



Nature's Art Studio Itinerary

Dates: August 1–3

Time: 9 am–12 pm

Location: Independence Grove Forest Preserve, North Bay Pavilion

What to wear: Sturdy closed toe shoes, clothing that is appropriate for the weather, movement, and exploration. - hat and sunglasses.

What to bring: Water bottle, snack, sunscreen, and bug spray.

Tuesday, August 1

Color Palettes in Nature

Start the day by putting on your artist hat and looking at the world through a different lens. Discover the bold and hidden colors of the plants and animals of the prairie. Participants will use their inspiration to create a project unique to the colors of Independence Grove.

Wednesday, August 2

Patterns & Shapes in Nature

Flowers, seeds, leaves and twigs; they all have unique shapes and patterns that improve their chances of attracting pollinators, dispersing, making food and other essential processes. Participants will create a project highlighting these features while learning how they play a role in a plant's survival.

Thursday, August 3

Harmony in Nature

Participants will learn how plants and animals work together to create a healthy ecosystem. A culminating project will weave together the concepts learned in the three days. A local animal visitor might even make an appearance!

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