

## BLUEBELL 08

**Gayther Colour & Learn** 



## (plural bluebells | Bluebell | bloo-bel | blubɛl)

The Bluebell, or Hyacinthoides, is a flowering plant and is made up of 11 species. The majority of the species can be found around the Mediterranean region. Ants are the bluebells' best friends as they help spread the seeds. In folklore, bluebells are believed to ring at daybreak to call fairies to the woods. The bulbs contain starch, and the roots create a gum to feather arrows and bind books.

NATIONAL FLOWER: The Bluebell is the national flower of Sweden

**LGBTQIA+ FIRSTS:** In 1972, Sweden passed laws that allowed transgender people to change their gender legally after sex reassignment surgery, making it the first country in the world to allow transgender individuals to change genders legally

