

## Animals, Health & Resilience

*Our responsibility for the land and the diverse role of animals*

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### 04.09.2023 – Animals in the context of the farm organism

#### Material

Bright paper, notebook, pencil

#### Exercise

We try to grasp the difference between plant and animal:

1. Plant world
  - I. Collect a flowering plant and describe its form,
  - II. then, carefully detach the green leaves and lay them in a row from the bottom to the top leave.
  - III. What particularity of the changes in leaf shapes do you notice? Describe the gesture of this metamorphosis. (In Greek: “Meta” = “in” or “between”, “Morphe” = “form” or “shape”)
2. Animal world
  - I. Go outside in your garden, a meadow, or a field. Find an insect and try to follow it for about 10 minutes and describe its behavior. Try to find out if it does anything to your feelings? Does it affect your emotions?
  - II. If you lose sight of it, find out why (does it fly away or hide?).
3. Try to express the difference between plants and animals in one sentence.

#### Closure

Close with a thank you, with a feeling of gratitude. Write your observations in your notebook.