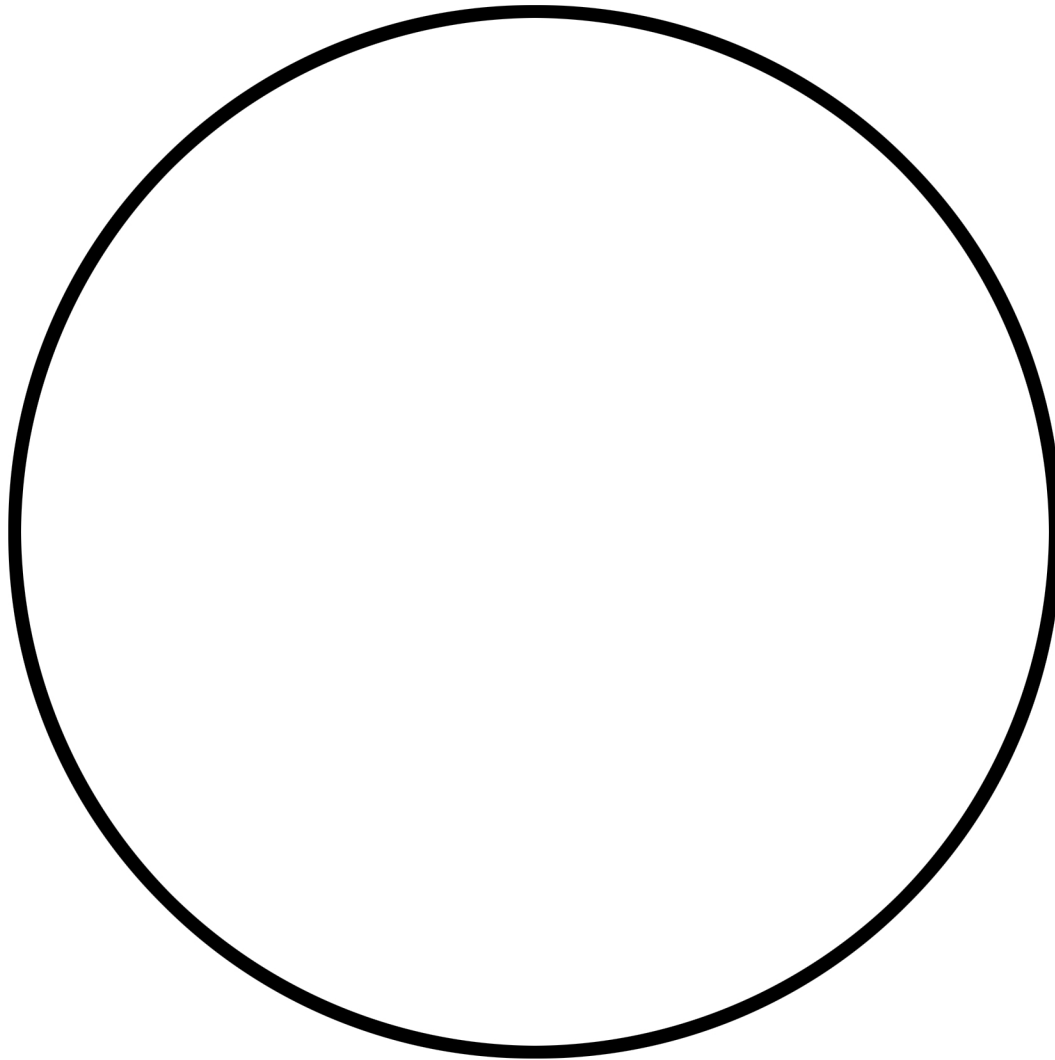




DESIGN & DRAW



What can you do to take care of parks? Draw a picture that shows how you can be a responsible visitor!

Ideas: Picking up garbage, keeping pets on a leash, having a clean campsite, looking at (and not taking) cool things, and MORE



BC Parks



EVERYONE BELONGS IN NATURE



ACTIVITIES

PHOTO SAFARI

On your next visit to a BC Park (or outdoor adventure), see if you can find these items.

Take a photo or draw a picture of:

- something prickly
- something tiny
- something wet
- spider or spider web
- a mushroom
- a flower
- something yellow
- a hole in a tree

Remember to leave things as you find them!
Check out bcparks.ca/naturequest for a scavenger hunt bingo!

BECOME A CITIZEN SCIENTIST

Help document and celebrate the biodiversity of BC Parks!

1. Go to inaturalist.ca or download the app
2. Look around, observe your surroundings
3. Take a photo (make sure the GPS is turned on)
4. Document your observation to inaturalist.ca/projects/bc-parks

WHAT ARE THE ESSENTIALS?

It's important to plan ahead and be prepared before going on an adventure. Make sure you and your grown-up have these items in your backpack to stay safe! Practice packing your bag at home.

1. Flashlight or headlamp
2. Fire making kit
3. Signaling device (like a whistle)
4. Extra food and water
5. Extra clothing (warm layers and toque)
6. Navigation and communication aids (e.g., maps, compass, GPS receiver, satellite phone, two-way radios).
7. First aid kit (and know how to use it)
8. Emergency shelter (e.g., large orange tarp or blanket – can act as an additional signaling device)
9. Pocket knife
10. Sun protection

