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## Students build bee oasis for wild bees and bumble bees

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BAARN In the week from 18 to 22 March, students from Het Baarnsch Lyceum will be carrying out a project on the circular economy together with students from Neratovice (Czech Republic). The pupils will construct a bee oasis behind the schoolyard near the ditch to attract wild bees and bumble bees and to provide them with the right food sources. This project is being carried out in collaboration with IVN and falls under the Erasmus + project Geocircle.

In addition to working on the bee oasis, the students will attend lectures on bee and plant species, carry out group assignments, make an excursion to the 'Natural Gruun' orchard in Ommeren, watch a documentary about the bee problem and present their experiences.

The Baarnsch Lyceum has sustainability high on the agenda. There are various sustainable projects and sustainable solutions in and around the school building. The disappearance of many species of insects, and in particular bees, has major negative consequences for the environment.

This new project also ensures that Het Baarnsch Lyceum becomes a smoke-free school inside and outside, because the bee oasis is laid on the school's original smoking area, among other things.