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**Interesting Facts**

* **Hedgehogs** are nocturnal animals and only come out at night!
* **Bees** do a dance to show the other bees where the flowers are!

**Vocabulary**

**Environment –** The environment includes everything living and everything non-living

**Protect –** The act of keeping something safe from harm or the condition of being protected.

**Sustainability –** Sustainability is about small changes we can make to help look after the planet.

**Wildlife –** Wild animals living in their natural environment.

**Pollination –** transferring pollen grains from the male anther of a flower to the female stigma.

**Colony –** a group of bees living together

**Habitat –** the place where living things naturally live and grow

Topic overview

In this geography and science topic, children will learn about the wonderful world of bees and hedgehogs!

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**Key Concepts**

* Types of bees and hedgehogs
* The best location for beehives and hedgehog homes
* How we can help bees and hedgehogs
* Important wildlife in our gardens
* Fieldwork and mapping skills

**Key People**

**David Attenborough –** Famous scientist and conservationist.

**Andrew Ellis –** The hedgehog man from Birchwood Hedgehog Rescue, devotes his time to caring for poorly hedgehogs.

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A person holding a small animal

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