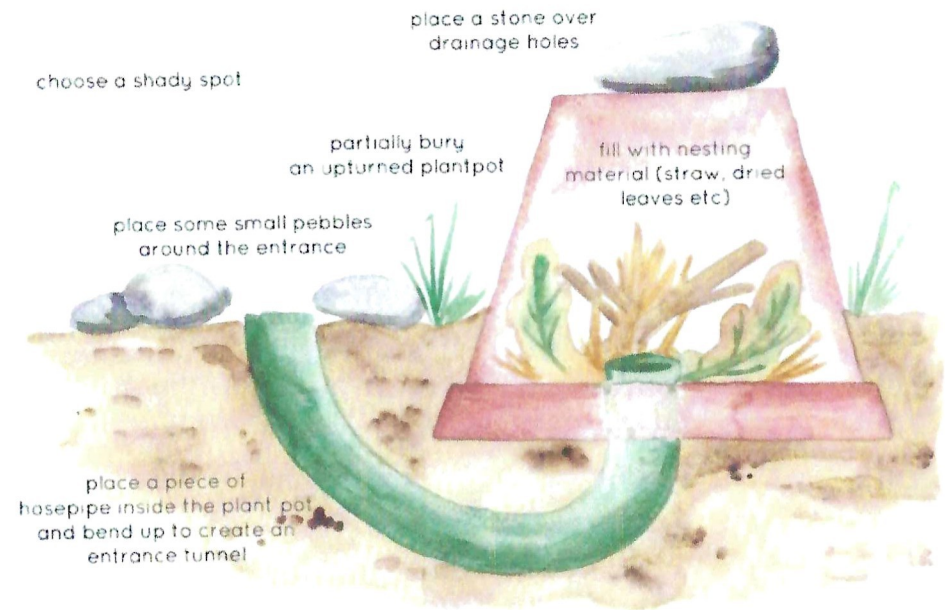


Build a Bumblebee Nest



- **Build** in late winter or early spring before queens become active.
- **Place** outside by Feb or Mar, or as soon as daytime temperatures consistently rise above 55°F and early spring flowers begin to bloom.
- **Locate** in a quiet, shaded, and dry spot (protected from direct, hot sunlight and heavy rain).
- **Fill** the interior chamber at least halfway with natural, fluffy nesting material like dry moss, straw, or clean pet fur/upholsterer's cotton. Bumblebees do not gather their own nesting materials.

