



#### NATURE SCAVENGER HUNT

Get outside and look at nature all around you!

## **Nature Scavenger Hunt**



Explore your backyard or your local park! With your scavenger hunt scorecard, explore your surroundings or your home to find each item. Then learn all about the nature around you with our fun and interactive online resources.

#### Suggested Materials:

- A printout of the Nature Scavenger Hunt template (if you don't have a printer, simply make your own list on a piece of paper)
- Pencil or anything to write with

#### **Directions:**

Get out into the fresh air of your backyard or neighbourhood and start exploring. What kind of nature do you see around you? Check out the scorecard and see how many items you can check off. Can you get a row? Or the whole page? We can discover an amazing world of urban Canadian nature all around us when we start to look.



#### **Inside Options:**

Before we go outside, we want to make sure it is safe to do so while maintaining safe social distance. If we do not have adequate space outside or you do not want to leave your backyard you can:

- With a printer: Print our template twice and cut out the pictures from one of the pages. Have your parents hide the pictures around your home. Now with the second copy of the scavenger hunt template start to search and check off the pictures you find.
- Without a Printer: Take a look at our Scavenger Hunt template and draw your own objects. Have a parent hide your very own pictures around the home. Collect them all to finish.

### Links to eResources:

Check out our <u>eBooks</u> on these topics:



Nature | Books by Per-Henrik Gurth | Taking Care of Our Environment



Check out the story about what happens when one small boy picks up one small piece of litter. What Matters explores nature's connections and traces the ripple effects of one child's good deed to show how we can all make a big difference. Visit TumbleBooks and do a TumbleSearch for this title and other nature books!



**Nature Cat** is an animated series that follows Fred, a house cat who dreams of exploring the great outdoors. In each episode, once his family leaves for the day, Fred transforms into Nature Cat, an outdoor explorer extraordinaire. Watch Nature Cat on KanopyKids!

You can get a library card here, if you don't already have one.

If you would like to share one or all your creations, please take a picture and post it to social media using the hashtag, #HPLmakesomething.







# Nature Scavenger Hunt

Maple key	Yellow dandelion	Bird in a tree	Moss
Evergreen tree	Maple Leaf	Rock	Cloud
Ant	Bee	Grass	Butterfly
Bird flying	Worm	Seedy dandelion	Pinecone

