

Bee-friendly plants for our gardens

Annuals			
Spring/Summer	Summer	Summer	Autumn
Alyssum **	Begonia *	Nemophila **	Chrysanthemum***
Balsam **	Bellis (daisy) ****	Nigella **	Dahlia *
Calendula **	Calendula (single) ***	Night scented stock *	
Candytuft ***	Campanula **	Pelargonium *	
China Aster **	Clarkia **	Phacelia ***	
Corn cockle ****	Coreopsis **	Scabious ***	
Dianthus **	Cornflower ****	Senecio **	
Mignonette **	Cosmos **	Sweet pea **	
Primula *	Dianthus **	Zinnia **	
	Escholtzia **	Gaillardia **	
	Godetia **	Gypsophila *	
	Helianthus ****	Limnanthes ****	
Perennials			
Spring	Summer	Summer	Autumn
Alchemilla mollis ***	Achillea *	Hollyhock **	Androsace *
Anemone **	Alyssum **	Horehound **	Anemone **
Arabis **	Anchusa ***	Hyssop ****	Asters ****
Armeria (thrift) ***	Anemone **	Inula **	Astrantia **
Aubretia ***	Astrantia **	Lavatera ***	Chrysanthemum(singles) *
Bergenia *	Calendula **	Lavender ***	Echinops ***
Bluebell **	Campanula **	Lythrum ***	Erica (heather) ***
Caltha palustris **	Catmint ***	Mallow ***	Eryngium **
Lily of the valley **	Centaurea ***	Myosotis ***	Eupatorium **
Coreopsis **	Clinopodium ***	Nepeta **	Hebe ****
Cuckoo Flower ***	Cynoglossom **	Perovskia ****	Helenium ***
Foxgloves **	Dianthus **	Poppy (for pollen) **	Hemerocallis ***
Wallflower ****	Doronicum **	Potentilla **	Inula **
Hebe ***	Echinops ***	Rudbeckia **	Oenothera ****
Lamium (for pollen) **	Erigeron **	Saxifrage ***	Persicaria ****
Pulmonaria ***	Geranium ****	Sisyrinchium ***	Salvia ****

	Geum **	Stock **	Sedums ****
	Golden Rod *	Thrift ***	Verbascum ***
	Hebe ***	Thyme ***	Verbena ***
	Helenium ***	Veronica ***	
Shrubs			
Arbutus *	Broom ***	Buddleia (Globosa) ****	Clematis (Wisley Cream)
Berberis **	Buddleia **	Clematis **	Lonicera (Winter Honeysuckle)
Chaenomeles ***	Buxus *	Fatsia ***	Mahonia
Clematis **	Choisya *	Hebe ***	Viburnum Bodnantense
Cornus **	Cistus **	Leycesteria ***	
Daphne **	Clematis **	Viburnum tinus ****	
Deutzia ***	Cotoneaster ****		
Forsythia **	Cytisus (broom) ***		
Pyracantha **	Escallonia **		
Ribes ***	Fuchsia **		
Skimmia ****	Genista (gorse) ***		
Syringa ***	Geum *		
Viburnum ***	Hebe ***		
Lilac (Syringa microphylla) **	Hypericum **		
	Lonicera ***		
	Olearia *		
	Penstemon **		
	Philadelphus **		
	Potentilla **		
	Pyracantha ***		
	Weigela **		
Bulbs, corms & tubers			
Allium ***	Allium ****	Allium ****	
Allium moly **	Allium Gigantium ****	Colchicum **	Nerines ****
Anemone **	Alstroemeria ***	Crocus ***	Schizostylis ****
Bluebell ***	Fritillaria **	Iris **	
C. Eranthis (winter aconite) **	Hemerocallis **	Lilium ***	

Chionodoxa **	Iris **		
Crocus ****	Ixia ***		
Epimedium **	Lilium ***		
Erythronium ***	Leucojum **		
Galanthus (snowdrop) ***	Trillium **		
Hyacinth ***			
Iris **			
Muscari ***			
Scilla ***			
Tulipa (pollen) **			
Herbs			
Bay **	Balm **	Fennel ***	
Lovage ***	Chervil **	Parsley ***	
Sage ****	Chives ***	Savory ***	
	Coriander ***	Tarragon ***	
	Oregano (marjoram) ****		
	Sweet cicely ***	Rocket ***	
	Thyme ****	Thyme ****	
	Bergamot (Monarda)****		
	Fennel ***		
	Angelica ****		
	Lavender ****		
	Mint ***		
	Rocket ***		
	Rosemary ****		
	Sage ****		
Trees			
Amelanchier **	Horse Chestnut ***	Robinia **	
Hazel (for pollen) **	Sweet Chestnut ****	Catalpa **	Acacia dealbata **
Sorbus ***	Cordyline ***		
Apple ****	Pear ****		
Almond ****	Plum ****		

Holly ***	Peach ****		
Judas Tree **	Apricot ****		
Maple ***	Cherry ****		
	Cherry Laurel ****		
Vegetables and soft fruit			
Broad bean ***	Courgette ***	Asparagus ****	Green manure ****
Carrot ***	Cucumber **	Gourd **	
Currant ***	Loganberry ***	Grapes ***	
Gooseberry ***	Marrow **	Leek ***	
All Brassicas ****	Strawberries ***	Parsnip ***	
Wildflowers' (WEEDS??!)			
Birds foot trefoil ***			
Blackthorn ****		Purple Loosestrife ****	
Briars ****		Mallow ***	
Bryony ***		Marjoram ****	
Buckthorn **		Marsh marigold ***	
Burdock ***		Mint ****	
Catsear ***		Myosotis ***	
Chickweed ***		Teasel ***	
Climbing Ivy ***		Thistles ***	
Clovers ****		Toad flax ***	
Coltsfoot ***		Vetch ***	
Daisy ****		Viper's bugloss ****	
Dandelion ****			
Figwort ***			
Ground Ivy **			

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Talks: 'Gardening for Bees', 'How clever is the Honey Bee?', 'The Bee, her cousins and more distant relatives'