BEE IMITATION GAMES

Part 1:

Show children a video such as https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-7ijI-g4jHg or demonstrate the "waggle dance" that bees use to tell other bees where to find flowers.

Have child design their own dance to lead others to a hidden object that represents a food source.







Part 2:

You will need: Flowers or crafted flowers, Brushes or pom-poms,

Coloured powder or glitter.

Set up a series of flower stations with different colours and shapes (using real flowers or crafted ones). Give each child a small brush or a pom-pom attached to a stick to mimic a bee's body. As they visit each flower, they collect pollen (coloured powder or glitter) and transfer it to other flowers.

Understand the role of bees in pollination and how it affects plant reproduction



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