

Maya's MYSTERIES

"If we ponder each created thing, we shall witness a myriad consummate wisdoms..." —Bahá'u'lláh



NATURE IS AN AWESOME REFUGE!

REFUGE IN NATURE

My friend Zoe was bummed when friends from her swim team went camping and didn't invite her. I gave her a big hug. It hurts to be excluded. Being in nature always cheers us up, so we had our own camping adventure. We pitched a tent in my backyard for a

sleepover. With sleeping bags, pillows, and snacks, we created a peaceful refuge under a tree. Then we went on a nature hike and made this fun scavenger hunt bingo game. A doe walked across our path! It was so fun, and Zoe felt better. Nature and true friends are the *best* combination!

NATURE BINGO: Walk with family or friends and look for items or creatures expressing virtues. Write, draw, or photograph your discoveries. Fill in five boxes going across, down, or diagonally.

<p>ALERT Creature being observant</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>CONSULT Creatures communicating</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>ENERGY Moving quickly</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>IMAGINATION Unusual pattern</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>ORIGINAL Something that surprises you</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
<p>BALANCE Things that are equal or even</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>COOPERATE Creatures working together</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>GROWTH Something very tall</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>LEADERSHIP Creature leading another</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>PERSISTENT Thriving in a hard spot</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
<p>BEAUTY Something floral</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>COURAGE Creature in a high spot</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>DISCOVERY</p> <p>(draw here)</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>LISTENING A remarkable sound</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>SERVICE Creature holding food</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
<p>CALMNESS Smooth surface</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>CURIOS Creature digging or exploring</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>HOPE Something in the sky</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>MINDFUL A secluded area</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>STRENGTH Something large and sturdy</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
<p>CHEERFUL Bright colors</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>DEPENDABLE Leaning on each other</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>HUMBLE Nestled under something larger</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>ORDERLY Several items in a neat row</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	<p>UNITY Growing together</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>