

Bee Campus USA

What is Bee Campus USA?

Bee Campus USA is a program created by [Xerces Society](https://www.xerces.org/) under a different program, Bee City USA. Bee Campus USA attempts to promote awareness for all pollinators: bees, butterflies, bats, birds, etc. It helps campuses establish a safe, healthy environment for pollinators to be able to feed and pollinate the plants they need to survive. For more information, visit <https://www.beecityusa.org/>.

What is (are?) Tennessee Tech's Goals with Bee Campus USA?

- Implement a habitat plan that is safe and friendly towards pollinators
- Develop gardens around campus with native plants that help pollinators
- Help the community engage and learn with opportunities such as workshops, classes, and events
- Post signage that helps educate the community about the benefits of pollinators

Requirements:

1. Develop a Bee Campus USA Committee to develop and maintain a Campus Pollinator Habitat Plan and Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Plan.
2. Host events to bring awareness to the importance of pollinators
3. Sponsor Student Service-Learning Projects
4. Offer Courses and/or Workshops that are Pollinator or IPM focused
5. Post Signs to educate the Campus and Community about pollinators
6. Create a Website that shares your Bee Campus USA news and activities
7. Apply annually for Bee Campus USA Renewal

Bee Campus USA Activities at Tech:

[Link to post on Tech Times Blog \(but we don't have anything yet, so leave this bit out for now\)](#)