

# Crested Butte Wildflower Festival

## C-Bees



*Seeds:*

*Ages 3-5*

*Adventure Guide & Activity Booklet*




**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Age:** \_\_\_\_\_

# Welcome!



Complete the activities in this book (marked with this magnifying glass  ) to learn about our wildflowers and their habitat. Become a C-Bee Protector and share what you learn with others!

Bring your completed activity book to a Festival staff member (located at 716 Elk Ave, Crested Butte, CO) or to the Visitor Center (at the 4-Way) to receive your official C-Bees certificate and badge! While you only need to complete as many activities as the number of your age (six activities for a six-year-old, etc.) for a certificate, you are welcome to complete as many as you like!

# Wildflower 101

Wildflowers are special flowers that pop up all on their own, without anyone planting them!

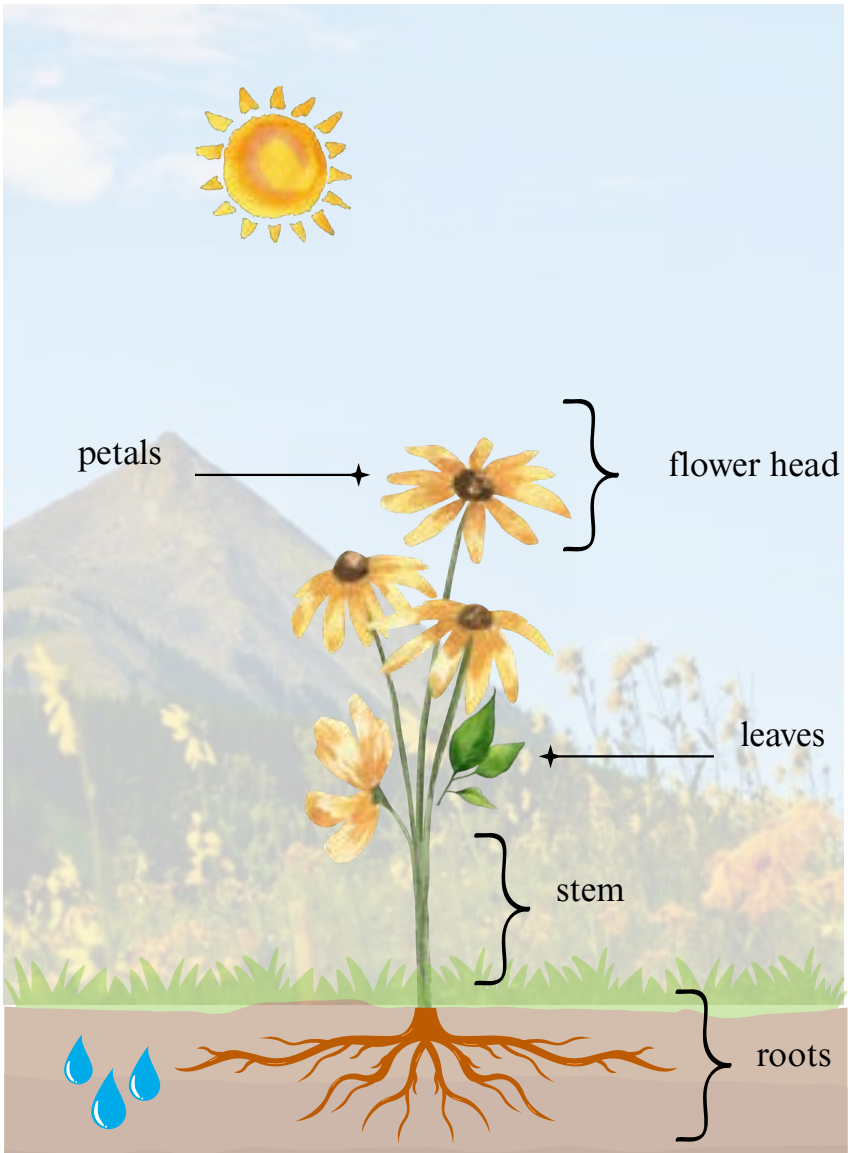


Wildflowers can grow all over! They sip water from raindrops and melted snow. They get their food from the sunshine and the soil in the ground.

Wildflowers are food for our pollinators, like Bee Bop, and his friends!



# Flower Parts



# I-Spy



Name

Picture



Paintbrush		
Shooting Star		
Corn Lily		
Blue Bell		
Scarlet Gilia (Sky Rocket)		

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# Wildflower Wonder

**Field trip! Head over to The Trailhead  
Children's Museum between July 1 - 20 to  
complete this activity!**



*501 Elk Ave, Crested Butte, CO 81224  
Hours: Wednesday - Sunday, 10am - 5pm*

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# Word Search

How many words can you find?



A S N W F L O W E R  
H O W A I U U C C R  
J I T A T S E Y O O  
R L K X R U F J L O  
A T S E I N R F O T  
I R T V Q S N E R S  
N A E H V H L Z A W  
X I M I J I Y B D W  
B L O T B N Z X O E  
E B E E L E A V E S

Colorado

Sunshine

Leaves

Trail

Flower

Nature

Hike

Rain

Stem

Roots

Soil

Bee



# 5 Senses Hike

Let's go on a hike!



Pay attention to your 5 senses:



What can I see?



What can I hear?



What can I feel?



What can I smell?



What emotions do I feel?





# Leave No Trace

**Help Bee Bop keep his home  
clean and healthy:**



*Pack out trash  
and recycling*



*Stay on  
the trails*



*Do not pick  
the wildflowers*



They are  
my food!



# LNT Practice

Let's go on a hike!



Practice your Leave No Trace skills:

Will you help me  
clean up my home?



I cleaned up \_\_\_\_\_ pieces of litter!



# Sharing the Valley

**Test your knowledge of wild animals over at  
The Crested Butte Mountain Heritage Museum  
to earn a booklet stamp and a prize!**



*331 Elk Ave Crested Butte, CO 81224*



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# Pollinator Pals

**Meet Bee Bop's friends:**



**Ruby, the bird**



**Motthew, the moth**



**Honey, the bee**



**Wingston, the butterfly**



**Antonio, the ant**



**Dot, the ladybug**

**Become a pollinator**



**Eat at a local restaurant or shop at a local store.**

**Where did you go? What did you get?**

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# Colorful Colorado

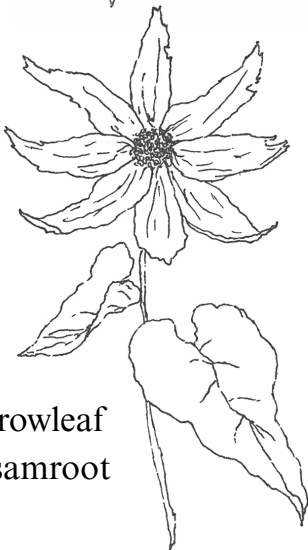
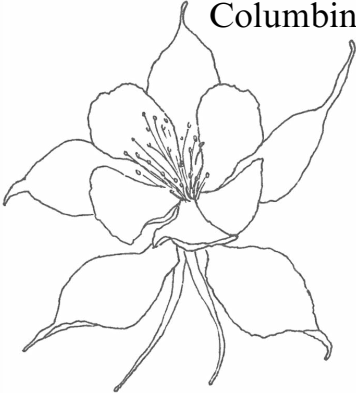
Color me in to help attract pollinators!



Paintbrush



Columbine



Arrowleaf  
Balsamroot



Lupine

# Interview a Scientist!

**Field Trip! Head up to the Rocky Mountain Biological Lab Visitor Center for even more wildflower magic.**

Ask a scientist or Visitor Center worker questions you are curious about. Here are some examples:

*What animals live around here?*

*What's your favorite flower?*

*What's your job?*

*Do you play outside a lot?*

*What do you look for when you walk in nature?*

*How can I be a scientist too?*



**Name of who I interviewed:**

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**One cool fact I learned:**

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# *This Official Certificate*

*certifies completion of the C-Bees program requirements,  
inducting the name below into a special group of young  
stewards joining the Crested Butte Wildflower Festival in  
advocating for the preservation & appreciation of wildflowers.*

*Honorary C-Bee*

*C-Bees Official*

*Date*



# Thank You!

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*Brian Schratz- Paintbrush Pg. 4*

*Kathy Krucker- Shooting Star Pg. 4*

*Eric Haye- Blue Bell Pg. 4*

*Sierra Swenson- Scarlet Gilia Pg. 4*

## **Resources:**

*Rick Reavis*

*Colorado Native Plant Society*



Scan to submit program feedback!

*The Crested Butte Wildflower Festival operates in the Gunnison National Forest under a special use permit and is an equal opportunity service provider.*