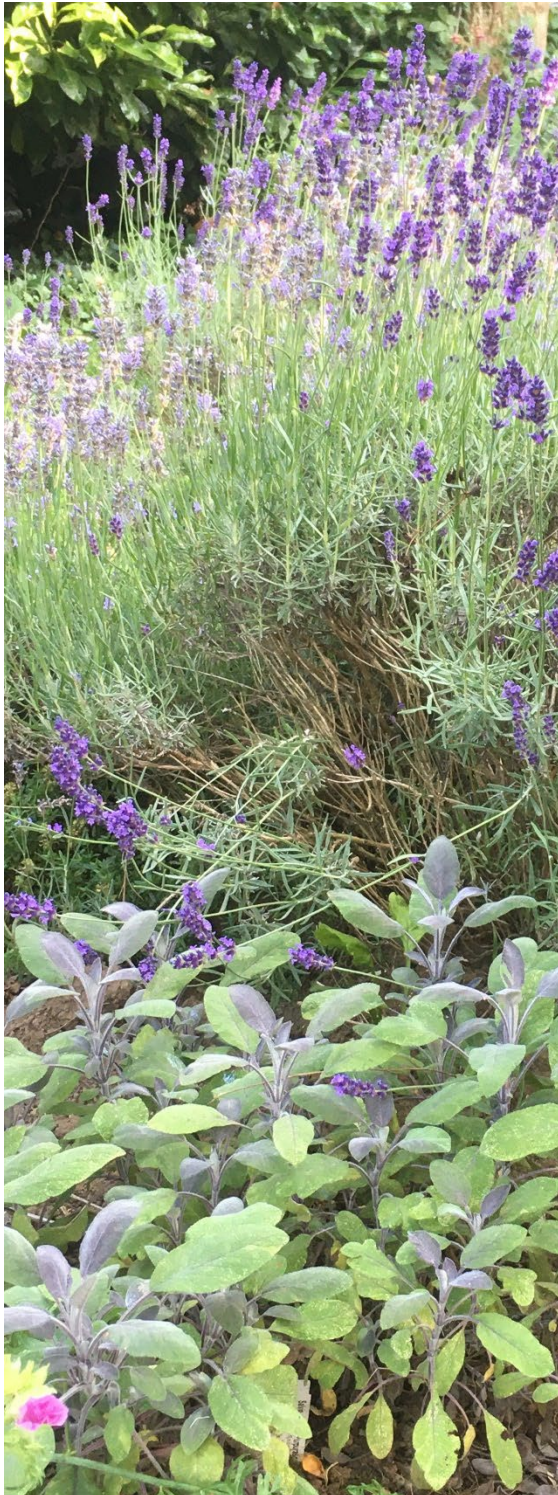


What's happening here?



For many people, most insects are unidentified flying objects. Who can count violet carpenter bees (top left), wool carder bees (2nd from left) or other wild bees as acquaintances?

Students and employees of h_da want to make a difference by means of voluntary planting campaigns. As a start they planted herbs and perennials in this bed. This is how we want to increase biodiversity on campus and sharpen our gaze:

We humans are currently causing the Sixth Great Extinction of species on our planet. In the fifth one, the dinosaurs are extinct. And completely unnoticed, insects carry out pollination work which secures our nutrition. According to a simulation study by the University of Hohenheim, the insects' pollination work brings Germany an average economic benefit of 3.8 billion euros per year!

On our website you can find out more about this campaign, the herbs and perennials planted here and about planting campaigns to come (in German):



Be an active part of it!