

Community/ Student Weekly Art Challenge

Due Date: Tuesday 14th September

Our theme this week is



Bees

To help celebrate the start of SPRING, we would like to pay homage to our wonderful bees! There are an abundance of native bees and I would encourage everyone to research. European honeybees are fascinating too! Bumblebees are adorable little critters. There are so many species to choose from! Have you heard of the teddy bear bee? How about the blue banded bee? I love the colour of native metallic green carpenter bees!



TASK: Using the stimulus attached or your own inspiration, you are to draw or paint, make, sew, create an artwork based on our most important spring pollinator, the remarkable BEE!

Stimulus material ranges in difficulty to cater for everyone. Students can use their sketch book or any art materials they have at home. You could use coloured pencils, charcoal, graphite, oil pastels, acrylic paint, textas, pens...anything! I've included some step-by-step drawing guides off the internet as well. You may like to draw an illustration like a scientist, a bee on a flower, a native bee, bees flying, bees within a scene.

Here are some links for structured drawing lessons on YouTube for students who need support:

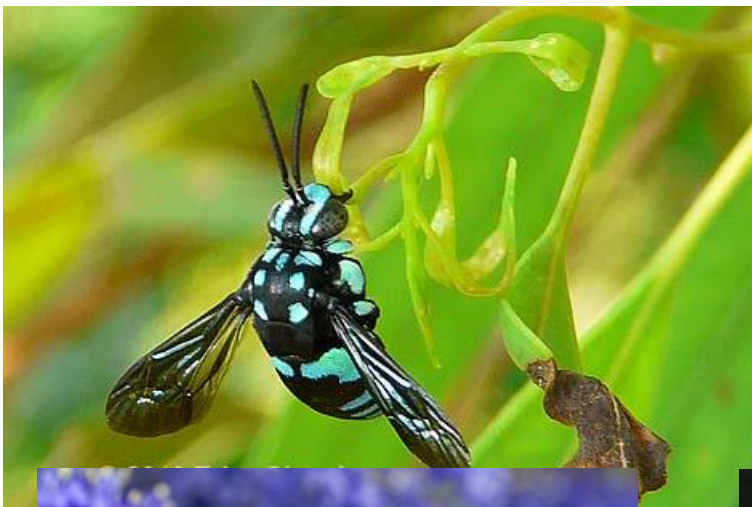
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ho4aUHY6fss>
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Once completed, take a photo and email it with your name to jennie.wilson@det.nsw.edu.au (monitored every day) or the school mobile 0428313580 (although I cannot access this everyday due to working offsite some days). I add things to our Facebook page during the week to help you with ideas and stimulate artistic thinking.

Your photos will be added to a virtual gallery each week. You may even want to complete more than one artwork! We thank you for being part of this project.

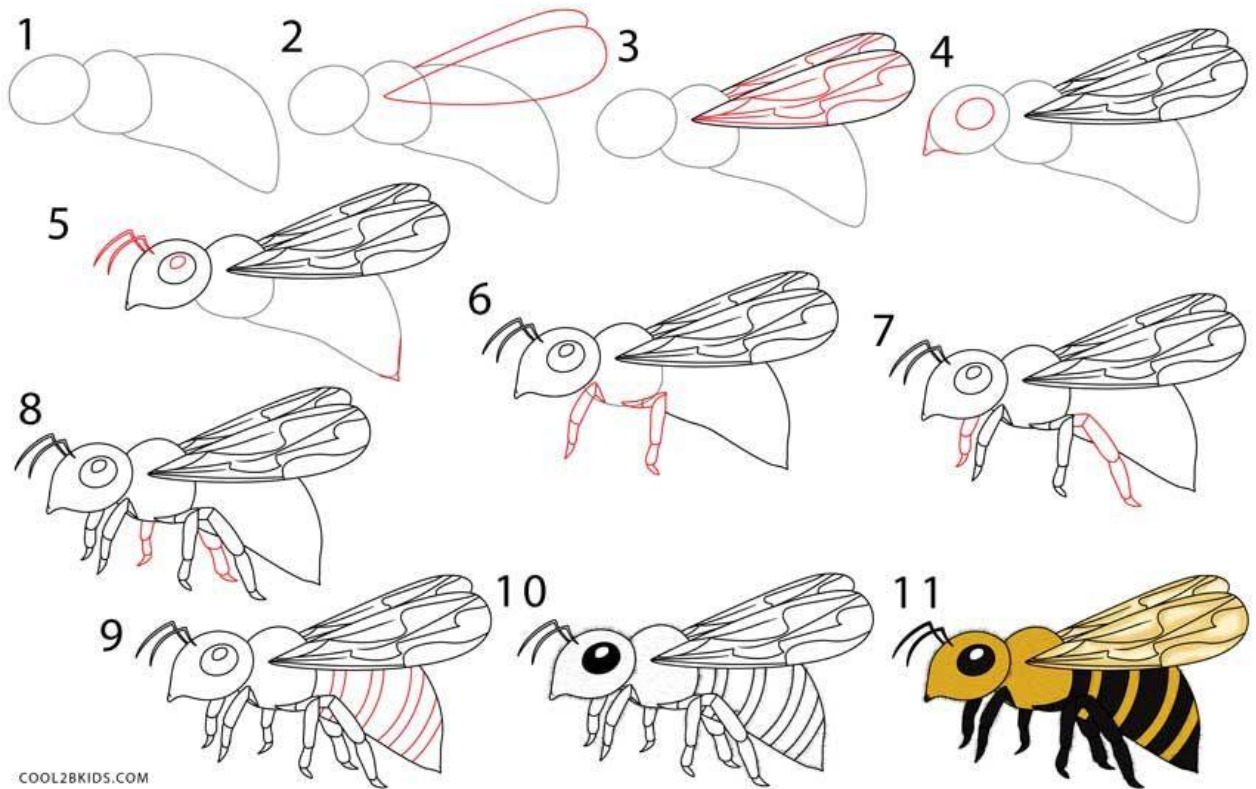
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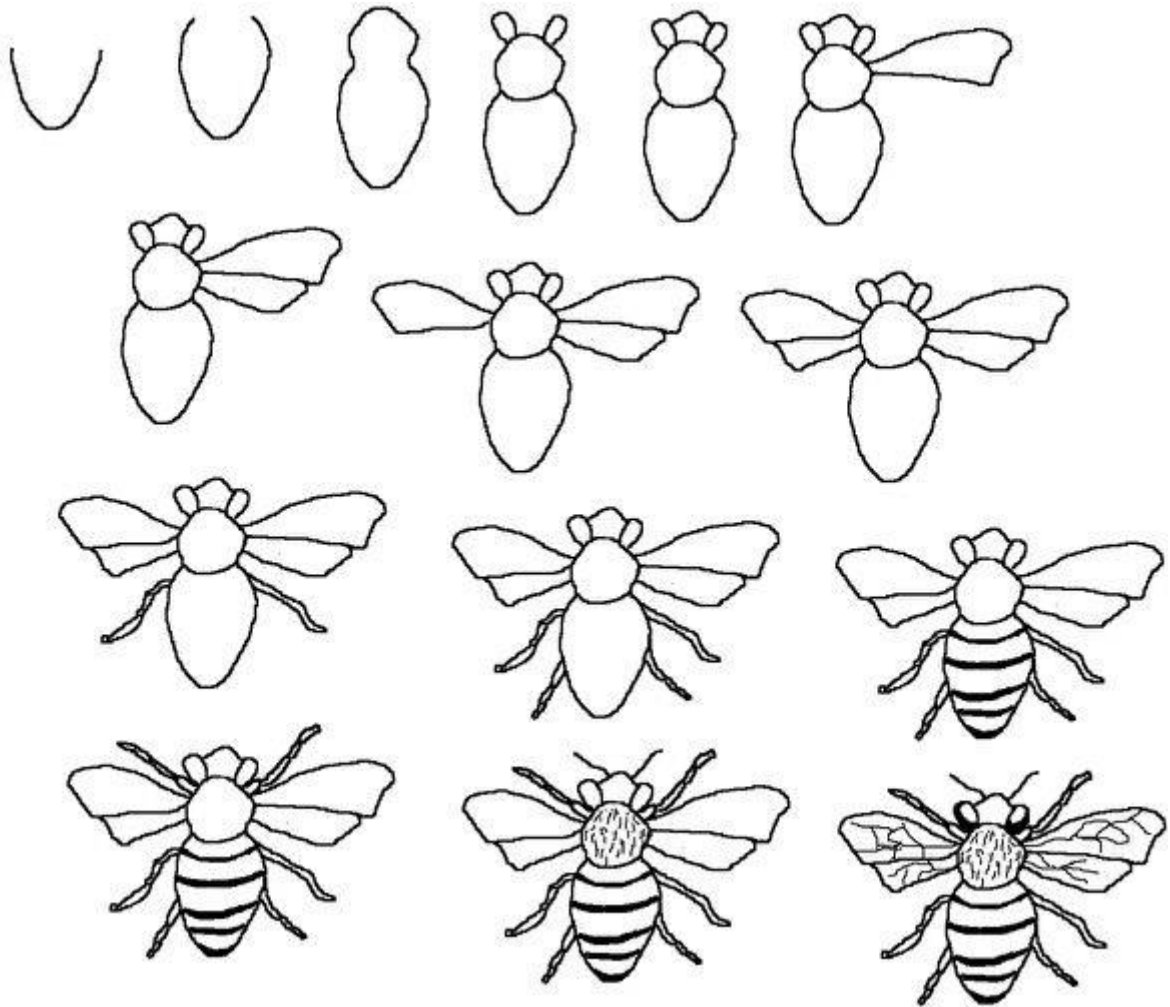
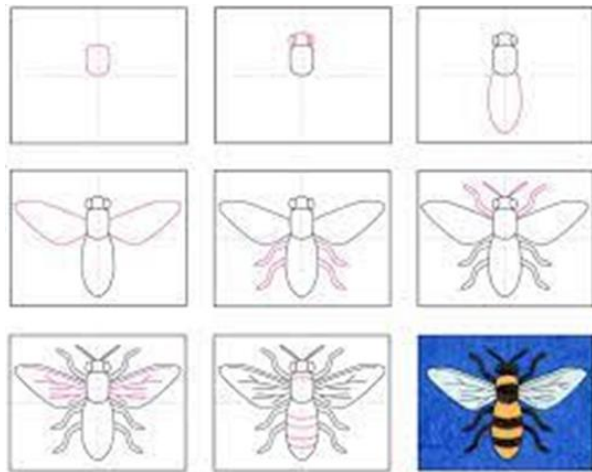
<https://www.aussiebee.com.au/gallery.html>





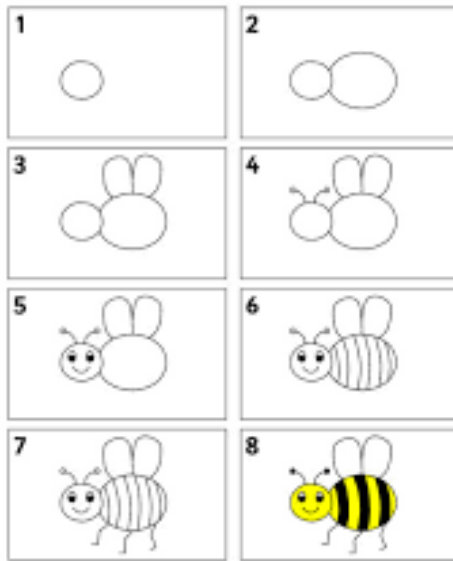
How to Draw a Bee





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Use these instructions to help you draw a simple cartoon bee.









Have fun exploring and
creating with Bees!

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