

NATURE SCAVENGER HUNT

TREES

PINE

Tip: Search for bundled needles instead of leaves and hard, woody cones that hang directly from branches.

OAK

Tip: Oaks grow special leaves that are long and consist of several rounded knobs coming from a center line and instead of pine cones, they have acorns!

PACIFIC DOGWOOD

Tip: Their bark is smooth and in the spring, Dogwoods will bloom and have small, green and yellow flowers surrounded by pink and white bracts.

CEDAR

Tip: Look for “scaly” needles that look like thick needles covered in a braided pattern. Cedar cones are barrel shaped and can hang by themselves or in pairs.

PAPER OR WHITE BIRCH

Tip: Their bark is usually white, or a cracking grey color that shows white between the ridges and looks like it’s “peeling off.”

EXTRA CREDIT

FERN

CHERRY BLOSSOM

DOG ON A WALK

TULIPS

A PINECONE

