

Pollinator Education Resources for Parents and Families

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*If you would like to suggest additional resources for inclusion on this list,
please [Contact the Honey Bee Health Coalition](#)*

Reading List

Ages 2-5

- [Bee & Me](#) by Alison Jay
- [Busy Buzzy Bee](#) by Karen Wallace

Ages 4-8

- [The Honeybee Man](#) by Lela Nargi
- [The Magic School Bus Inside a Beehive](#), by Janna Cole and Bruce Degen
- [The Life and Times of the Honeybee](#), by Charles Micucci

Grades 1-3

- [The Flight of the Honey Bee](#) by Raymond Hube (Honeycombers Books Club)
- [The Beeman](#) by Laurie Krebs and Valeria Cis (Honeycombers Book Club)
- [The Bee Tree](#) by Patricia Polacco (Honeycombers Book Club)
- [The Honey Makers](#) by Gail Gibbons ([HoneyMakers Book Club](#))
- [The Thing About Bees: A Love Letter](#) by Shabazz Larkin ([Honeycombers Book Club](#))
- [If You Love Honey: Nature's Connections](#) by Martha Sullivan
- [Honey in a Hive](#) by Anne Rockwell
- [What is Pollination?](#) by Bobbie Kalman
- [Are You A Bee?](#) by Judy Allen and Tudor Humphries

Grades 3-5

- [Farmer Will Allen and the Growing Table](#) by Jaqueline Briggs Martin
- [Honeybees and Frenemies](#) by Kristi Wientge
- [Our School Garden](#) by Rick Swann ([High Fliers Books Club](#))
- [The World of Bees](#) by Cristina Banfi and Giulia De Amicis ([High Flyers Book Club](#))
- [What If There Were No Bees? A Book About the Grassland Ecosystem](#) by Suzanne Buckingham Slade ([High Flyers Book Club](#))
- [Bee A Dreamer](#) by Ryen Toft
- [Busy Bee and the Endangered Meadow](#) by Paul Noël

Games & Puzzles

- [PBS Interactive Pollinator Game](#)
- [Bloom bingo \(Answer key\)](#)
- [Word search puzzle](#) from Pollinator Partnership
- [Word search puzzle](#) from USFS
- [Recipes - Bee Smart™ snacks](#)
- [Word problems \(Answer key\)](#)

Activities

- [How to Build a Pollinator Garden](#) (Pollinator Partnership)
- [Your Urban Garden is Better with Bees \(original version\)](#)
- [What You Can Do For Pollinators](#)
- [5 Things Kids Can Do to Help Pollinators](#)
- [Pollinator Activity Book](#)
- [Cranberry-Chocolate Pollinated Tart](#)
- [Pollinator Backyard Activity Guide](#) (NEEF)
- [Woodsy Owl's Rubbish Rot Rap](#)
- [The butterfly dance performed by Chikawa \(available in English and Spanish\)](#)
- ["Dr. Bug's" PollinatorLIVE dance and song](#)

Fact Sheets and Information Guides

- [Protecting Pollinators: Why and How Pesticide Applicators Can Help Them](#)
- U.S. Forest Service: [Celebrating Wildflowers/Pollinators](#)
- [Bee Identification Guides](#)
- Save Nature [Honey Bee Fact Sheet](#) (english and spanish)
- [Pollinator Related Vocabulary List](#)

Additional Resources - Bees

- [Attracting Beneficial Insects with Native Flowering Plants](#) from Michigan State University
- [List of Pollinated Foods](#)
- [What is a Pollinator?](#)
- ["Starting a Wildlife Habitat Garden" Bay Nature](#)
- [Bee Informed, Bee Prepared](#)
- [Kids and Bees Resource Booklet: Ideas and Inspirations for Teaching Kids about Bees](#), by Sarah Red-Laird
- [Junior Master Gardener Program](#)

Additional Resources - Other Pollinators

- [A look at Illinois Prairie Butterflies from the Notebaert Nature Museum](#) (video)
- [Protecting Monarch: What You Can Do To Support Monarch Butterflies](#)
- [Like a Moth to a Flower](#)
- [Plight of the Pollinator: Save Money, Time and Energy with IVM and Energy Rights-of-Way for Wild Pollinators](#)