

DAISY BADGES TO DO AT HOME



From a blue sky to a bird's song, nature can give you lots of ideas for art! Get ready to explore the outdoors and use what you see and hear to make different kinds of art projects.

Steps

1. See the colors of nature
2. Hear the sounds of nature
3. Share your outdoor art

Purpose

When I've earned this badge, I'll know how to look at nature like an artist and make my own outdoor art.

Outdoor Art Maker

To earn this badge, please complete one option per step.

STEPS	BADGE REQUIREMENTS	OPTION 1	OPTION 2	OPTION 3
Step 1	See the colors of nature.	On a sunny day, take a tour of your backyard and find a spot where you can see lots of colors. Have an adult help you set up a place to make a painting or drawing of what you see.	Have a color race outside. Get dressed in some of your most colorful clothes. They don't have to match—that's part of the fun! Have an adult help you: set a timer for 5 minutes and then have her/him call out colors that you race to find in your yard.	Take a small walking tour around your neighborhood and collect any interesting items you might find. Once you've collected 5-10 treasures, make something beautiful! Snap a pic and share with family or friends online.
Step 2	Hear the sounds of nature.	Outside your home, go on an outdoors hunt to find as many sounds as you can that can be heard in nature. Listen carefully and write down the ones you hear.	Listen for sounds outside and then make up a silly song, poem, or dance about one of them.	Mimic fox ears by cutting off the bottoms of paper cups and gently fitting the cups over your ears. Did you know? Having ears on opposite sides of our head enables us (and other animals) to judge the location a sound comes from.
Step 3	Share your outdoor art.	Leave No Trace means that you are helping to protect nature. Draw or paint a picture of yourself helping the environment and then share with your family. Remember to explain to them what you are doing to Leave No Trace.	Put on a play about taking care of nature. It can be a "one-woman" show or recruit your siblings or stuffed animals to play along with you. You could act out a story you make up yourself, tell a story you've heard before, or pretend you're the Flower Friends telling people how to Leave No Trace outside.	Put on an animal puppet show about the great outdoors and how to protect it. Have someone from your family videotape it and then share it with your troop leader.