

The Softy-Heart Scientist

- I just can't put a cricket in the praying mantis cage. I feel too much empathy for those little crickets.
- My favorite part of science is when babies are born, it brings a tear to my eye every time. I am a warm, communicative, and passionate nurturer.
- I value authenticity, honesty, and family.



The Quest for Knowledge Scientist

- I like to observe, explore, and analyze just how many crickets a praying mantis might want to eat. Then we can investigate and problem solve whether we have enough crickets.
- My favorite part of science is scientific inquiry. I have a curious mind, am an abstract thinker, and love to explore every facet of a problem. I can be a perfectionist on the documentation though!
- I value intelligence, explanation, and logic.



Which Scientist are You?

The Getting Messy Scientist

- Crickets = 2, 3, or 5 – does it matter? I bring fun, spontaneity, and excitement to the praying mantis feeding time!
- My favorite part of science is investigating with skill and a sense of adventure. I'm all about the bubble, pop, fizz – WOW! The messier, the better!
- I value skill, resourcefulness, and courage.



The Good Citizen Scientist

- I have calculated the cost of crickets and the children may feed the praying mantis 2.5 crickets per day to stay on budget.
- My favorite part of science is the order and predictability of life science. I am dependable and always prepared for what we might need in class.
- I value accountability, responsibility, and a respect for right and wrong.

