

MAKE a bug hotel!

WOW!
Do you still find yourself with plastic items that can't be recycled? Well, why not put them to use and give the bugs in your garden a home?

Our bug hotel is still work in progress, but we're always adding to it and the bugs have already moved in!

Here are some ideas of how you can create one of these simply, and at no cost, in your own garden.

We made this secret hideaway by cutting small pop bottles in half and filling them with used plastic straws. We used colourful straws to brighten up our bug hotel.

We had lots of plastic plant pots left over from planting our new summer bedding. You can fill these with anything you can find. We chose to fill ours with some moss, found growing naturally in the garden, and twigs collected off the ground.

You can also glue these pots around the other way as their drainage holes make a great secret entrance for the bugs.

We've also added pine cones and items we found in the garden to make our hotel look more interesting.

We've had loads of fun making our bug hotel and we hope you do too.