

City of Waterloo and Waterloo Public Library 2026 Bookmark Contest

World Bee Day Bookmark Contest (Ages 7 to 12)

Celebrate World Bee Day! Get creative and design your very own bookmark inspired by native pollinators and flowers for a chance to have your creation shared with the community.

Three winners from each age group (7 to 9 and 10 to 12) will be recognized during Pollinator Week from June 22 to 28.

Winners will receive bee-related materials, including 25 bookmarks of their very own design.

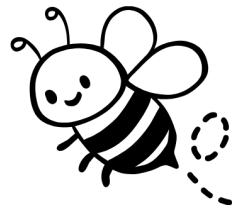
How to enter

- Design your own bookmark using the template on page 2.
- Use pencil crayons. Images only, no words.
- Submit your design in person at any Waterloo Public Library location by **June 10, 2026**.

Contest rules

- Contest open to youth ages 7 to 12 who live or go to school in the City of Waterloo.
- One entry per person.
- Artwork must be original and highlight native pollinators, like a sweat bee, rusty-patched bumblebee or swallowtail butterfly.
- Three winners will be selected from each age group:
 - 7 to 9.
 - 10 to 12.
- Winners will be selected based on skill, originality and focus on native pollinators.
- Permission from a parent or guardian is required for the City of Waterloo and Waterloo Public Library to share bookmark, name and age online.
- Submissions that do not meet these criteria will not be accepted.

Have questions? Email us at stewardship@waterloo.ca



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This bookmark was created by:

First name: _____

Age: _____

For parents/guardians:

I hereby give consent for the City of Waterloo and Waterloo Public Library to publish this bookmark artwork with my child's name and age in any future publications including bookmark printing, newsletters, social media, Engage Waterloo and other sources of media in relation to pollinators and Waterloo's Bee City.

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone Number: _____

Signature of parent or guardian

Submit your completed bookmark by
Friday, June 10, 2026, in person at any Waterloo
Public Library location.

Find locations at:
www.wpl.ca/your-library/locations-hours

