

Online resources

Child and Nature Alliance of Canada
childnature.ca

Children and Nature Network
www.childrenandnature.org

Environment Canada BioKits
is.gd/biokits

Frontenac Arch Biosphere Reserve
www.fabr.ca

**Ministry of Natural Resources
Outdoor Recreation**
is.gd/outdoors

Mississippi Valley Field Naturalists
www.mvfn.ca

Ontario Conservation Areas
www.ontarioconservationareas.ca

Ontario Parks
www.ontarioparks.com

Ontario Trails Council
www.ontariotrails.on.ca

Parks Canada
www.pc.gc.ca

**Royal Ontario Museum: Build Your Own
Field Guide**
www.rom.on.ca/ontario/fieldguides.php

Find these books and more...

Every resident of Lanark, Leeds & Grenville has **free access** to a public library.

Find the location of your library by visiting www.sols.org -> Links -> Index of Public Libraries or by checking your municipality's website.

You can look at these books and more even if you don't have a **library card**. To bring books home, you'll need a card, which you can get for free by showing proof of residency (generally your driver's licence, a lease, a utility bill, or another similar document).

Libraries have **online catalogues** where you can search for these books and request that they be held for you or brought in from another location.

Libraries have **public computers and wireless access** so you can visit online resources for free even if you don't have internet access at home.

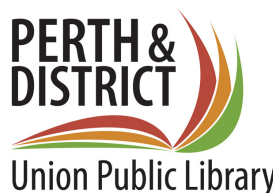
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RRA *Rural Recreation
Association*

**Let's
GOGO!**
(Get Out into the
Great Outdoors)

**Resources
to get
you going**

Brochure produced by:
www.perthunionlibrary.ca



For kids

Nonfiction

Animal Life Cycles: Growing and Changing by Bobbie Kalman

Backyard by Donald Silver

Big Tracks, Little Tracks: Following Animal Prints by Millicent Selsam

Go Out and Play! Favorite Outdoor Games from Kaboom!

The Kids' Guide to Nature Adventures: 80 Great Activities for Exploring the Outdoors by Joe Rhatigan

The Kids' Nature Book: 365 Indoor/Outdoor Activities and Experiences by Susan Milord

Nature Smart: Awesome Projects to Make with Mother Nature's Help by Gwen Diehn

Run Wild! Outdoor Games and Adventures by Fiona Danks

Sketching Outdoors series by Jim Arnosky

Wild Foods: A Beginner's Guide to Identifying, Harvesting, and Cooking Safe and Tasty Plants from the Outdoors by Laurence Pringle

Picture Books

Antler, Bear, Canoe: A Northwoods Alphabet Year by Betsy Bowen

The Big Alfie Out of Doors Storybook by Shirley Hughes

Earth, Sky, Wet, Dry: A Book of Nature Opposites by Durga Bernhard

Out and About by Shirley Hughes

Sheep Take a Hike by Nancy Apple

Note: Not all books are available at all libraries. If you see a title you'd like that your library doesn't own, please ask staff to request it from another library.

For adults

Babes in the Woods: Hiking, Camping, and Boating with Babies and Young Children by Jennifer Aist

Basic Nature Painting Techniques in Watercolor by Rachel Rubin Wolf

Camping and Wilderness Survival: The Ultimate Outdoors Book by Paul Tawrell

A Citizen's Guide to Ecology by Lawrence Slobodkin

Cross-Country Skiing: Building Skills for Fun and Fitness by Steve Hindman

The Explorer's Guide to Algonquin Park by Michael Runtz

Family of Earth and Sky: Indigenous Tales of Nature from Around the World, edited by John Elder

Force of Nature: The David Suzuki Movie (DVD)

The Happy Camper: An Essential Guide to Life Outdoors by Kevin Callan

How to Stay Alive in the Woods by Bradford Angier

The Nature Principle: Reconnecting with Life in a Virtual Age by Richard Louv

The Trailside Cookbook: A Handbook for Hungry Campers and Hikers by Don Philpott

Your Brain on Nature: The Science of Nature's Influence on Your Health, Happiness, and Vitality by Eva Selhub

Field guides on subjects such as:

- Trees
- Grasses
- Mushrooms
- Animal tracks and scat
- Flowers
- Birds
- Fish