

Josh - Hotel rooms for native bees

This case study was transcribed from an interview. These are Josh's words and opinions.

What was your goal and what did you achieve?

I wanted to build bee hotels for native bees and to give people some idea about how important bees are. My biggest success was building a two metre high bee hotel and I researched what food, how much shade, the weather they need, and what kind of home they want. I worked with my grandparents and they contributed a lot - they helped me do three massive posters and they helped me build the bee hotel.

Challenges - what did you learn?

Always try and upgrade your ideas to make it better in every way, and also when you're talking to a group, don't be afraid. They know nothing about this - you know everything so they're listening to you.

What will happen now?

I've asked one of my teachers to put a notification out to the whole entire school of what I'm doing and what I'm going to do. We're going to pick a spot in the school for the bee hotel and it's going to stay there for the rest of its days.

Your advice to other students?

Always research. Research can make you a lot smarter and it can make you know things that you can tell other people about that they don't know about.

What did you enjoy most?

I've enjoyed the hands-on and outdoor experience of it all.



