

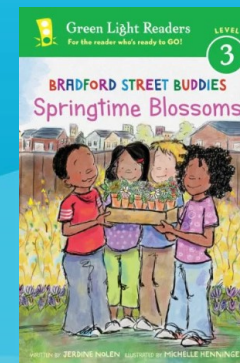


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INVESTIGATION CARD

Everyone knows that flowers are pretty and smell nice, but is that all they do? Why else would planting native flowers in our gardens be important? Go outside and select one flower blossom to observe for 10 minutes or so. What did you see? How many times did a pollinator visit the flower? How many different species of pollinators did you see? Why would these flowers attract these insects? Does this interaction between the flowers and pollinators serve a purpose? Write a **journal** entry documenting all that you have seen. Using the **magnifying glass** choose one flower blossom to dissect. Take it inside and place it on a plate use the **tweezers** to gently pull apart the flower and identify the different parts using the ID sheet in the folder

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