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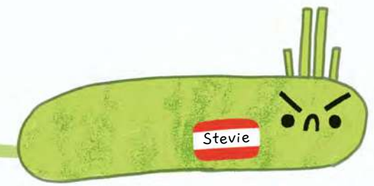
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I've been told I can be a bit grumpy. Okay, VERY grumpy. But who wouldn't be in a bad mood if they were always called . . .

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PEST

EW!

EVEN OUR SCIENTIFIC NAME IS AN INSULT: GASTROPOD. IT MEANS "STOMACH-FOOT".

GROSS

DISGUSTING

See what I mean?
My name's Stevie, not "Ew!"
Mum says I need to cheer up,
so she's sending me
to slug self-esteem class.
Urgh, more slugs.

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SLUG SELF- ESTEEM CLASS

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Our teacher, Mr Babosa, says we're going to explore why slugs are amazing.

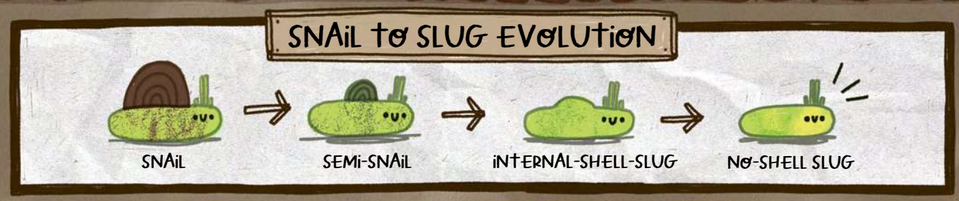
He must be joking. I mean, look at us!

Our first trip is to this funny old professor who explains that slugs evolved from snails. That means we're even better than them!

Unlike our bulky bretheren, the snails, we slugs can squeeze into the smallest space to make our home.

There are 25 slugs in the little patch of garden above us. Can you spot them?

My great-great-great-great-great grandfather was a snail.



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SLUG HALL OF FAME







LEOPARD SLUG

Named for it spots, this slug can makea rope of slime and hang from it.

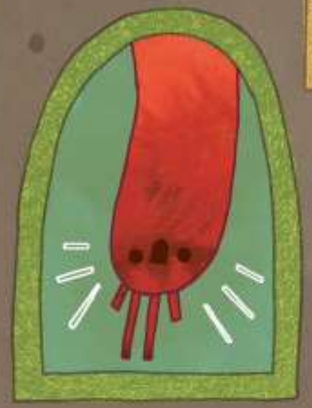
GHOST SLUG

This slug spends most of its life underground eating worms. ↓



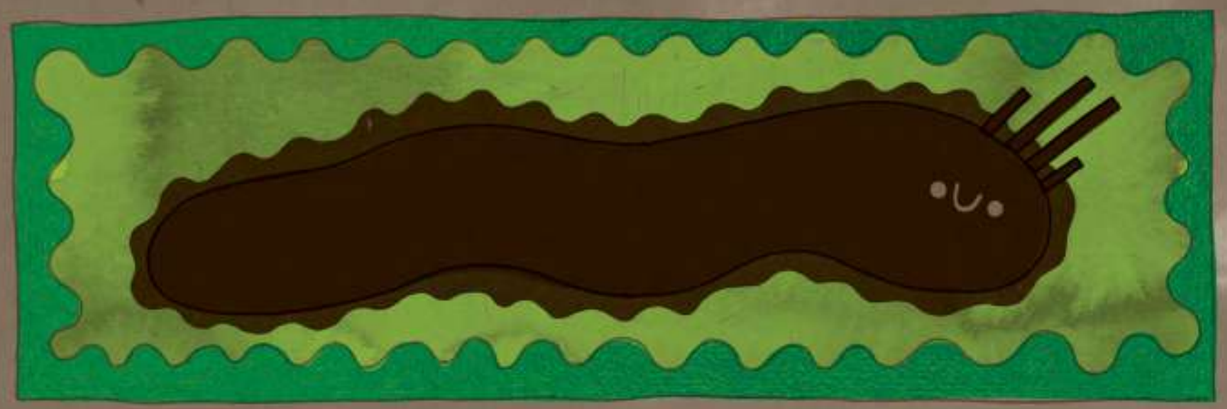
← HEDGEHOG SLUG

When it curls up to defend itself the bumps on its skin look like hedgehog spines.



↑ BANANA SLUG

Named for their bright colour moving at 17cm a minute, they're ten times faster than the average garden slug.



↑ MOUNT KATPUR SLUG

Living among the red eucalyptus leaves this rosy slug blends in.

↰ ASH-BLACK LIMEX SLUG

The biggest land slug, measuring up to 30cm. (it is dwarfed by sea slug the black sea hare who measures 99cm.)



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The famous slugs are impressive, but what about slugs like me, who don't look like ghosts or bananas?