The Nature all around Me

In this toolkit you will find:

- 1 pre-activity
- 3 vocabulary activities
- 1 speaking activity
- 1 writing activity





Information aux parents à propos des activités:

Votre enfant s'exercera à :

- Activer ses connaissances antérieures.
- Acquérir du vocabulaire en lien avec la nature.
- Interagir en anglais en lien avec ce thème.
- Écrire un texte sur la nature.
- Utiliser ses ressources.
- Vous pourriez :
- Écouter des documentaires à propos d'insectes
- · Lire des livres en lien avec la nature

Nature - Pre-Activity

Instructions:

- Go outside if possible.
- Get a watch and set the timer to 30 minutes.
- You have 30 minutes to write down the the elements of nature you see, hear, smell and touch in the chart. Take your time, you're not in a rush!

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Associate the words with the illustrations by writing the corresponding letter: Tree K Pebbles _ Leaf Soil Puddle___ Wood Grass____ Bee Ant **Sparrow** Acorn **Dandelion** Feather **Branch** Н Ν Created by Miss Ioana and adapted from Joannie Vézina

Speaking Activity

Instructions:

- 1. Read the questions
- 2. Select 2 questions
- 3. Ask these questions to a family member or a friend by phone
- 4. Listen to their answers
- Make comments
- 6. Ask questions
- 7. Interact with your partner

Question 1:

What is the season we are in? Which elements related to nature influence your choice?

I think the season is...because...

Question 2:

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What is your favourite season? Why? My favourite season is... because...

Question 3:

Where do you like to do outside? With who? I like to ... with ...

Question 4:

Do you prefer to walk at the beach or in the forest? Why? I prefer to walk...because...

Question 5:

Which insect do you fear the most? Why? I fear...because...

Question 6:

When is the best time to be outside? Why? The best time to be outside is...because...

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Writing Activity Instructions: Answer the question: What do I love about nature? Write a minimum of 8 sentences. Refer to the previous activities and the example. Use the checklist to verify your text. If you circle NO, make some modifications to your text. Example: What do I love about nature? In this short text, I will describe the elements I love about nature. First, I love many things about nature. During summer, I love to feel the sun light on my skin. When it is too hot, I sleep with an open window. I can feel a breeze when it is windy. I don't like when birds wake me up! During winter, I feel free because there is no insect. I can do many outside activities with my friends: skating, sliding, skiing snowshoeing. What do you like about nature? Created by Miss Ioana and adapted from Joannie Vézina 00000000000000000

Checklist:

Verify it with the checklist below. Circle YES or NO for each statement.

I used complete sentences (Subject +Verb +Object). YES NO S V O Example: I like oranges.

I used capital letters at the beginning of each sentence. YES NO Example: <u>My</u> friend's name is Caroline.

I used a period (.) at the end of each sentence. YES NO Example: I love to go camping in the summer.

3rd person singular is used correctly. YES NO

My dad <u>likes</u> to cook steak on the barbeque.

Common plurals are well written. YES NO

My friends go to the beach.



Go on a scavenger hunt!

You can do this activity by yourself with a family member! Check the box when you found the item! Have fun!

