

NATURAL ENVIRONMENT @DAL

Dal's [Operational Sustainability Plan](#) and [Natural Environment Plan](#) guide our work to protect and enhance campus biodiversity.



43 HECTARES OF GREEN SPACE

Creating connected habitats for pollinators, wildlife, and the wider community

Halifax campuses: 9.5 ha | Agricultural Campus: 33.5 ha



Left: New England asters (*Symphyotrichum novae-angliae*) outside the Rowe Building.

ATLANTIC
CANADA'S ONLY



Home to 50+ native pollinator plant species

Did you know? Honeybees aren't the only pollinators! Native bees, butterflies, moths, beetles, and birds all pollinate. Too many honeybees makes competition!



Above: Bumblebees (*Bombus*) on black eyed Susans (*Rudbeckia hirta*) outside the Rowe Building.

\$10K IN FUNDING

Since 2022 from WWF Go Wild Grants and Pollinator Partnership to support native pollinator plantings



Above: Sherriff Hall Pollinator Garden Signage



Above: Fall foliage outside of the Computer Science Building

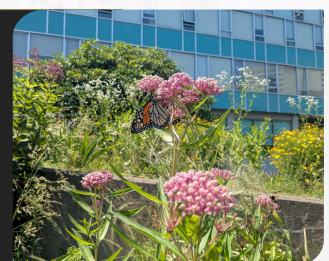
TREE BIOMASS REPLACEMENT

When trees are removed on campus, their biomass is replaced with native trees. Since 2013, 252 trees have been removed and **1,183 replanted**.

Want to help monitor biodiversity on campus?

Join the [iNaturalist project](#) and submit your observations.

bit.ly/pollinator-program



Above: Monarch butterfly (*Danaus plexippus*) on swamp milkweed (*Asclepias incarnata*) outside B Building.



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