‘Child1’:

‘Child1’.

Interviewer:

‘Child1’. ‘Child1’ and ‘Child2’. Cool. So first question is, what do you like to do in your spare time? What's your favourite hobby?

‘Child1’:

Gaming.

Interviewer:

Gaming. You really like gaming?

‘Child1’:

[inaudible 00:00:12].

‘Child2’:

I like reading.

Interviewer:

You like reading, cool.

‘Child1’:

[inaudible 00:00:14] read to.

Interviewer:

Sorry, you like reading too?

‘Child1’:

Sometimes.

Interviewer:

Sometimes. But you like gaming best of all. And do you remember when I came to your school a few weeks ago and we did a mini beast hunt?

‘Child2’:

Yeah.

Interviewer:

Yeah? What do you remember about it?

‘Child1’:

There were these weird machines.

Interviewer:

Weird machines? Pooters?

‘Child1’:

Yeah.

Interviewer:

That you sucked up. What did you think of those?

‘Child1’:

I didn't want to do it.

Interviewer:

You didn't want to do it? What do you remember, ‘Child2’?

‘Child2’:

I didn't want to do the pooters either.

Interviewer:

You didn't want to do the pooters either. Do you remember anything else about it?

‘Child1’:

We caught bugs.

Interviewer:

You caught bugs?

‘Child2’:

I remember one centipede.

Interviewer:

Cool. And can you remember any of the other bugs, mini beasts, you caught?

‘Child1’:

Ants.

Interviewer:

Ants.

‘Child1’:

Ants.

Interviewer:

Oh yeah, there were lots of ants, weren't there?

‘Child2’:

Yeah, I think I found a worm, maybe.

Interviewer:

Any others? No?

‘Child2’:

No, I can't-

Interviewer:

And what did you think of the different mini beasts that you found? Were there any that you liked? Any you didn't like?

‘Child1’:

I own mini beasts, some of them.

‘Child2’:

I like-

‘Child1’:

To feed my geckos.

Interviewer:

You did what? Sorry?

‘Child1’:

I own some, but that's only need to feed my geckos.

Interviewer:

You feed some to your geckos?

‘Child1’:

Well, yeah.

Interviewer:

So you're quite used to seeing mini beasts then if you have to feed them to your gecko.

‘Child1’:

I don't really like feeding the geckos.

Interviewer:

You don't like feeding them?

‘Child1’:

I don't like doing it, but I do watch them.

Interviewer:

You do? You like watching them.

‘Child1’:

That's really just ... It's just cute.

Interviewer:

Cool. What did you think of the mini beasts we found?

‘Child2’:

Well, the only bug I liked was the ants.

Interviewer:

You liked the ants?

‘Child2’:

Yeah.

Interviewer:

Which ones didn't you like?

‘Child2’:

The worms and the centipedes.

Interviewer:

Didn't like the worms and centipedes?

‘Child2’:

No.

Interviewer:

Why didn't you like them?

‘Child2’:

I'm not sure. It's just kind of how they move.

Interviewer:

How they move?

‘Child2’:

Yeah.

Interviewer:

How about you ‘Child1’? Were there any that you didn't like?

‘Child1’:

Not sure.

Interviewer:

Not sure. And did you feel differently about mini beasts after we did the hunt or did you feel the same?

‘Child2’:

I felt the same.

Interviewer:

You felt the same, or it's fine to say you don't know, if you don't know.

‘Child1’:

I have no idea.

Interviewer:

No idea. And have you seen any mini beasts since we did the hunt?

‘Child1’:

Yes.

Interviewer:

Well, I guess you see them all the time because you're feeding them to your geckos?

‘Child2’:

Yeah, and I do as well.

Interviewer:

How about you ‘Child2’?

‘Child2’:

I see them all the time because there's crickets in our classroom because we ...

‘Child1’:

Have a gecko in our class.

‘Child2’:

Yeah. Have a gecko in our class.

Interviewer:

You have a gecko in your classroom as well?

‘Child1’:

Yeah.

Interviewer:

And do you see any when you're outside?

‘Child1’:

No. Yes

‘Child2’:

I do.

Interviewer:

What do you see?

‘Child2’:

I see lots of ants and sometimes a worm or two.

Interviewer:

And do you ever go looking for mini beasts? Do you ever hunt for them in your own time?

‘Child2’:

No, not really.

Interviewer:

Not really. And what do you like to do outdoors? Do you spend much time outside?

‘Child1’:

Not usually. No.

Interviewer:

Not usually. So you're not a big fan of the outdoors. How about you then?

‘Child2’:

I like to read outside.

Interviewer:

You like to go outside? What do you like to do outside?

‘Child2’:

Sometimes read. I like to do gymnastics.

‘Child1’:

Well, I do go outside sometimes. Just not ...

Interviewer:

What do you do when you go outside?

‘Child1’:

Building work because we're doing an extension for the time being, so that's that.

Interviewer:

You like building?

‘Child1’:

No, but I need to help because it's massive. You asked.

Interviewer:

And do you like doing anything in nature like picking up leaves or watching birds or looking at flowers or playing with sticks or making dens?

‘Child1’:

I like playing with sticks.

Interviewer:

You like playing with sticks?

‘Child1’:

Yeah.

Interviewer:

How about you ‘Child2’?

‘Child2’:

I like to make stuff out of string and natural materials.

Interviewer:

Oh, nice. What kind of things do you make?

‘Child2’:

I make sticks and wrap string around the end.

Interviewer:

Cool. And what do you reckon your parents think of creepy crawlies or mini beasts? Do you think they like them or they're scared of them or?

‘Child1’:

I'm petrified of them, so that's what I'll say.

Interviewer:

You are scared of them.

‘Child1’:

And my parents don't.

Interviewer:

Your parents don't like them either.

‘Child1’:

Neither do my sister at [inaudible 00:04:03]. She was screaming.

Interviewer:

So none of you like them. What about you, ‘Child2’? What would you say your parents think?

‘Child2’:

I'm not sure.

Interviewer:

You're not sure?

‘Child2’:

I kind of like mini beasts.

Interviewer:

Kind of like-

‘Child2’:

Not all of them.

Interviewer:

Just some of them. Which ones do you like, would you say?

‘Child2’:

I like the ants and those sort of ones.

Interviewer:

What do you like about them?

‘Child2’:

I'm not sure, just ...

Interviewer:

You just like them?

‘Child2’:

Yeah.