

# JUNIOR RANGERS



## Curious by Nature

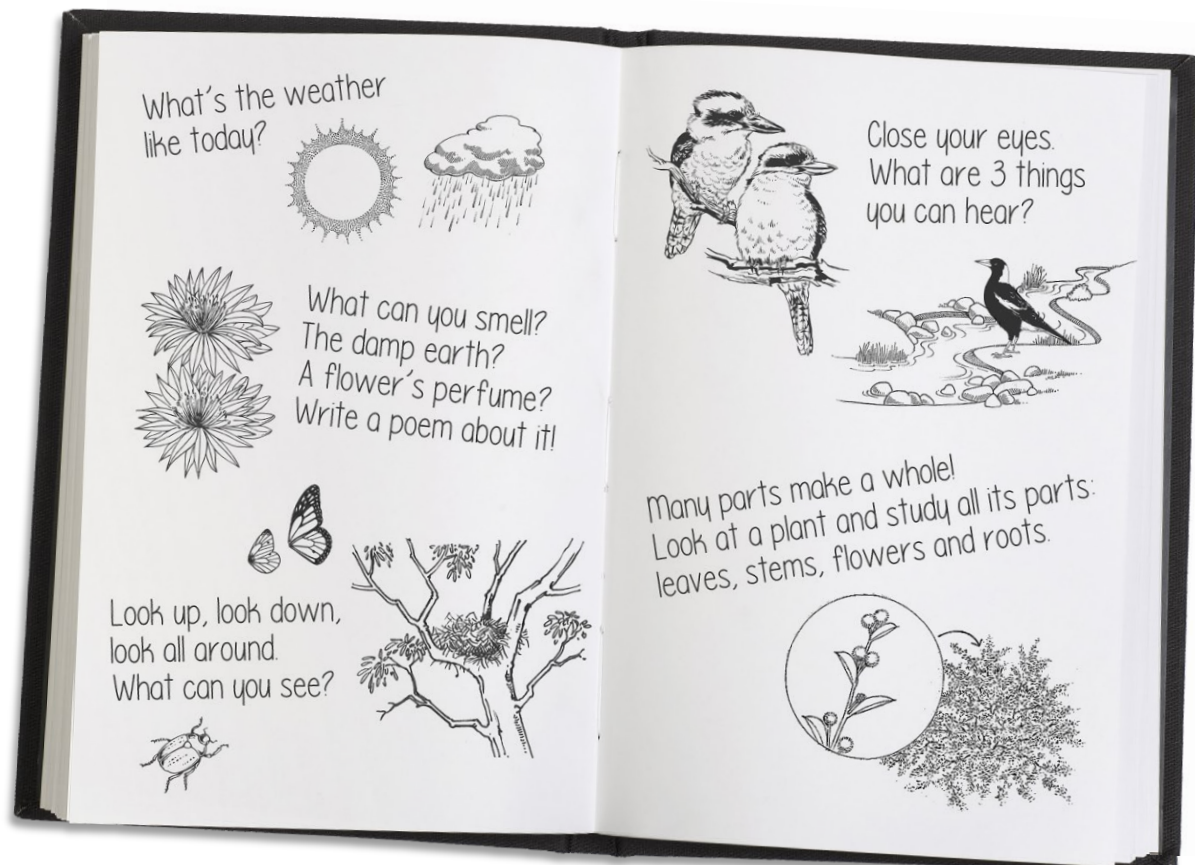
Birds flitting through the trees, flowers blossoming, ants enjoying a picnic, a seedling bursting to life; there's plenty to notice when you slow down and carefully observe your ever-changing surroundings.

### Rangers are master observers

Rangers and scientists at Parks Victoria rely on their great observation skills when they're undertaking amazing conservation projects. They need to remember where and how animals and plants live around Victoria, what changes happen in nature throughout the year, and how animals and plants react when we help them.

### You can connect with nature by recording your observations in a nature journal

Nature journals are unique! They are a special way for you to express how you feel and what you see when spending time in nature. You can draw pictures, take notes, write a poem; whatever helps you to capture the moment. You don't need much to begin, a blank page and a pencil will get you started, and you can add more pages as you go. Some people even like to create special books to keep their journal in. You can use these prompts to inspire your nature journal on the next page:



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My Nature Journal



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