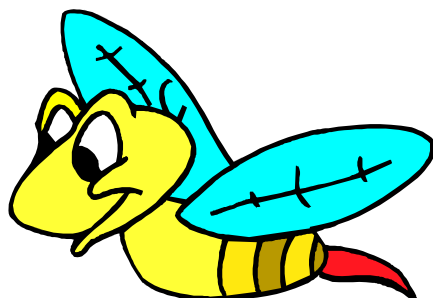
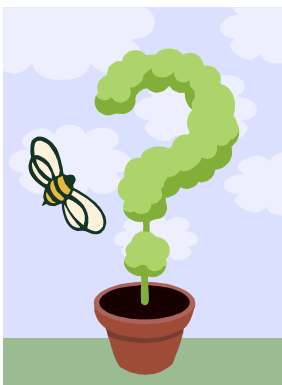


Hamza and Simeon have been learning to find out information about bees and making honey from different texts. They would like to share with you the information that they found the most interesting.

This is what Hamza learnt:

- I learnt that bees have segments in their feelers and legs. When the babies get born the worker bees touch them with their feelers so that they are welcomed in the hive.
- I also learnt that the queen bee lays 1000 eggs every day.
- I thought that the bees took pollen on their back to the hive, but when I started to learn I learnt that they took it on their back legs to the hive.
- I also learnt that they have a long and narrow tongue to suck up the nectar and take it to the hive. I also found out that they have two stomachs, one for their food and one for their nectar.
- Before I read the book about making honey, I thought that the bees put the nectar in the cells and then they mixed it and it changed into honey. When I read the book I learnt that the bees put the nectar inside the cells and they flap their wings up and down really fast and the nectar dries out and changes into honey.



This is what Simeon learnt:

- The queen bee lays thousands of eggs every day. The eggs hatch into baby grubs. The worker bees feed the grubs with honey and when they are bigger they stay in their cells covered with wax. They hatch out of the cells into baby bees in twelve days.
- The worker bees feed the baby grubs with pollen mixed with honey.
- The worker bees fly far, far away to collect the pollen and the nectar from the flowers.
- Bees collect pollen and they take it back to the hive with their two back legs.
- Bees crawl in and out of the hives. They don't fly in and out of the hive.
- Best of all, I learnt that honey is yummy!

