

Lily the Luna Moth

Full Name: Lily the Luna Moth, an American Moon Moth



Size: Big, about the size of a cell phone.

Likes: Lily enjoys flying at night with her big wings. When she grows up, she likes to lay eggs. A mother luna moth can lay anywhere from 200-600 eggs - that is a lot of eggs! The eggs turn into baby luna moth caterpillars.

Talent: Lilly has pretty moon-shaped spots on her green wings and she can spin the tips of her wings to confuse and scare away bats.

Food: Lily lives off tree leaves (now stored in her body for energy) which she ate as a caterpillar before she became a moth.

Where will you find Lily? In the forest and woodlands. Sometimes luna moths are kept as pets at home or in the classroom.

Locations: United States and Canada