



## CAMPING FUN

*Suggested activities to enjoy while camping*



### Create a Postcard!

The Park Supervisor has asked you to develop a postcard that the campground can give to visitors. Draw a 4 x 6 inch rectangle and fill it with images you think best describe this campground.



### Create a Photo Journal

Be creative with journaling your adventure. Decide on themes you want to capture for your photo journal and take pictures that relate to those themes. For example, you might take photographs of things you see that are: Wet, Sticky, Tasty, etc.



### The License Plate Game

Play this traditional car game at the campground. Walk around the campground and spot license plates from out of state.



### Be a Ranger:

Pretend that you have been hired for the summer as a DCR Ranger and this is your first day on the job. At the end of the day, the Park Supervisor asks you to tell her about your experience at the park. Write a story about what you would tell her and be sure to include people, activities and nature.



### Use Nature As Your Alphabet!

Nature surrounds you in the campground. Name something from nature that begins with each letter of the alphabet.



### Create a Story

Sitting around the campfire, or snuggling in your sleeping bag just before you go to sleep is a great time to tell stories. Be a storyteller for the evening and see if you can use the following items in your story: *Ranger, Tent, Knapsack, Bear, Tree*. It can be true or make believe - scary or funny. The best part is that you get to decide!! Offer some other suggestions of characters, objects or locations to use in future stories.



### Recycle!

Help protect our campgrounds and our planet by recycling bottles and cans, and washing dishes. Use plastic milk containers to make scoops to play catch!

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