

NATURE CRAFT

COLOR SCAVENGER HUNT

This color scavenger hunt reminds us to pay attention to the little details that color our world. It helps children develop their observation, pattern recognition, and color identification skills. When it's time to paint, remember that some colors are easier to find in nature than others!

This activity is also a great way to learn about the importance of color in nature. From countless shades of green to vibrant oranges, yellows, reds, purples, and pinks, color plays an important role in helping plants and animals thrive. Bright flowers attract pollinators—butterflies are often drawn to reds and purples, while birds tend to prefer red, orange, and white.



CREATE YOUR OWN COLOR SCAVENGER HUNT

MATERIALS

Egg carton, paint, paint brushes, paint tray

DIRECTIONS

1. Empty the egg carton
2. Paint each compartment using colors you might see in nature (blue is rare!)
3. Let the paint dry
4. Go outside and look for natural items that match the colors in your egg carton
5. When you find a match, place it in the corresponding colored space