

Franklin County
Public Health

Farmers Market

SCAVENGER HUNT



If you want to spend some time discovering the delightful sights, smells and sounds of your local farmers market this activity is for your family.

A farmers market is the perfect backdrop for a unique learning quest where the treasure is the bounty of the colorful produce. Get to know the vendors and farmers, discover how the farmers get the food from the field to the market and learn how to recognize the local produce that's in season and more.

WHAT YOU WILL NEED:



REUSABLE BAGS



PENCILS OR PENS



AN HOUR OF YOUR TIME

PREPARE FOR YOUR SCAVENGER HUNT!

Find a farmers market near you.

<http://bit.ly/FindMyMarket>

GO TO THIS WEBSITE OR SCAN THIS CODE!



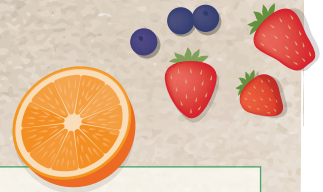
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- Go on your scavenger hunt to find each item and ask the vendors questions on the list as you go through the market.
- Enjoy a snack! After such a fun adventure, enjoy one of the special treats at the market and talk about the experience.
- Once you get home, make sure to properly store the items you purchased.
- If you are feeling extra adventurous involve your kids in prepping a recipe for dinner that night.



CAN YOU FIND IT?



- Find one local vendor whose farm you could visit.
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- Ask an organic farmer how he controls bugs and weeds.
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- Ask a farmer for a suggestion on how to prepare his/her produce.
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- Find three things for sale at the market that are not fruits and vegetables.
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- Find a food that grows underground.
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- Find a food that grows on a tree.
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- Find a food that grows in more than one color.
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- Find one fruit or vegetable that you have never eaten before.
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- Find one thing of each of the following colors:
 red orange yellow green blue purple
- What is the biggest fruit you can find?
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- What is the smallest vegetable you can find?
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