

# Pollinators are a Gardener's best friend



- Birds, bees, bats, and butterflies are vital pollinators. Without these garden friends, we couldn't enjoy flowers, fruits or vegetables. Pollinators are attracted to the flowers of native plants.

Hummingbirds love trumpet-shaped flowers: penstemon, chuparosa, desert willow, and ocotillo.

Pollinators transport pollen between different flowers that develop into fruits and seeds.

Butterflies visit flowers with a wide landing area: desert milkweed, fairy duster, desert marigold, and brittlebush.



Finches, doves, and quail eat seeds.



Choose plants with different blooming seasons, flower color, shape and size.

