welcome!

While you walk with your child, read the posters along the path. Have a conversation about the things you notice around you. Come up with new questions and investigate. The more you talk with your child, the more they'll learn! Have fun!

- Question.
- Repeat.
- Stretch.
- Talk some more!



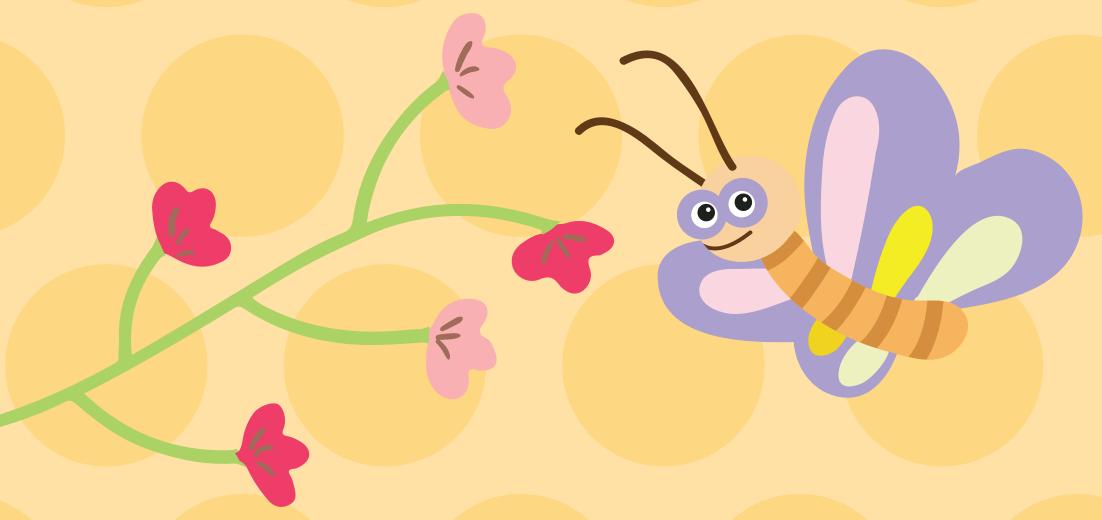


insects

Look for some bugs around you!



Where did they come from? Where are they going?



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Where might their habitats be?

smells

What aromas can you smell?



Does everything in the park smell the same?

Try to smell different things.





Describe the smells.

sound

How does it work?

Shhh, listen.
What sounds can
you hear now?

Where are the sounds coming from?

Do they sound the same depending on which ear you use?



daytime

What kinds of animals do you see during the day?

Where do they go?

What do they eat?

How might they be the same but also different?





How do colors change at night?

Where do you think animals go at night?





touch

Grab two leaves.
Describe how they feel. How are they the same or different?

How does the ground feel? Is it hot or cold? Why?





light & shadow

How do they work?

Where do the shadows fall? Why is that?

Where will shadows fall later today?

How large can you cast your shadow?





What shapes can you identify in the clouds?

How are clouds formed?

How many different plants and leaves can you observe?

What is the function of plant leaves?



seasons

What are the characteristics of the four seasons?

What evidence can you find to tell you what season it is?



patterns

Did you know patterns occur often in nature?

Pick a shape and then see how many more of that shape you can discover!

I spy with my eagle eye...



environment

If you were an animal or insect that lived here, where would you find shelter?



What are the properties of an effective shelter?



nature

What does a plant need to grow?

Do all plants need the same things? Why?

What do you need to grow?

