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What Does a Bumblebee Eat?

Short Answer Key

1. Bumblebees eat nectar and pollen.
2. A proboscis is a long tongue that bumblebees use to sip nectar from flowers.
3. Bumblebees carry pollen on their fuzzy bodies and in special sacs on their hind legs.
4. Bumblebees help plants grow by spreading pollen from flower to flower, which aids pollination.
5. Pollen is important because it provides protein for young bees and helps the colony thrive.

