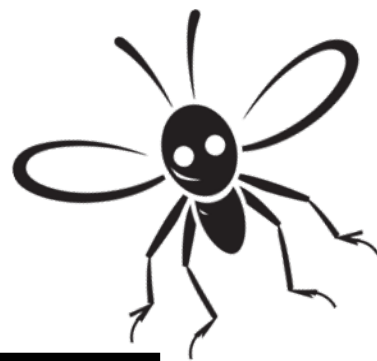


# Entomology & Beekeeping



## *Did you know...*

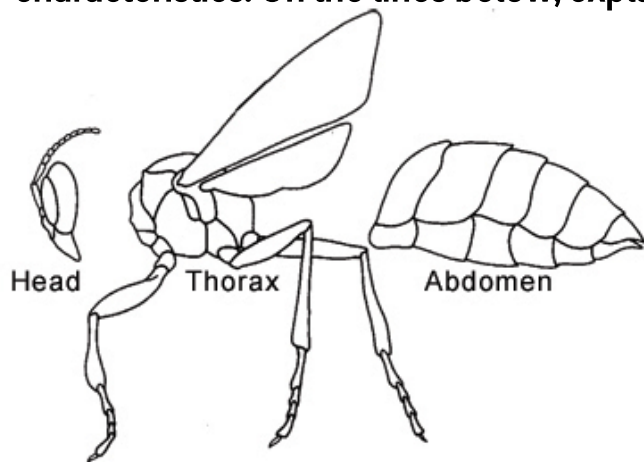
This project is for 4-H members who are interested in insects and bees. In this project, 4-H members can learn which insects are poisonous and which ones bring benefits to our world.

## *What can I do...*

- Start an insect collection
- Give a speech on the many insects that live on Earth
- Do a demonstration on a beekeeping operation

## *Check this out...*

An insect's body is divided into three segments and each segment has unique characteristics. On the lines below, explain what each part of the insect does:



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## *Future Thoughts...*

What kind of career would someone in the Entomology project pursue?

- Beekeeper
- Exterminator
- Entomologist
- Gardener

Do you know what all of these professions do in their job? If not, do some research and dig a little deeper.

## *Work on this...*

Beekeepers can make a great deal of money if they have a large enough operation. Bees are not expensive to purchase but you would definitely have to invest in the equipment that is needed. Research and make a list of the supplies and equipment you would need.

Share this list with your family or friends, so they can also be educated on the set-up required for beekeeping.

## *What's Next?*

Contact your local 4-H Agent on other ways you can get involved with this project and with 4-H.

- Submit an essay for the Beekeeping Essay contest
- Start an Entomology/Beekeeping project group where 4-H members can come together to learn from each other
- Begin preparation to submit a portfolio in this project area
- Start taking action photos of your activities in this project area