



BEES



In the beehive perfect work organisation rules.

Bees are remarkable and useful creatures. They are a type of colony-building insect. In the beehive a sophisticated division of labour orders every bee's activities. In winter only around 10,000 bees live in the hive, whereas in summer the population is three to six times as large. Then the colony consists of a queen bee, 30,000 to 60,000 worker bees and 500 to 2,000 drones.

All insects work extremely efficiently together and use an ingenious form of communication. This is the only way for the diligent bees to produce such enormous volumes of delicious and healthy honey. As a sideline they also take care of plant pollination, without which no fruit would be produced.

THE QUEEN BEE

THE WORKER BEES

THE DRONES

COMMUNICATION

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