



## FOLLOW THE FLORIDA PANTHERS ON A WILDLIFE & WATER SCAVENGER HUNT



### **“POSTER” SCAVENGER HUNT QUESTIONS**

- 🐾 How much does a male Florida Panther weigh? \_\_\_\_\_ lbs.
- 🐾 Name two threats to the Florida Panther. \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 How long do the Panther Kittens have blue eyes? \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 What is an exotic species? \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 Name two native (NOT Exotic) Florida wildlife. \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 What is a producer? \_\_\_\_\_ Example: \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 Name the Umbrella Resource. \_\_\_\_\_ Name the Umbrella Species. Florida \_\_\_\_\_.
- 🐾 CREW is an undisturbed \_\_\_\_\_.
- 🐾 How many gallons of water does a person save when they take shorter showers? \_\_\_\_ gallons
- 🐾 Name one of the largest wetlands in Florida. \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 Give one reason wetlands are important. \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 Finish Logo: Reduce Your Water Use \_\_\_\_\_!
- 🐾 3 R's: Reduce--- Reuse---- \_\_\_\_\_?
- 🐾 Finish the FGCU “Wings of Hope” mission statement: *“Building bridges of hope for wildlife, \_\_\_\_\_ and the environment with \_\_\_\_\_ and awareness for college and elementary students and their \_\_\_\_\_.”*

# HOME/OUTSIDE HABITAT SCAVENGER HUNT QUESTIONS

- 🐾 Count how many flowers are blooming outside. \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 Find and ID two invertebrates outside. 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ (**Invertebrate:** animal without a backbone)
- 🐾 Identify two birds outside. 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 Identify a species taller than you. 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 Identify a species smaller than your little finger. 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 Name three producers outside. 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_ (**Producer:** An organism that makes food)
- 🐾 Name two consumers outside. 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ (**Consumer:** Any organism that eats the food producers make)
- 🐾 Name one decomposer outside. 1. \_\_\_\_\_ (**Decomposer:** An organism that breaks down wastes and the remains of other organisms)
- 🐾 Identify a food chain outside. \_\_\_\_\_ eats \_\_\_\_\_ eats \_\_\_\_\_. (**Food chain:** The set of steps in which organisms get the food they need to survive)
- 🐾 Name a population living outside. \_\_\_\_\_ (**Population:** One type of organism living in an area)
- 🐾 Identify outside a solid \_\_\_\_\_ liquid \_\_\_\_\_ gas \_\_\_\_\_.
- 🐾 Give a Hypothesis concerning the endangered Florida panthers loss of habitat: (Predict the answer to the problem)  
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- 🐾 “Listening to Nature”: Listen to Nature for 10 minutes outside and list what you hear, not what you see! (Time of day: \_\_\_\_\_)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 Do you have a wetland in your neighborhood? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_ If, yes: Identify two animals that live in your neighborhood wetland.  
1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 List two ways your family saves water. 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 List two ways your neighbor is wasting water. 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 List four items you recycle at home. 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_
- 🐾 What time was the sunset & who watched the sunset with you? \_\_\_\_\_ PM Person: \_\_\_\_\_

## WEBSITE SCAVENGER HUNT "PARTNERS OF HOPE" FOR THE NATURAL WORLD

- 🐾 Go to Florida Wildlife Federation Website: [www.fwfonline.org/campaigns/stewardship/kidswildlifehabitat.htm](http://www.fwfonline.org/campaigns/stewardship/kidswildlifehabitat.htm)
  - 🐾 Look under "Happy Gardening"
  - 🐾 Read article then Scroll down and Click on Photo Gallery.
    - 🐾 Certified Wildlife Habitat Program: Whose habitat did you like the best for wildlife? \_\_\_\_\_
    - 🐾 Which habitat will you try to create? \_\_\_\_\_
  
- 🐾 Go to Collier Audubon Society Website: [www.collieraudubon.org](http://www.collieraudubon.org)
  - 🐾 Scroll down to Lighter Side
  - 🐾 Click on An Article under the "Top 10 reasons to become a bird watcher"
  - 🐾 What was your favorite reason listed? \_\_\_\_\_
  
- 🐾 Go to Crew Land & Water Trust Website: [www.crewtrust.org](http://www.crewtrust.org)
  - 🐾 Click anywhere on the big picture
  - 🐾 Click on Education and Outreach
  - 🐾 Click on For Students
  - 🐾 What is a wetland? \_\_\_\_\_

🐾 Go to Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission (Florida Panther Net): [www.myfwc.com/panther](http://www.myfwc.com/panther)

🐾 Click Natural History

🐾 Click Vocalizations

🐾 Name one sound an adult Florida Panther makes. \_\_\_\_\_

🐾 Go to Florida Gulf Coast University “Wings of Hope”: [www.fgcu.edu/cas/wingsofhope](http://www.fgcu.edu/cas/wingsofhope)

🐾 Click on Photo Gallery

🐾 Click on Southwest Florida Wildlife

🐾 List two species you see in the photo gallery. 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_

🐾 Go to Florida Gulf Coast University: [www.fgcu.edu](http://www.fgcu.edu)

🐾 Click on About FGCU

🐾 Under Our Campus Click on Virtual Campus Tour

🐾 Click “Take the Virtual Tour”

🐾 Click Academic and then click Egan Observatory

🐾 How many telescopes does the University have? \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Family or Friend that helped with your outdoor Scavenger Hunt:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Relationship:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Your Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Teacher:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_