

Bee School Application - Entry #15

Name of School

Dorion Public School

Address

175 Dorion Loop Road
R.R. 1
Dorion, Ontario
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Name of Applicant

Amanda Gyori

Applicant's Job Title

Vice Principal

Organization or Department

Dorion Public School (Superior-Greenstone District School Board)

Applicant's Email**Applicant's Phone****Are you the primary contact person?**

Yes

Contact's Name

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Contact's Email

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Contact's Phone

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Briefly summarize why your school should become a Bee City School.

Our students LOVE the bees! Last year our student leadership group called the "Change Makers" spent many months learning about and educating other students about bees and how important they are in our world. We are a northern school and we benefit from having a school situated on many acres of forested property. We are very

aware of our insects and how they support the ecosystems around us. Our students are committed to learning more about and taking action to help protect the bees.

In order to enhance the understanding of the students and staff about the vital role that pollinators play in a healthy ecosystem, the applicant agrees to meet the following commitments required of all Bee City Schools:

1. Adopt the Bee City Canada Resolution (see section G).
2. Create a Bee City Pollinator Team.

Pollinator Team Members

Staff: Amanda Gyori (aggyori@sgdsb.on.ca) & Mylene Chouinard (mchouinard@sgdsb.on.ca)

Students: Elisa Wiebe & Ewan Clark

3. Develop a Pollinator Habitat Action Plan:

1. Creating a pollinator garden (as part of our outdoor learning environment). This will involve researching plants that will help bees thrive in our area. We plant a flower garden each year but have realized that the flowers we choose do not interest bees! We want to change this!
2. Educate our students, parents, and our community about bees and why they are so important to a thriving healthy ecosystem.

4. Promote Education about Pollinators:

1. Student led education sessions- we will use our monthly assemblies to raise awareness.
2. Hands on Projects- outdoors in our outdoor learning environment- will include identifying bees and other insect species, learning about which flowers support bees, and why bees are so important to us!
3. We will celebrate and promote National Pollinator Week!

5. Celebrate Pollinators:

1. We will celebrate National Pollinator Week throughout the school (both outside and inside the classroom).

I/we, the undersigned agree to:

1. Publicly acknowledge Bee City School designation through publicly displayed signage, city/region/community website and other means.
2. Annually re-apply for Bee City School designation. A renewal application will be sent to you.

Please submit a short 50-100 word write-up of why it's important to become a Bee City School.

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Attach your school logo (png format) with any usage guidelines.

[Dorion-Visual-Identity-Guide.pdf](#)

Attach photos, videos, posters, documents or other media showcasing events, activities or initiatives.

Field ID #48

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Signature of Principal/Official

Amanda Gyori

Date

11/18/2019

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