

Nature Scavenger Hunt

Summer



There are so many wonderful things to see in nature, but sometimes even our best trained eyes can miss something. Try this scavenger hunt and see how many of these things you can find near your own home, at a preserve, or wildlife management area. Remember, be safe and have fun.

Getting Started – It's Easy!

Who: all ages (adults may need to help young children)

Where: outside in a natural setting

Materials: this scavenger hunt and a pencil

Length of time: 30 minutes – 1 hour

***Note* Remember to be safe and make sure someone knows where you are and when you'll be back.**

Let's Begin:

Grab the scavenger hunt and a pencil and head outside. Be sure to dress for the weather.

- flying insect
- water
- bird flying
- mushroom (don't eat it)
- chewed on tree
- spider or spider web
- butterfly or bee
- cloud
- pine tree
- leaf with a hole
- wood pecker hole in tree
- squirrel
- big green leaf
- brown leaf
- log or rock
- worm
- flower
- bird nest (don't touch)
- crawling insect
- bird in a tree
- bonus:** animal footprint/ track