

Galena Creek Visitor Center
At-home Learning Activity Lesson Plan Base

Nature Bingo

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Summary and Objective of Activity

Students will be able to practice their observation skills to look for details within nature.

Hiking will give students the opportunity to release stress and will develop a lifelong appreciation for nature. Discussing their findings will implement a thoughtful discussion on their interests.

Discipline or Subject Covered:

STEM

Grade Level:

K-2

Materials:

- Pen/pencil
- Paper

Procedure:

Make sure to leave anything you find. One of the Leave No Trace principles is “Leave What you Find”. This means that you are welcome to take pictures of anything that you find, but it is important to leave it behind so that other people can enjoy it too.

1. Create your bingo list. Options include, but are not limited to:
 - a. A bolder bigger than you
 - b. A tree the same height as you
 - c. 3 separate bugs
 - d. A bird chilling on a branch
 - e. A squirrel
 - f. A tree stump less than 2 feet away from a full grown tree
 - g. A water insect
 - h. A fallen tree
 - i. A female and male pine cone
 - j. Scat
 - k. Fur from an animal
 - l. Animal tracks
 - m. A flower
 - n. A piece of trash that you pick up and throw away
 - o. A bird's nest
 - p. A taken apart pine cone
 - q. Lichen on a rock
 - r. Pine needles sectioned in 3's
 - s. A twig or stick shaped like a letter
 - t. A piece of bark that has fallen off its tree
 - u. A feather
 - v. A Mushroom
 - w. A spider web
 - x. Something growing in the water
 - y. A berry
 - z. A parasitic plant

Discussion:

What did you find? What was your favorite item? What surprised you? Is there anything you are going to look up at home?