FOLLOW THE FLORIDA PANTHERS ON A WILDLIFE & WATER SCAVENGER HUNT

“POSTER” SCAVENGER HUNT QUESTIONS

-chain 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:** __________________