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## SCIENCE Reading Comprehension – Key Stage 1 – Year 2

#### The Little Scientist Who Saved the Bees

Once upon a time, there was a girl named Mia who loved science. She spent all her time in the garden watching the bees buzzing from flower to flower. One day, Mia noticed that there were fewer bees than before. She knew that bees were very important because they helped flowers grow, and without them, plants wouldn't be able to make fruit.

Mia decided she needed to do something to help. She put on her scientist hat and started thinking. "What can I do to bring the bees

back?" she asked herself. After a lot of thinking, she had an idea. She would plant a special garden just for the bees!

Mia planted flowers that bees loved—sunflowers, lavender, and daisies. Every day, she watered the garden and made sure the flowers were growing strong. Soon, bees started coming back, buzzing happily around her garden.



But Mia didn't stop there. She

wanted to teach other children about how important bees were. She held a science day at her school, where she showed everyone how to plant bee-friendly flowers. "If we all work together, we can help the bees," she said.

Thanks to Mia, the bees had lots of flowers to visit, and the world was a brighter, happier place. Mia was proud to be a little scientist who helped save the bees!

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- 1. What did Mia love to watch in her garden?
- 2. Why are bees important for plants?
- 3. What idea did Mia have to help bring back the bees?
- 4. What flowers did Mia plant in her garden for the bees?
- 5. How did Mia help other children learn about bees?
- 6. How did Mia feel after helping the bees?

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#### MARK SCHEME

- 1. Mia loved to watch the bees buzzing from flower to flower.
- 2. Bees are important because they help flowers grow and plants make fruit.
- 3. Mia had the idea to plant a special garden with flowers that bees love.
- 4. Mia planted sunflowers, lavender, and daisies in her garden.
- 5. Mia held a science day at her school to teach other children how to plant bee-friendly flowers.
- 6. Mia felt proud after helping the bees.