

NATURE SESSION

Nature is the study of living plants and animals, and the natural environment which includes the weather and wilderness– eg. wild animals, rocks, forest

Activity Stations, rotate the patrols through the stations (10-15 minutes at each)

- **ACTIVITY 1 – Trees & all things green**

a) How old is a tree? (The measurement of the circumference in inches is the approximate age of the tree in years!)

Using a piece of string measure the circumference of a tree and calculate its approximate age.

b) Go outside and explore.

How many different shades of a green object can you find?

- **ACTIVITY 2 – Nature bracelet**

Make a nature bracelet by taping a piece of masking tape around your wrist. Walk around in a park and add different natural objects to your bracelet.

Eg. sticks, leaves, flowers, feathers etc.



- **ACTIVITY 3 – Bird beaks – practical experiment**

(Refer to Resource – Bird Beaks)



- **ACTIVITY 4 – Scavenger Hunt**

Who / which patrol can find...

The roughest stone

The curliest twig

The largest leaf

The sharpest thorn

The prettiest flower