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# **BEE MY VALENTINE!**

This lovable little bee will be the perfect Valentine for someone special!

#### Supplies in kit

- 2 black hearts, 2 yellow hearts, 2 red hearts, and 2 tiny red hearts
- 2 heart shaped lace doilies
- 2 pieces of pipe cleaner
- 2 each black and white dot stickers

### What you'll need from home

- sticky tape
- · glue stick or liquid school glue
- color pencils or markers

#### **Directions**

1. Glue together the yellow and black hearts, beginning with a yellow heart layered on top of a black, then a yellow and finally a black to make the bee's body.





2. Glue the red hearts to the paper doilies, then turn the bee's body over, and glue or tape the red and doily hearts to the back of the bee as pictured.







3. Now it's time to glue the tiny red hearts to the ends of the black pipe cleaners. If you are using a glue stick, feel free to use extra to help them stick! Then tape the pipe cleaners to the back of the bee's head to make its antennae!





4. This little bee needs a happy face! Stick on the eyes and draw a cheerful rosy smile! Now this lovable bee is ready to fly right to your favorite valentine!





## **BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS**

The Mole Sisters and the Busy Bees by Roslyn Schwartz

Ant and Honeybee, What a Pair! by Megan McDonald

Bruno the Beekeeper by Aneta Holasova

The Bee Tree by Patricia Polacco

Left and Right with Ant and Bee by Angela Banner



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