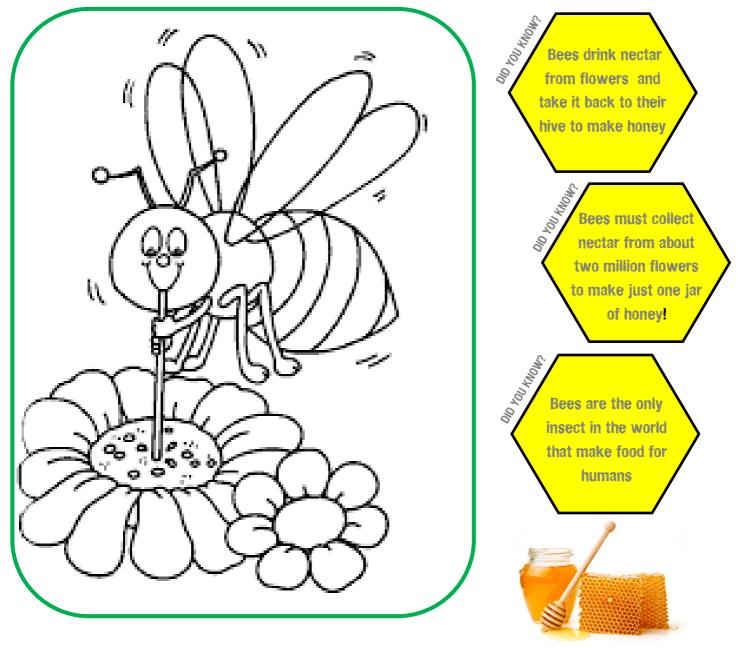


# Learn all about bees with this FREE

## Bee Roadzz Activity booklet .....

**Colour in Bertie the Bee and the flowers** 

Do you know how bees make honey?



Open up for more activities and to find out why bees need our help.....

#### Why do bees need our help?

There are fewer and fewer bees due to disease, pesticides and the disappearance of wild flower meadows and places for bees to nest, so it is really important that we look after our wild bee populations.

The good news is that we can all play a part in helping to conserve bees, starting with our own gardens.....

Make your garden bee friendly!

- Plant flowers that bees love (see below)
- Don't use bug sprays
- Let wild flowers grow

#### Bee friendly flowers.....



Lavender	Bluebells
Viper's Bugloss	Crocuses
Mahonia	Rosemary
Verbena	Crab Apple

V **Crab Apple Tree** 

Borage (Starflower) **Ox-eye Daisy** 

Hawthorn

Sedum



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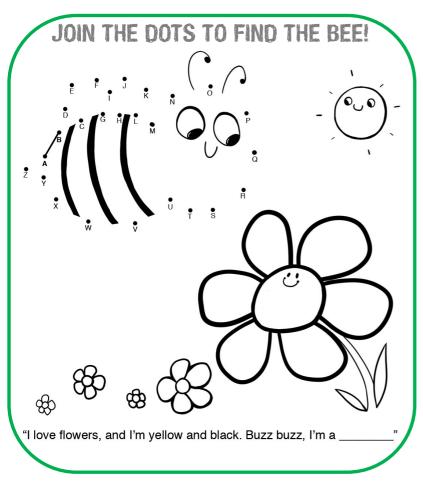
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How many of these 'bee' words can you find in the wordsearch?

BEE	NECTAR
BUZZ	POLLEN
COLONY	QUEEN
DRONE	STING
FLOWER	SWARM
HIVE	SWEET
HONEY	WORKER



### What is a pollinator?

#### MAKE A BEE DRINKING BATH!

Bees and other flying insects need access to fresh water that they can't fall into and drown. Fill a shallow dish with some pebbles and/or shells and some water, making sure that it's not too deep. Then look out for bees enjoying a drink.



Pollinators drink nectar from flowers and feed off pollen. Then they transport the pollen grains as they travel from place to place. Lot's of insects and small animals pollinate many crops that we eat, such as tomatoes, peas and apples, they also help our wild plants throughout the countryside.

#### Do you know which pollinator is which?









#### MOTH FLY BIRD BAT WASP RFF BEETLE **BUTTERFLY**



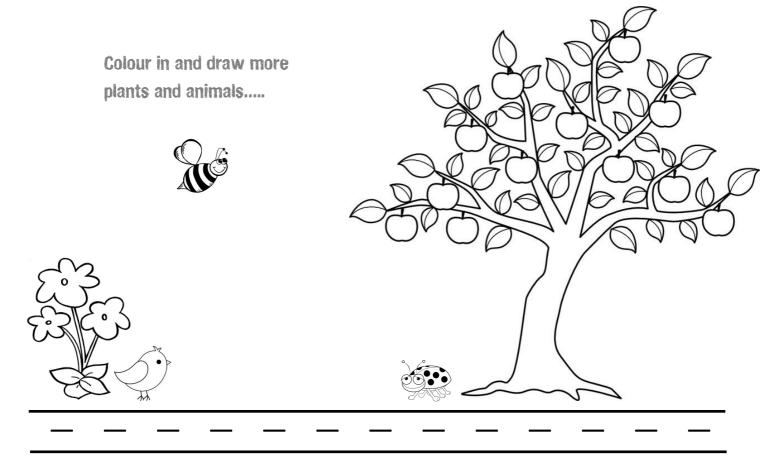






#### What is a Bee Road?

Bees and other pollinators need lots of places to find their food so they don't have to travel long and tiring distance between small areas of the flowers they like. Honeybees will fly up to five miles if they have to – what a long way for a tiny bee! We can make it easier for them by planting more suitable flowers in connecting areas along The Bee Roadzz......



#### Get involved...

Find out more by following the Bee Roadzz partners and look out for upcoming events in the local area.

