

# Bees

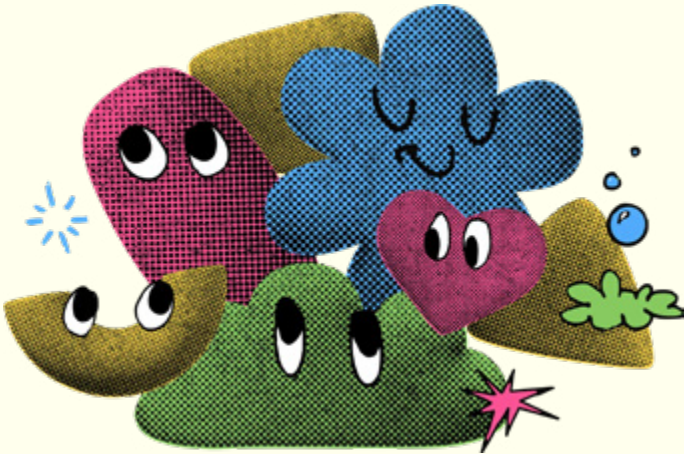
By Polyglot Theatre

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## Visual Story



## Before *Bees*



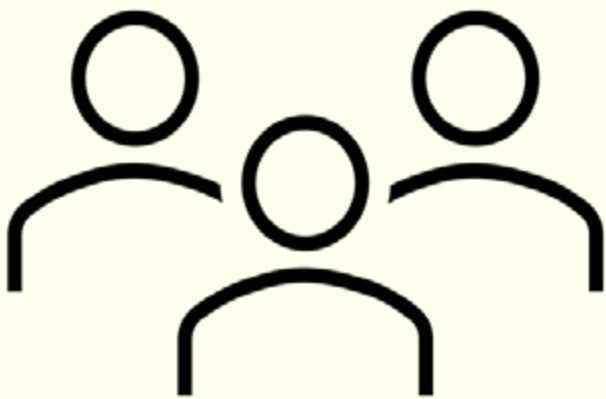
I will go to Wonderful World Festival to be part of a show called *Bees* with performers from Polyglot Theatre.



*Bees* will take place at City Walk in Canberra.



There will be friendly people who will let me know that I am in the right place. I can say hello if I want to.



Other people will be arriving for Wonderful World Festival, or to be part of *Bees*.

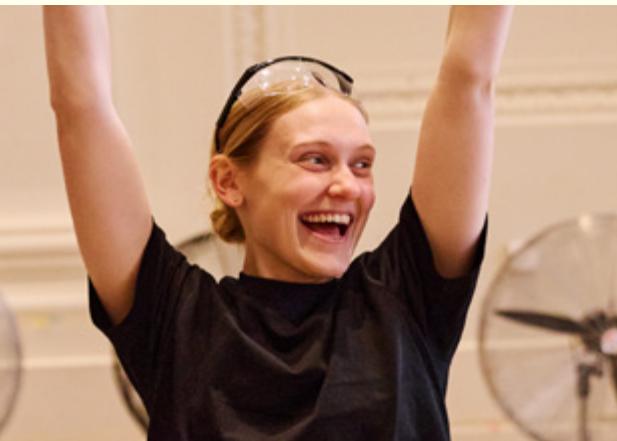
## Some Polyglot People I might meet:



Lachlan



Lauren



Niamh



Nick

## During *Bees*



There will be paper and tape that I can use to turn myself into a bee.



There will be a big blue and yellow hive, and round colourful mats that I can play on.



Sounds will come from speakers, and human-size bees will appear.



I can stay back and look at them, or I can go close to them.



The Bees will make interesting movements.



I can try these movements, or make up my own.



Other children and their adults will be moving around too.



My family can take a break or leave whenever we are ready.



When the Bees need to leave, they will start moving away and the sounds will fade.

## After Bees



Once the Bees have gone, that means the session is finished.



I can make myself into a bee at home, and play with my family and friends.

**My space to draw**

## About Polyglot Theatre

Polyglot Theatre is a world-renowned contemporary theatre company based in Melbourne/Naarm, making exceptional arts experiences for children and families. Our unique brand of theatre encompasses a wide variety of forms and is shared with audiences everywhere, from the world's most prestigious stages to the football grounds of regional Australia.

Polyglot's artistic and philosophical approach of child-centred practice has earned us a strong reputation at home and abroad as a leader in the Theatre for Young Audiences sector, celebrated for creating distinctive, participatory works that are playful and conceptually rigorous. Access is fundamental to our work at Polyglot; we are driven by the right of all children to experience growth and resilience through creative play.

*Polyglot Theatre is assisted by the Australian Government through Creative Australia, its principal arts funding and advisory body, and the Victorian Government through Creative Victoria.*

[polyglot.org.au](http://polyglot.org.au)



## About ACT Government's City Renewal Authority

City Renewal is charged with shaping the growth of central Canberra, envisioning the City Centre as a captivating gathering place where creativity, work, life, and leisure come together.

Its mission is to transform Canberra's City Centre into a contemporary and magnetic destination by creating culturally rich, sustainable, and thoughtfully designed places, facilitating new investment, celebrating unique characteristics, attracting people to local businesses, engaging with the community, and activating welcoming, lively spaces.

[act.gov.au/cityrenewal/home](http://act.gov.au/cityrenewal/home)

## About Wonderful World Festival

Canberra's City Centre will burst into life with Wonderful World, a new festival for parents, grandparents and children, celebrating creativity, discovery, community and the vibrant spirit of the heart of the city. The City Centre and Braddon will transform into a playground, a stage, and a spectacle; a place to discover what is wonderful in our world. Shaped by families and local businesses, Wonderful World is not a single event or destination. It's a festival designed to unfold over the week, inviting people to explore and return again and again, finding new moments of wonder each day.

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