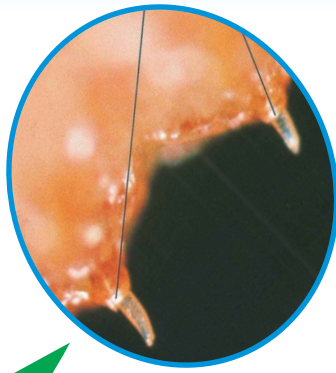


Worms: nature's recyclers



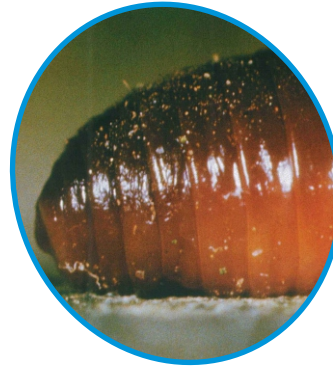
Setae

These are the fine hairs on the skin that help the worm to move



Back End

This is where the worm produces compost or castings



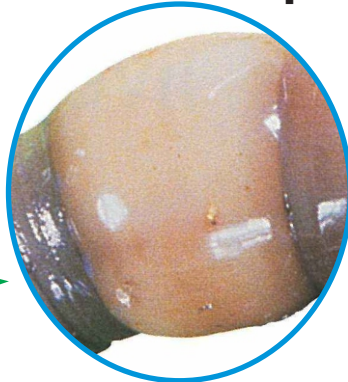
Mouth

This is where the digestive process starts



Saddle

This is where the worm reproduces

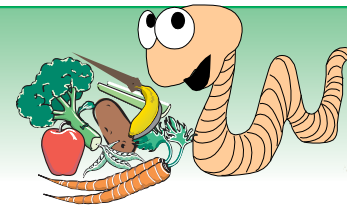


Eggs

Worm eggs can contain up to 20 babies per egg; they hatch within 21 days



Yes, worms can eat:



Crushed egg shells



Hair



Tea bags



Fruit and vegetable scraps



Small amounts of cardboard and shredded newspaper



Coffee grounds

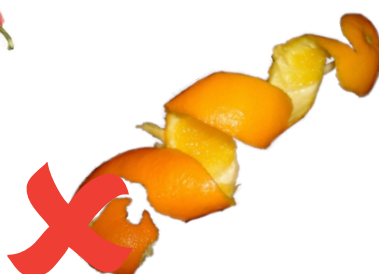


Dry grass and leaves (not eucalyptus)

No, worms cannot eat:



No chillies



No citrus fruit or peel



No bread, cake or biscuits



No dairy



No garlic or onion



No meat