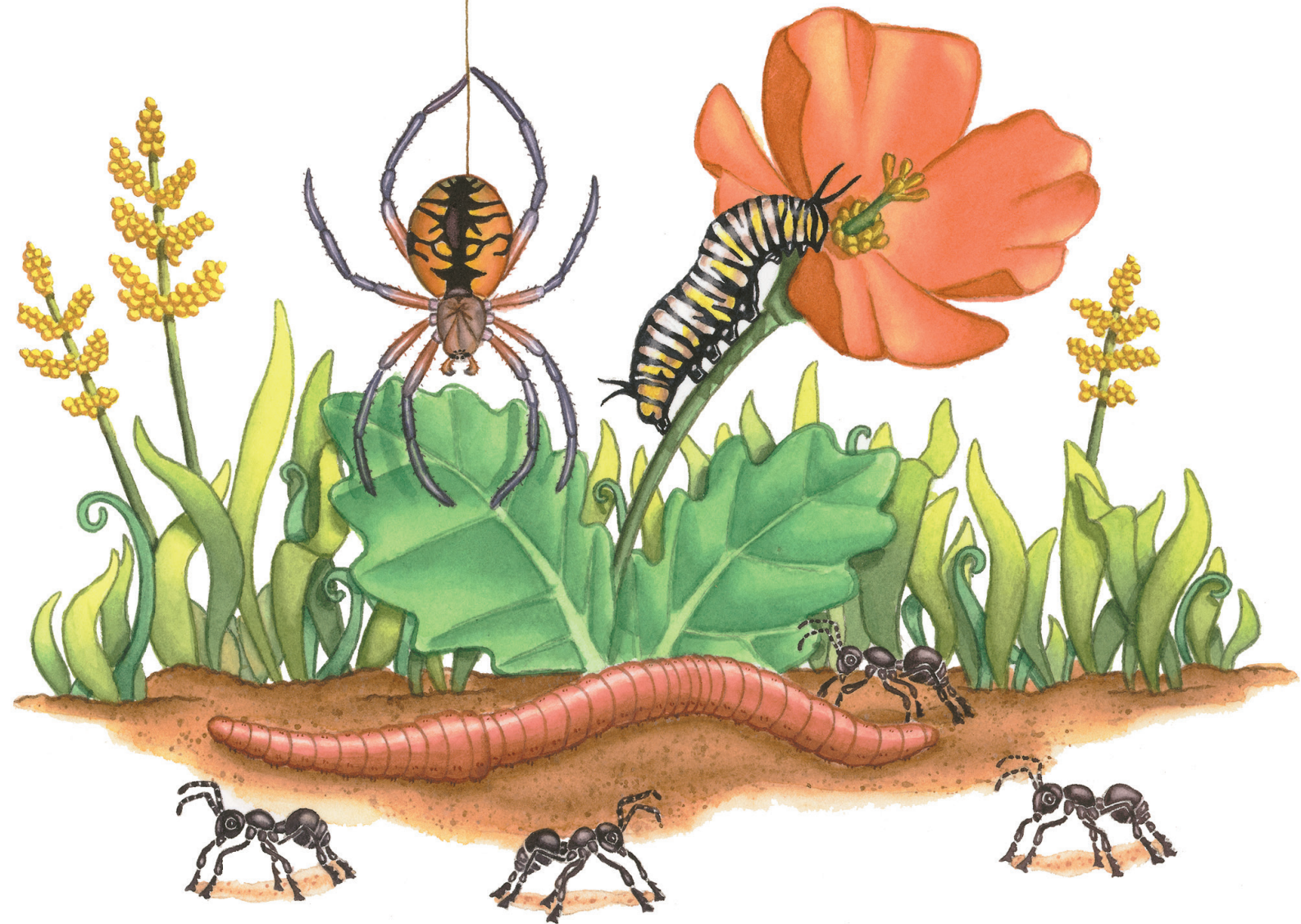


Creepy Crawlers

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When you meet a creepy crawler,
though you may not like it much,
take the time to watch and wonder.
Just remember: look, don't touch.



Creepy crawler on a cobweb—
count its legs. Are there eight?
It's a spider trapping dinner.
All it has to do is wait.

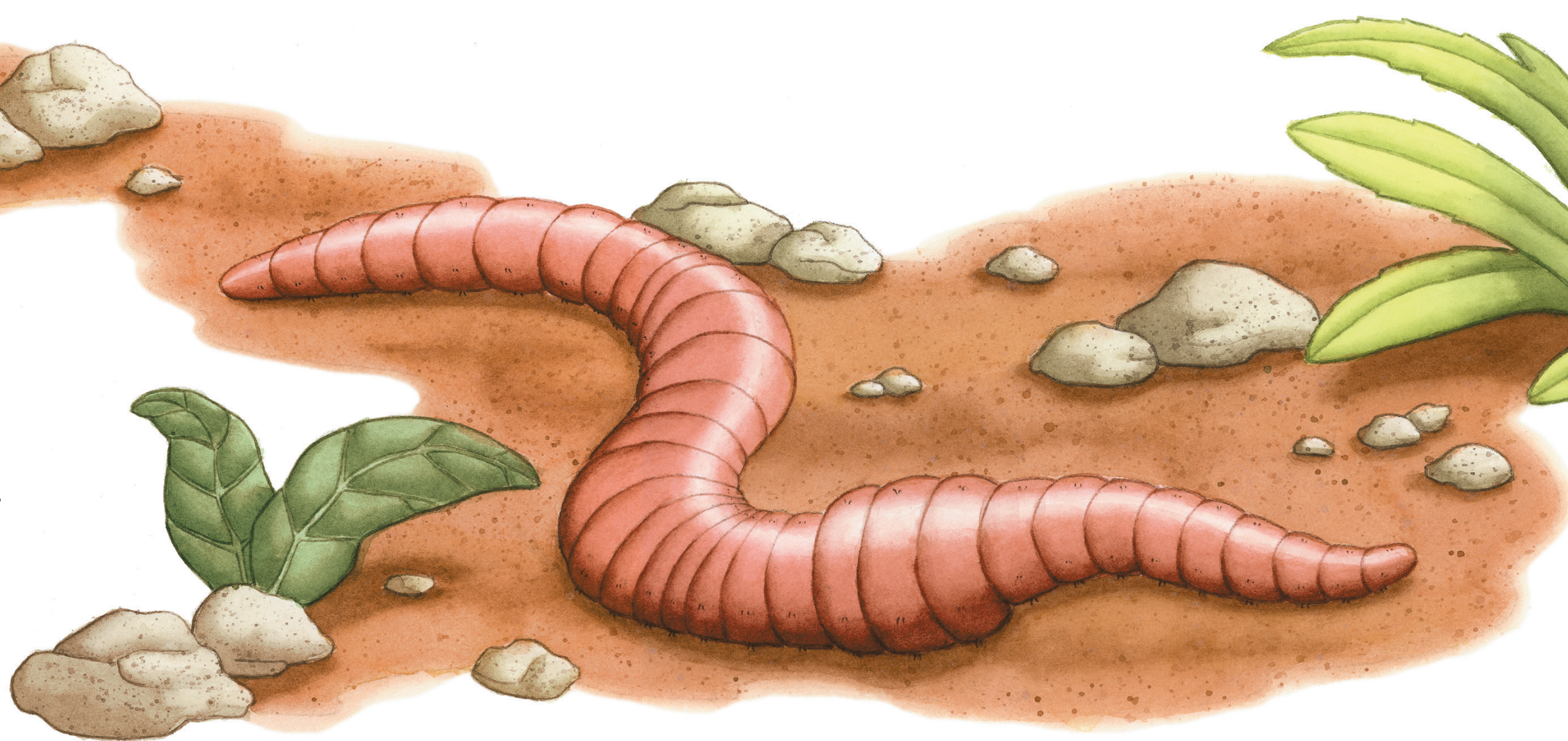




Creepy crawlers in the schoolyard
hurry, hurry in a line.
Six short legs—they must be insects!
Ants are marching out to dine.



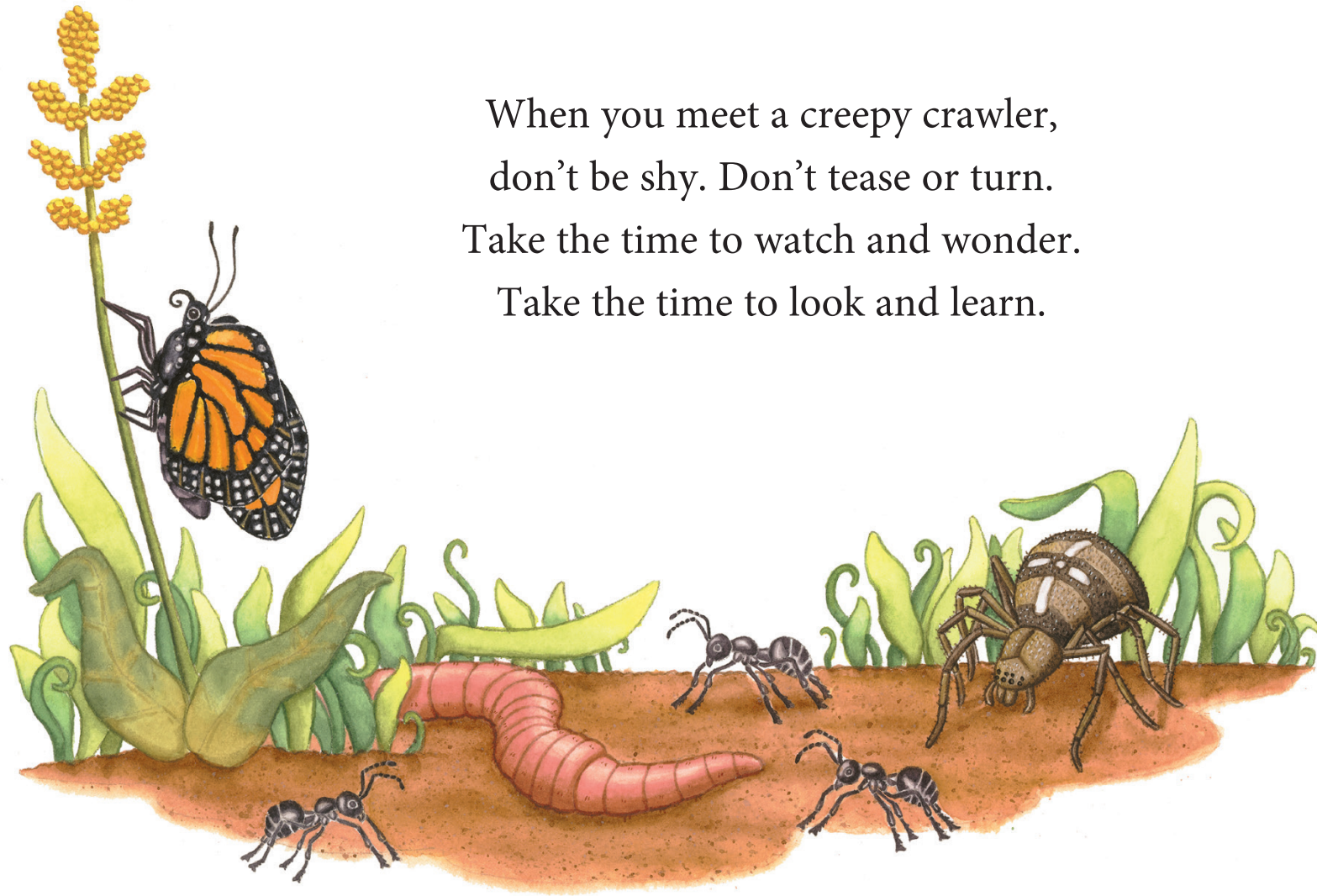
Creepy crawler in the garden,
soft and wiggly—see it squirm?
Digging in the earth so muddy,
busy, helpful little worm.





Lumpy, bumpy creepy crawler
hanging from a twig so high.
Caterpillar in its chrysalis
will become a butterfly.





When you meet a creepy crawler,
don't be shy. Don't tease or turn.
Take the time to watch and wonder.
Take the time to look and learn.

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