

# Pond, Stream, or Wetland Scavenger Hunt

Play this game while visiting a pond, stream, or wetland near you. How many can you spot?

## Animals:

- A bird
- A fish
- A butterfly
- A dragonfly
- A water strider
- An aquatic insect (under rocks/branches in water)
- A frog or tadpole
- A mammal

## Plants:

- Trees
- Grasses
- Shrubs
- A flowering plant
- A fruit or berry
- A lily pad
- A cattail
- Algae

## Landscape:

- A riverbank or pond shore
- Rocks
- Mud or sand
- A floodplain

## Listen:

- Bird song
- Wind
- Running water
- Frogs croaking
- Insects chirping
- People

## Do:

- Pick up a piece of litter
- Walk on a trail or boardwalk
- Count how many different plants you see
- Count how many different animals you see
- Read about native wetland plants in your area
- Read about invasive species in your area

## Create:

- Draw a picture of something you saw
- Write a story about a pond or stream
- Write a poem about a pond or stream



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