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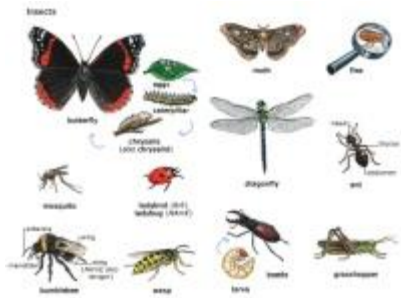
оса (*Vespoidea*)

◇ wasp s' nest, nest of wasps - осиное гнездо, скопище врагов

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wasp [wɒsp wɒspz] *BrE* [wɒsp] ^m *NAmE* [wɑːsp] ^m **noun**



a black and yellow flying insect that can sting

- a wasp sting
- a wasps' nest

Word Origin:

Old English wæfs, wæps, wæsp, of West Germanic origin, from an Indo-European root shared by Latin *vespa*; perhaps related to [↑]*weave* (from the web-like form of its nest).

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