

# Signs of Spring

**Spring is in the air! Take a picture of this scavenger hunt checklist to use on your hike.**

**Tune into your senses as you hike during this special time of year. How many signs of spring can you find?**

- Buds on different kinds of trees
- 5 shades of green
- A new bird sound
- An early spring insect
- A sprout of grass
- A place that could provide shelter for a bird
- Mud
- A warm place and a cool place
- Amphibian eggs in a vernal pool, pond, or stream

## **Activities you can do on your own:**

- Create a mud painting or a mud sculpture.
- Make a bird sound map. Sit quietly for twenty minutes in one spot. Map all of the bird sounds that you hear around you.
- Fill a suet feeder or mesh onion bag with pet fur, dried grass, bark strips or other natural materials that can be used for bird nesting material.
- Check out [Project Budburst](#). Take part in this community science project that focuses on seasonal change.

