**Clay Flowers and Bees:**

**Materials:**

Air Dry Clay

Floral Wire

Glue

**Flowers:**

**Directions:**

* + - 1. Choose which color your flower petals will be and which color will be the center of your flower.
			2. Create the flower center by rolling clay in your palm or fingers to create a ball.
			3. Make petals (4, 5, or 6) by rolling small balls of clay then pressing them flat with your finger tip. Shape the edges into round or elongated/pointy shapes if you like.
			4. Push the petals carefully onto the flower center.
			5. Push the long wire stem into the flower.
			6. Let your flower air dry.

\*Use a bit of water on your finger if needed to attach the pieces.\*

 **Bees:**

**Directions**

* + - 1. Create the bee head and body from yellow clay. The head will be a small ball and the body is a larger, squashed ball.
			2. Shape the antennae (small balls on small “snakes of clay”) and pointy bee tail out of the black clay.
			3. Make stripes with black clay by rolling thin clay snakes.
			4. Use clay (either color) to fashion wings: Make two balls of clay, flatten them with your finger and shape them as you like.
			5. Make two tiny balls with clay for eyes.
			6. Push the head onto the body.
			7. Add the antennae, stripes, eyes, and wings to the body.
			8. Push the short wire into bee body.
			9. Let the bee air dry.

**\*Make sure your bees and flowers give each other a friendly kiss! \***