

Kids Club June Activity Sheet

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Activity #1: How many of the dioramas display animals that are extinct? Tell a staff member which animals are extinct.

Activity #2: Many of the animals in the dioramas live in climates that are different from ours here in Philadelphia. What other animals could live in Philadelphia's climate?

Get your **June** stamp at the Visitor Services Desks. Do you have **eight** stamps yet? If you do, it's time to collect your prize in the Academy Shop!

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Can you find all of these words?

beak
birds
claws
courtship
dance
eyes
female
fly
juvenile
male
new guinea
paradise
selection
song
wacky
wings

It's finally summertime!
Try this experiment to find out how sunscreen counteracts the effects of the sun.

Materials

- Dark colored construction paper
- Sunscreen with sun protection factor (SPF) of 30 or higher
- A sunny day

Directions

1. Fold the paper in half. You'll leave one side alone and put sunscreen on the other side.
2. Use your fingers to spread sunscreen on one side of the paper.
3. Leave the paper in a sunny spot outside for a few hours.
(Remember to wash the sunscreen off your hands!)
4. After a few hours, observe the paper.

Questions

1. What happened to the side without sunscreen?
2. How is the side with sunscreen different from the side without sunscreen?

Email kidspage@ansp.org to share your answers with us!

Academy I Spy...

Use the clues to find things throughout the museum!

A mollusk in Dinosaur Hill _____

Rhymes with raccoon in *Butterflies!* _____

The first specimen from the Academy's collection in *Birds of Paradise* _____