

## Today's Mission: What's the Buzz About?

It's National Pollinator Week! Birds, bees and other small mammals that pollinate plants are responsible for bringing us one out of every three bites of food. They also sustain our ecosystem and produce our natural resources by helping plants reproduce. In the spirit of Tinker Tuesday...

**DREAM ● PLAY ● CREATE**

## Instruction Overview:

1. Watch the latest episode of Patty Pearl as she explains the importance of International Pollinator Week.
2. [Here's a short video](#) to show how pollination works.
3. [Create your own bee house](#) for your local bees.
  - Ask an adult to help with the construction.
4. Upload any pictures or videos to your favorite social media outlet:
  - Use: [#tinkertuesday](#)
  - Tag: [@einsteinproject](#) & [@tiletown](#)

## Check out these fun activities:

- [Thank you Annette Whippie for this fun activity on how pollinators work.](#)
- [Butterfly Feeding Station Ideas](#)
- [STEMGems-Pollination Buzz](#) - make flower and bee models



## Learn More About Pollinators:

- [A fun video on how our yummy fruits become fruit!](#)
- [This non-profit focuses on helping people understand pollinators. Learn how to help, plus fun activities and projects!](#)
- [Great site for parents on different garden activities.](#)