

Color Wheel Scavenger Hunt

Ages:

Best suited for ages 3-8

Materials:

- White paper plate (or plate-sized circle of cardstock paper or white paper glued to cardboard)
- Crayons, markers, or colored pencils
- Paper clips or clothes pins

Time:

- 5-10 minutes of prep time
- 30 minutes outside

Activity:

- Color the plate to look like a color wheel as shown in the picture, or change up the colors to match what you think you might find in nature.
- If you don't have a paper plate, trace a plate on a piece of thick white cardstock and cut out. If you don't have cardstock, trace a plate onto a piece of plain white paper and onto a piece of cardboard. Cut out and glue the paper to the cardboard.
- Put a paperclip or clothes pin on each color.
- Now take a walk outside and try to find natural items* that match each color.
- When you find something that matches, clip it onto the color wheel! Try to only pick up things that are not currently growing or alive.

*Be sure to only touch plants or natural items that you know are safe!

