

MISSION CONSERVATION ACTIVITY GUIDE

August 2025 – Explore the Great Outdoors

Hello agents! This week's theme for Mission Conservation is explore the great outdoors. Celebrating the outdoors is very important to us here at Wonders of Wildlife. Exploring the outdoors is a great way to spend time with family and friends, and celebrate the amazing things sportsmen and women around the world strive to protect. This month we will be learning about some fun activities you can do to engage with the great outdoors.

Outdoor Activity: Nature Self-Portrait



Most people make self-portraits using paint and pencils. But did you know you can make a self-portrait with materials you find in nature?

Materials:

- Outdoor area with lots of trees, rocks, and leaves.

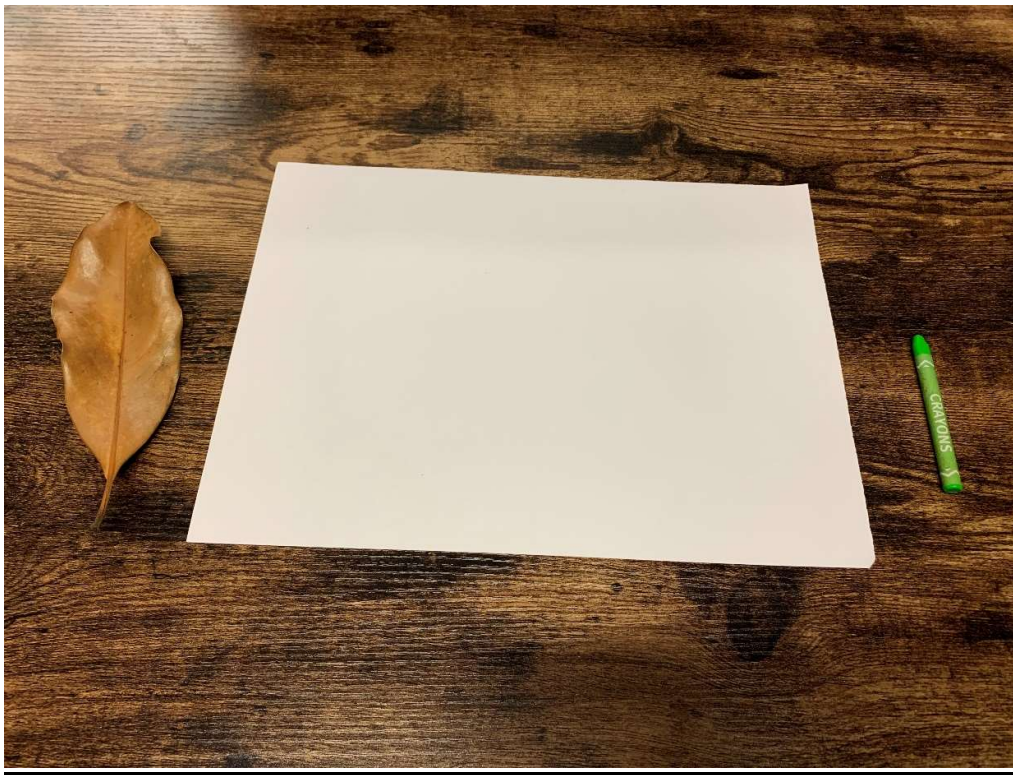
Procedure:

1. Go outside and gather materials such as twigs, rocks, and leaves.
2. Use the objects to make a portrait of yourself!

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Indoor Activity: Leaf Rubbing



Leaves can be incredibly detailed and can come in many shapes and sizes! This makes them a fun item for crafts such as leaf rubbing.

Materials:

- Flat leaf.
- Crayon.
- Paper.
- Watercolor (Optional).

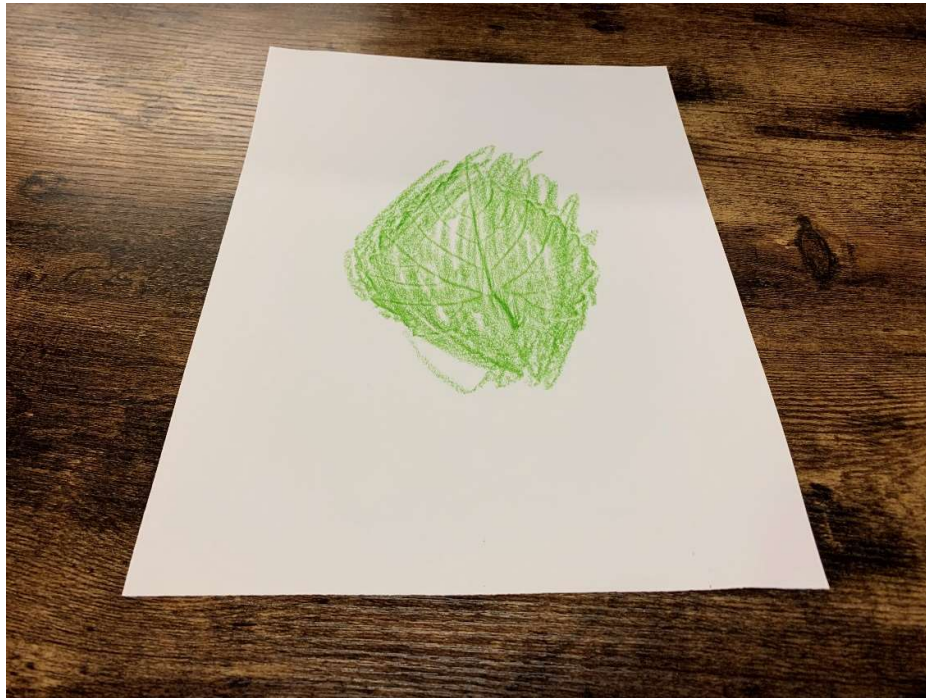
Procedure:

1. Go outside and find a leaf. It's best to find one that's fresh and recently fallen. These leaves are much more likely to stay flat and are much less likely to break.
2. Place the leaf under a piece of paper.

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3. Color it over with a crayon of your choice! While crayons are used for this example, watercolors can work just as well. Be careful drawing around the stem because it can smudge super easily.
4. Enjoy your awesome new leaf drawing!



We hope you enjoyed the activity guide this month! Don't forget to check out us at home mission for this month! To see a list of our other missions, or to learn more about Wonders of Wildlife, visit us at <https://wondersofwildlife.org/mission-conservation/>



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