

# Bee Project

A community created work of art



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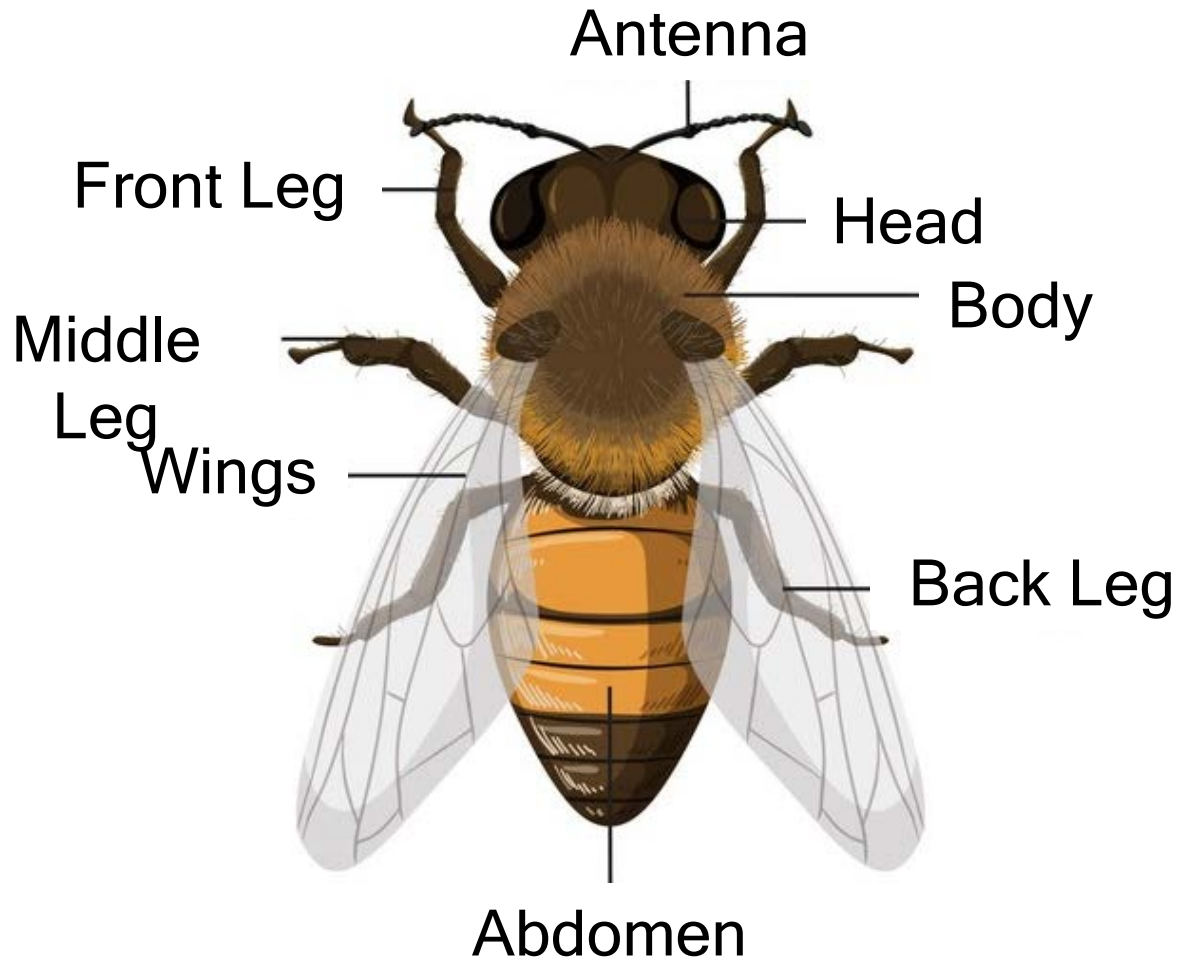
Click below to learn about the importance of bees from the Indian Creek Nature Center



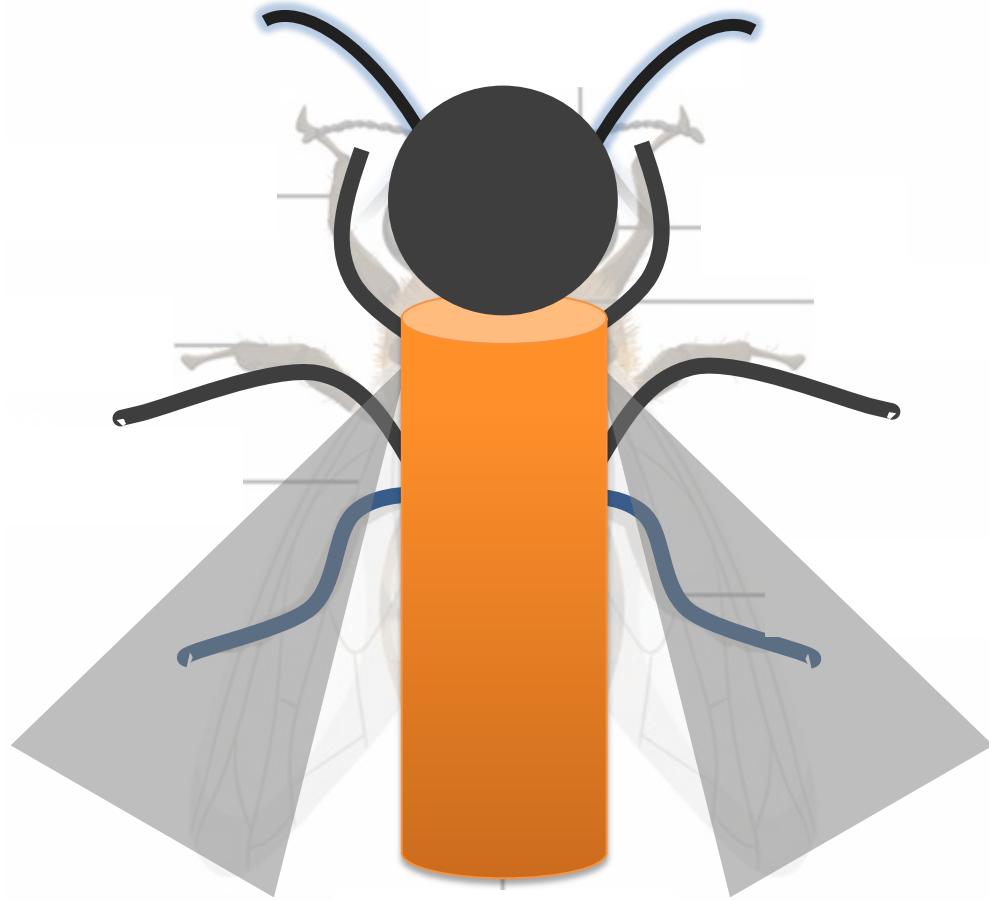
Click below to see an introduction to The Bee Project from the artist, Elena V. Smyrniotis.



# Anatomy (parts) of a bee



# What shapes do you see?



# How can we make a head?

What objects are spheres?





# What cylinder can make the abdomen or body?

What objects are cylinders?



# What can you cut wings out of?





# What about the legs, antennae, and stinger?



# What about the eyes?



# What else might you need?





See Elena V. Smyrniotis, Grant Wood Fellow, demonstrate how to make a bee from recycled materials



## Build-a-Bee Example #1



## Build-a-Bee Example #2

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## Another Example

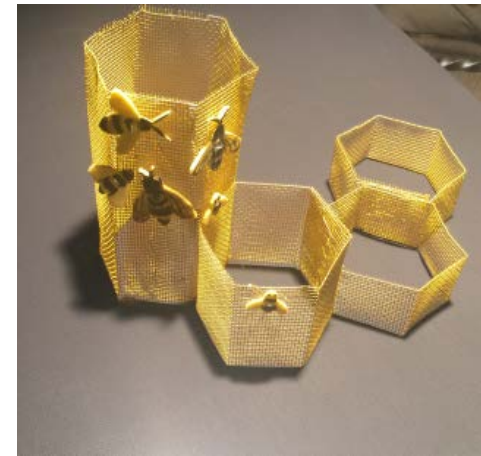
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## Build-a-Bee Example #3

# Time to Install!

Watch for giant “honeycombs” to pop up at the Indian Creek Nature Center and the Czech Village/New Bohemia Main Street District in April. Then, take your bee to the “honeycomb” and attach it with the zip ties provided. Celebrate the importance of bees during ***Earth Day, April 22, 2021!***



# Remember...

To have fun and be creative!

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materials you can find!





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