## HONEY BEE (Scientific name: Apis)

Bees and other pollinators play an important role in ecosystems. As they collect nectar and pollen from flowers, they help plants reproduce. Many of the foods we eat depend on pollinators! You can help bees, butterflies and other pollinators by planting and protecting native flowers in your area.



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