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## All About Bees

### Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Bees are important because they pollinate many plants that produce fruits, vegetables, and nuts. Without them, our food supply would shrink.
2. The "waggle dance" is a way bees communicate. It tells other bees where to find food sources, like flowers with nectar.
3. Habitat loss and pesticides harm bees by destroying their homes and making them sick. This can reduce the number of bees in an area.
4. Bees are called "tiny farmers" because they help plants grow by pollinating them, which is similar to how farmers plant and care for crops.

