Today's Featured Activity: Nature's Rainbow

Sometimes when looking around this time of year, the colors seem so vibrant and almost unreal! Have you ever taken the time to notice how many different color greens there are in your yard or neighborhood? Why not make a natural color wheel or pallet to see how many colors you can find in nature, like a color scavenger hunt!

· Print out this template and attach it to some cardboard. When you have found these colors in nature, attach samples to it with some clothes pins.

· This color viewer helps you identify which plant matches which color by looking through it. You can then collect items and put them in an egg carton that you paint the inside of with matching colors.

· Why not make some natural paint brushes? Gather sticks and a variety of different textured items, like grass, pine needles, leaves, or flower heads. Attach them to the sticks and see what different patterns they make when you use them to paint. If you have clothes pins at home you could use these as an instant paintbrush handles, by clipping the flower or leaves in them.
Did you know you can make your own natural paints too? Using objects you find on your nature walk like grass and flower petals, or even things you might have in your fridge like berries or grapes! Experiment with different items and see if you can match it to the color wheel! This could get messy, so you might want to set up a table outside!

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