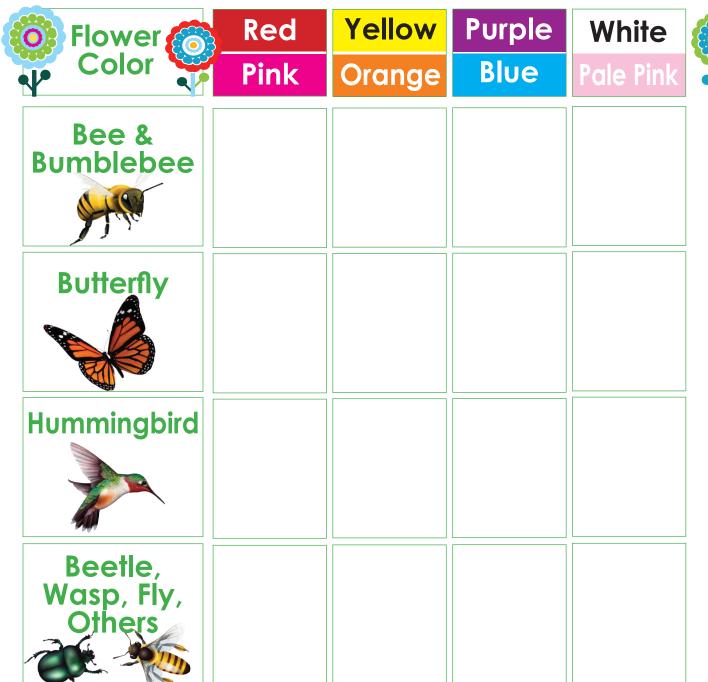
Pollinator Observations at Home



Carefully observe the pollinators in your home garden or neighborhood as they feed off nectar from different flowers. Use tally marks to keep track of how many of each pollinator you see on the different flower colors.

Which flower color do bees and bumblebees like best?

Do butterflies prefer a certain flower color?

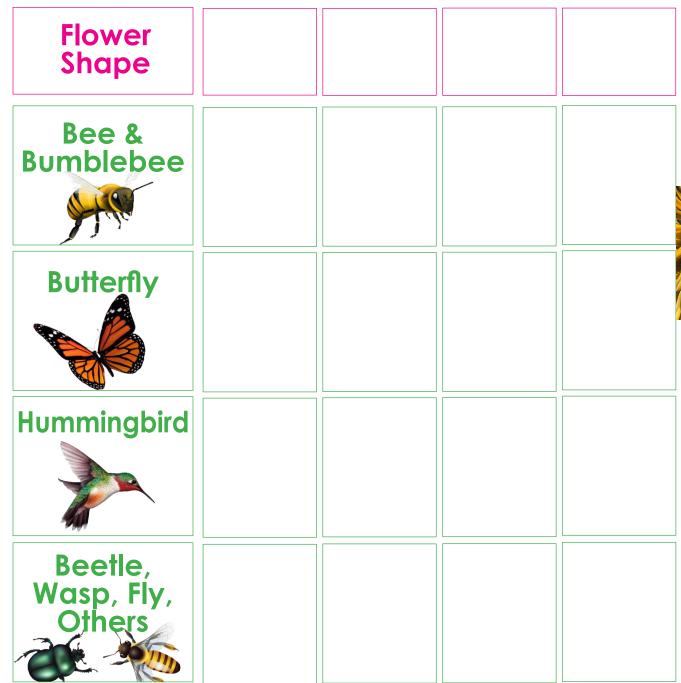
Do hummingbirds have a favorite flower color?

Did you notice if any of the pollinators liked a flower of a certain shape?

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Flowers come in all shapes and sizes!

Look for flowers of different shapes around your home or neighborhood. A few examples include long and tubular like an aloe, many petals in a circle or rosette like a rose, or open and saucershaped like a sunflower.



Choose 4 flowers of different shapes that you find and draw them in the boxes at the top of the chart.

Wait and watch. Use tally marks to keep track of how many of each pollinator you see at the different flowers.

Do you see any patterns in what you observed? What flower shape is the favorite of each pollinator?

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