

# Caring for your bee hotel



**Your box must be at least a metre off the ground, with no vegetation blocking the entrance. It is important that the tubes are kept dry at all times.**

**In spring, solitary bees may use the holes to nest, but it could take them a year to find it. In the meantime, spiders and other bugs will use the hotel too.**

**You may need to move your bee hotel in the autumn and winter to protect the nesting bees. Move your bee hotel to somewhere dry and cold; do not store in a warm place.**