

Items you WILL NEED to get started

- Bottom Board (screened or not depending on your preference)
- 1-Deep Super
- 10-Plastic Frames
or
- 10-Wooden Frames with 10-foundation
- Inner Cover
- Outer Cover (AKA Telescoping Cover)
- Veil
- Feeder (any type depending on your preference)
- Hive Tool
- Smoker
- Bees

Items that would be HELPFUL to have

- Hive Stand (helpful for raising hive off the ground)
- Another deep or medium super with frames (to add in mid-Summer as your hive grows)
- Jacket or Coveralls (for added protection, but can use jackets, pants, etc in place of)
- Queen Excluder (needed when your hive is large enough to start putting supers for honey on)
- Entrance Reducer (can use scrap wood cut to length instead)
- Gloves (helpful to keep honey and bees off your hands, can be latex, cleaning, or bee gloves)
- Smoker Fuel (helpful to purchase some, but can use materials around the area as well)