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Enjoy "Clover's Story," then talk about it

2.

Make a collage
using old magazines
or postcards

3.

Practice being resourceful



Clover's Story

A Visit to the Busy, Buzzy Bees

The sun had just appeared in the sky when the Flower Friends woke up and got ready for another fun day. Chatting and laughing, they each helped wash Lupe's petal-powered car.

“I love it when the car looks all shiny and clean in the sun,” Zinni said.

“And Clover’s idea to collect rainwater in pails means we don’t waste water,” Vi added. “That was smart, Clover!”

Clover blushed. "I'm happy any time I can think of ways to use things wisely," she said. "Now let's go on our trip. I can't wait to give you a tour of my friend Henry's honeybee garden!"



Clover hopped into the driver's seat of the car. The petal-powered car ran on flower power. Every part of the flower helped the car go! A few minutes later, the Flower Friends arrived at the garden.

Clover and her friends headed over to a patch of beehives.

Swarms of black and yellow honeybees flew around them.

"The honeybees live in hives," Clover explained. "But they love to fly around outside, too."

"How do bees make honey?" Zinni asked.

"First, bees gather nectar from plants and flowers," Clover told them. "Then they store it in a honeycomb to make honey."

One of the honeybees flew by. "We love buzzing around the flowers," she said. "And we like turning flower nectar into something sweet to eat."



Buzz!
Buzz!



Just then, Clover's friend Henry flew over,
carrying several jars.

"Hi, Clover," Henry said.

"I have a surprise for you.

Since you always help me take such good care of
the garden, here is some honey for you and
your friends."

"Thanks, Henry!"

Clover said.

"What should we do with our honey?" Zinni
asked Clover.

Clover thought for a moment. "I know," she
replied. "Let's throw a tea party when we get back!"



Back at the garden, Clover called the other Flower Friends over.

"Hey everyone!" Clover called out.

"We brought some **honey** back from the beekeeper's garden.

We can use the honey in our tea. And we can make a honey dip using our leftover yogurt and apples," she added.

"That's a great idea," Gloria said. "It's smart to use our leftover food instead of throwing it away—and the dip will be tasty, too."

"Thanks for taking us to visit the beekeeper's garden, Clover," Vi said.

"I'm glad you had fun," Clover said.

A few bees flew past their table. They were flying to the Daisy Flower Garden.

"And **thank you** for making our honey," Clover called to them.



The End