



Campbell Creek Science Center

Postcard From Your Backyard

Get ready! You're heading out on a big trip...to your own backyard! You may be surprised at what is out there if you take the time to really look. Capture a memory of your trip with a postcard. Draw something you observe and send it to a friend.

Directions

1. Go outside, look around, and explore your yard or other nearby natural space. Look closely.
2. Draw a picture of something you found. How much detail can you add?



Materials

- Index card or other piece of stiff paper (If you plan on mailing it, it needs to be at least 3.5"x5" or go in an envelope.)
- Something to write or draw with (pencil, pen, colored pencils, markers, crayons)

Questions

- What can you find that you've never noticed before?
- What can you find that someone who lives far away would be excited to see?

Dear _____, Date (x/x/xx)

3. Write a note to a friend about your adventure on the back of your postcard.

Sincerely,

Your name



Add a stamp and an address on your postcard to send it in the mail. Or, take a picture of your card and text or email it to your friend.

