









YOUR FRIENDLY NEIGHBORHOOD POLLINATOR



ONE OF 270 IDENTIFIED BEE SPECIES IN THE UK & IRELAND



ONLY ACTIVE BETWEEN APRIL - JUNE



**ADULTS** OVERWINTER IN A COCOON



RAISE THEIR YOUNG ON POLLEN, NOT NECTAR



MUCH MORE EFFICIENT POLLINATOR THAN HONEY BEES

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GENTLE AND NON-**AGGRESSIVE** 



A 'SOLITARY' BEE I.E. NO QUEEN OR SOCIAL STRUCTURE



NESTS IN HOLLOW SPACES - NOT HIVES



DOESN'T STING



DOESN'T MAKE HONEY



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