



Information Report

Very High Year 2



Bees

Bees are flying insects. They are closely related to wasps.

Appearance

Bees are small insects that are the size of a jellybean. They are hairy insects and are usually yellow and black or orange and black to warn predators away. Bees have three body parts - the head, thorax and the abdomen. Their six hairy legs and thin wings are attached onto the thorax. Bees also have a sharp stinger at the end of their abdomen to use as a defence against predators. Bees have five eyes - two large eyes called compound eyes and three simple small eyes so they can see very well.



Habitat

Bees live on every continent except Antarctica because it is too freezing cold for flowers to grow and bees must live near flowers.

They must live near sweet flowers so they can find food. Bees live in huge colonies called beehives. Beehives can be found on trees, in stumps and on the ground.

Diet

Bees fly to flowers to collect nectar and pollen using the pollen sacks on their legs. They bring the nectar and pollen from the flowers back to the beehive and make delicious honey from them.

Interesting Facts

Bees are flying insects. Nectar gives them energy to fly. Bees also dance to communicate and talk to the other bees to tell them where to find and locate flowers.



Punctuation

- capital letters, full stops, commas, question marks, exclamation marks

Connectives - adding information to the sentence.



Openers - using different sentence beginnings.

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