

A Day in the Life
Post Activity

Program at Nature Station: Puppets on Stage: The Mighty Tree

Grade Level: K-2nd

Program Length:

Prep time: none

Activity time: 30-60 minutes

Group size: any

Setting: Classroom

Concepts: Trees provide many things for animals.

Materials:

Paper

Pencil

Procedure:

Discuss with the students how the mighty tree was used by all the animals and how important trees are, not just to us, but to all animals. Have the students, either together as a class or individually, write a story about one of the animals and how it needed and/or used what the tree could provide. Below is a list of animals that used the tree in the story if you need it.

Assessment or Evaluation:

Stories could be read aloud if written individually.

Animals in *The Mighty Tree*:

Hornet	Honeybees	Ladybugs	*Spiders
Crickets	Ants	Katydids	Caterpillars
Pheasants	Quail	Mourning Doves	Woodpeckers
Flickers	*Squirrels	Chipmunks	Bears
Lizards	Opossums	*Raccoons	Butterfly Cocoons
Bluejays	Robins	Cardinals	Crows
Chickadees	Crossbills	Titmice	Nuthatches
Bluebirds	*Owls	Hawks	*Eagles

*Animals that visited during the story.