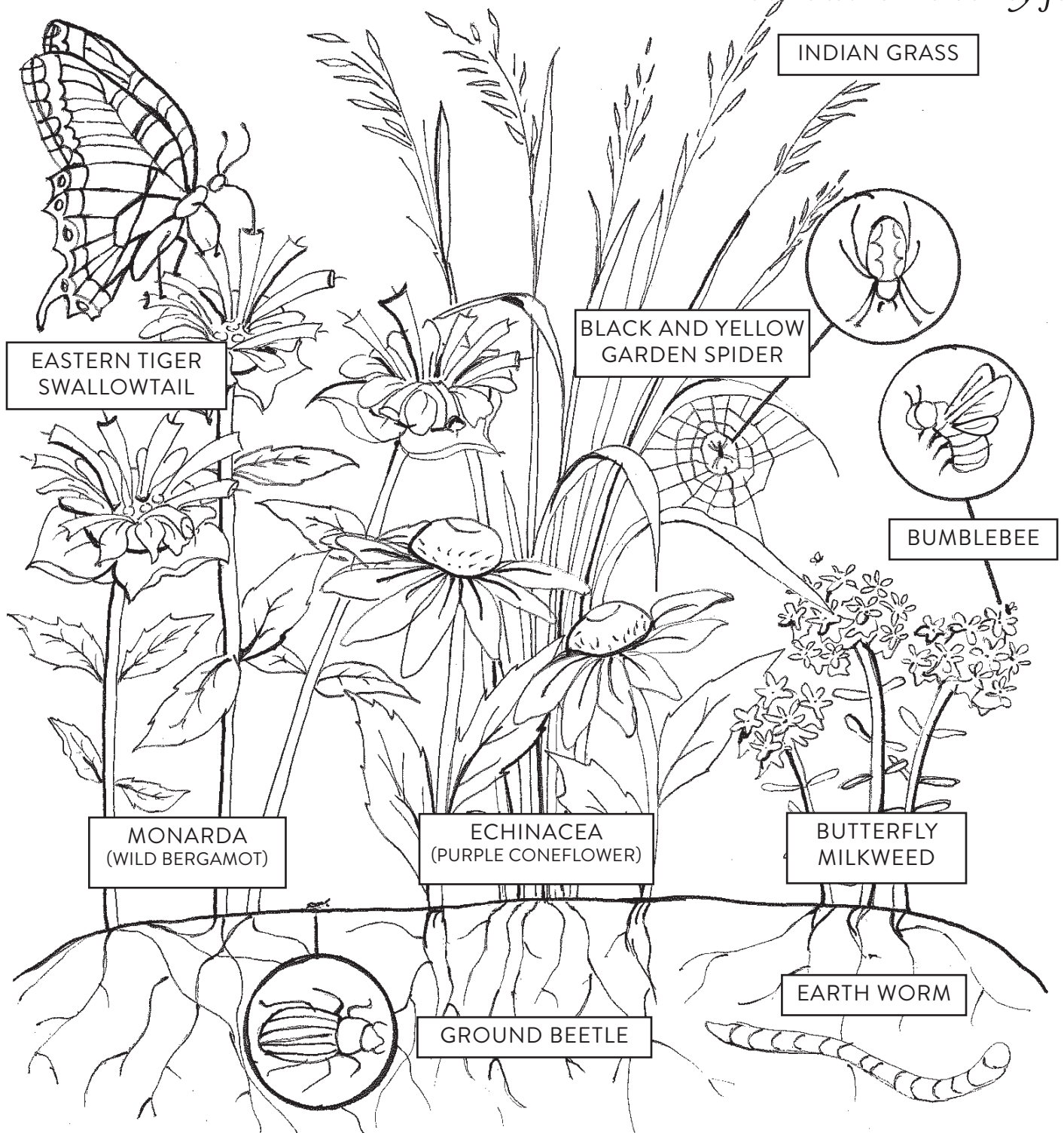


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BEETLE BANK

at hawthorne valley farm



A beetle bank is an elevated bed in a vegetable field which is planted with native perennial grasses and wildflowers. It serves as a habitat for predatory ground beetles and other insects, which provide natural pest control in the vegetable beds. We'd love to share your completed coloring page! **Please send a photo of your colorful Beetle Bank to info@hawthornevalley.org** and we will share it on our Instagram [@hawthornevalley](https://www.instagram.com/hawthornevalley).