



The Natural World Materials List

Supplies to Have for Every Session

- Drawing Utensils
 - Pencil
 - Paper *construction or printer paper*
 - Miscellaneous recycled materials
- See Crafty Creative Reusables list for ideas*

Additional Supplies per Session

Session 1 (Feb 24)

- Glitter
- Dish soap
- Plastic soda bottle

Session 2 (March 3)

- Paper towels
- Glass or cup for water
- Food coloring *Assorted colors*

For your optional activity between Sessions 2 and 3:

- Chocolate sandwich cookies
- Corn syrup
- Chocolate pudding
- Dish soap
- Whipped cream
- Water
- Blue food coloring
- Oil
- Banana cream pudding
- Rubbing alcohol
- Clear container
- Food coloring *blue and purple*



Session 3 (March 10)

- Shoebox *Alternative could be some kind of box or container*
- Scissors
- Glue
- Plant materials *Collected from outside*

Session 4 (March 17)

- Assorted recycled materials
- Paint *if you have any*





Crafty Creative Reusables

Before tossing or recycling something, think about how it could become an art-making material! The items on this list will often be described as miscellaneous or 3D materials in projects and activities. Some of these items may require being made into smaller, more manageable pieces. Some items on this list are marked with a * as they are items to consider purchasing specifically for craft use. If specific items are integral to your Adventure's activities, they will already be listed above.

Baby food jars

Beads*

Bottles and bottle caps

Bubble wrap

Buttons*

Cardboard

Options may include moving or shipping boxes and cereal or food boxes.

CDs and/or CD cases

Chopsticks

Clothes and fabric pieces

Options may include fabric cut from old t-shirts or jeans, socks, blankets, towels or pillowcases.

Clean cotton balls*

Corks

Small crayon pieces

Dried out markers

Egg cartons

Expired dry food

Options may include rice, beans or popcorn kernels.

Felt*

Feathers*

Foam and packing materials

Grocery bags *Paper or plastic.*

Leaves

Newspaper

Old book pages

Paper plates

Party napkins

Pipe cleaners*

Popsicle sticks*

Pom poms*

Postcards

Puzzle pieces

Ribbon

Rubber bands

Scrap paper

Scrapbook paper*

Screws, nuts and bolts

Sequins*

Shoestrings

Soda can tabs

Stickers*

Straws

String*

Styrofoam plates or containers

Tin cans

Tin foil

Tissue paper*

Options may include colorful tissue paper used in gift wrapping.

Toilet paper and paper towel rolls

Water bottles

Wax paper

Wrapping paper

Ziplock bags

Adapted from NMAAHC Kids' Creativity Kit Checklist



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