

The Happy Queen

Deep in the tree, the little bees buzz. One, two, three they stop to see a bee friend dance.

The flowers are this way, his dance tells them. Come with me!

Bees dance to tell each other where to find the best flowers in the spring season.

They work as a team or colony.

That way it is really easy to leave to fly to the east or the west to reach the best spot.

The biggest bee, the leader, is the queen.

She is really happy when all her bees bring her what she needs.

At first the queen's baby bees feed on a kind of jelly other bees make.

As the bees grow, they eat a new sweet meal called "bee bread." Then, they become part of the team.

The bee team works hard to keep the hive clean and queen happy.