



# Outside Everyday Challenge

## April Bingo Card



How to participate in MCPD Outdoor Challenge Bingo:

1. Download the BINGO card here: ([link to downloadable BINGO card](#))
2. Each square on the bingo sheet represents a “challenge.”
3. Complete a challenge and mark it off.
4. Complete as many of the “challenges” as possible to get a BINGO (5 squares vertical, horizontal or diagonal)
5. Or, challenge your family to get as many BINGOS as you can and fill the whole card!
6. Each completed BINGO row enters your family into a monthly, prize drawing! So you can earn up to 12 entries for a single, completed card!
7. Go to this link to see the prizes for Bingo drawing winners! <https://www.miamicountyparks.com/node/1290>
8. BINGO CARD ENTRIES will need to be uploaded/submitted no later than the LAST DAY OF EACH MONTH. The whole family must be registered, not just the child.
9. Submit a photo of your BINGO card and a photo of your family completing your favorite challenge (don’t forget to share which one it is) by the last day of that month here: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScXqHFMTikl6gN9nM1ZpZq6wfym\\_w6nV\\_9h9TsNprRQ07bsSA/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScXqHFMTikl6gN9nM1ZpZq6wfym_w6nV_9h9TsNprRQ07bsSA/viewform)

The center square challenge features a special nature-focused book complete with suggested outdoor, exploration activities. Each book can be found at your local library or you could listen to it being read on YouTube. Follow this link to the Nature Quest Book lists, activity cards, and YouTube links so you can complete the center square challenge: ([insert links here](#))

You may substitute a Nature Quest Book card activities for any square if you would like. You must write the name of the Quest Book in any square that you substitute it (as well as the center square) for and no two squares can use the same book.

\*Winners must be registered for the program and will be announced on our Facebook page and will be contacted via phone or email.

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| Go for a wildflower walk - see how many different kinds of wildflowers you can find! | Take a hike/walk in the rain   | Go out and look at the “Full Pink Moon” on April 23rd. Is it really Pink? - If not, find out why it is called that | On a warmer day, find a flower with a bee on it. Observe what it does                                   | Look for earthworms on the ground and be sure to move them to the dirt/grass if they are on the pavement! |
| Climb a tree   | Go puddle jumping! Who in your family can make the biggest splash?       | Take a walk/hike and look for flowering trees...how do they look and smell?  | Find some mud and look for tracks - then make your own!   | Meet a friend at a park and play...how long can you stay there?   |
| Eat a meal outside with your family  | Visit our annual Hug the Earth Festival on April 20th                    | <b>NATURE QUEST BOOK</b><br>Read one of the featured April books on the website and complete the activities        | Go on a walk and look for fairy houses  | Walk through the grass barefoot - how does it feel?   |
| Watch the sunrise/sunset   | Gather some mud and use it to paint a picture of a spring flower or tree | Go outside on April 8th and experience the eclipse - what differences can you notice?                              | Watch the Lyrid meteor shower that falls between April 16th-25th. Peak viewing is the night of the 22nd | Go on a trash pick-up in your neighborhood. Help keep the Earth litter free!                              |
| Visit a park with a pond and look for turtles. How many can you spot?                | Make a home for a fairy or gnome   | Visit a farm and look for baby animals   | Dance barefoot, outside, in the first warm rain   | Use chalk to make a foursquare court, play a round or two with families or friends                        |