

[The Honeybee](#)
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Literacy Activity
The Letters Hh and Bb

Make a list of all the words that start with Hh and Bb in the story.

Hh	honey house	Bb	bee buzz
	hive hill		busy blast

Go on a letter hunt.

This is a fun interactive activity that you can do at home or at school. Grab a bag or basket and walk around your classroom, home, playground, or neighborhood and collect or point out items that start with the letters Hh and Bb (for example, bark, ball, bug, bird, hand, hat, hose and hanger).

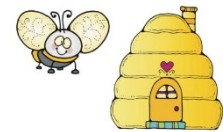
Dramatic Play or Music Activity
Beehive

Here is a beehive,
Where are the bees?
Hidden inside,
Where nobody sees.
Here they come
Creeping out of their hive
1, 2, 3, 4, 5
Buzz! Buzz!

(Start with fingers clenched in a fist, bring them out one by one as you count)

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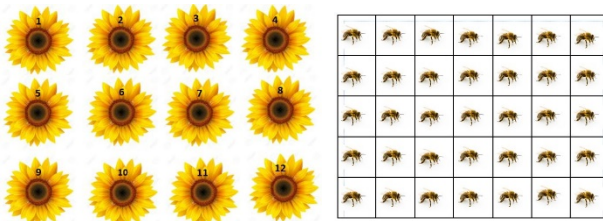
Cut out the bees and have the kids place them on the hive as you say the poem.



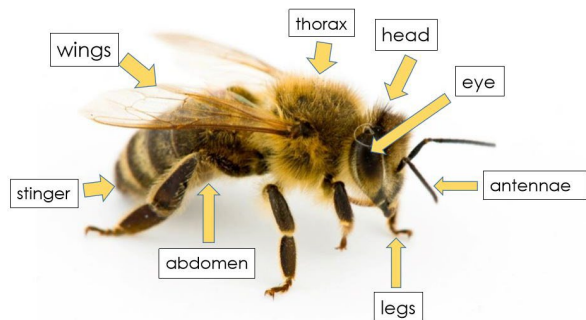
Math Activity
Sunflower Honeybee Counting

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Cut out the sunflowers and bees.
Each sunflower has a number on it.
Count the correct number of bees for each sunflower.



Science Activity
Parts of a Honeybee



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Explore the parts of a honeybee with your child. To extend any activity, you can buy Honeycomb cereal at the store and make designs or stack the honeycombs.