The California state flower has four big, bright orange petals. It blooms in the spring then dies off in the summer only to return again next year. At night the soft petals close up and rest till the next day. Happy bumblebees visit poppies to eat nectar and gather pollen for their babies back in the nest. Bumblebees are having a tough time keeping up with our changing world, so help out by planting lots of flowers for them to visit.