

Family Scavenger Hunt



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Instructions

For this scavenger hunt we are going to find people, places, and things in our community! This hunt is best suited for kids 4 to 8 years old. Adapt as appropriate for your own family.

Start at Home



- Find where the mail is delivered to your house or building. What kind of delivery system do you have? (Mail box at the street? Slot through the door? Mail bank in the mail room?)

My mailbox is located _____

- Find the silverware in your house.

How many forks are there? _____ Spoons? _____ Knives? _____

BONUS! Can you help by putting the silverware away?

- Find the place on your apartment building or house that shows the numbers of your address.

What are the numbers? _____

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Go Outside

- Do you see any of your neighbors walking or working outside? If you know them, say "Hi!" and ask how they are doing. If you don't know them, introduce yourself. (In this case, grown-ups should be sure it's safe and appropriate to do so.)

My neighbor's name is _____

- Find the place on your street where the signs are that show the street names. (Grown-ups can help in the reading!)

My street name is _____

BONUS! The name of the nearest cross street is



- Stand in front of your house and look up. What's the tallest thing you see? (A tree? A building? Something else?)

The tallest thing I see is _____

(If it's a tree) The type of tree is a _____

(If it's a building) The building is _____

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Go into the Community

Library:

- Go to the local library. Introduce yourself to a librarian! What's their name?

My librarian's name is _____

- Ask the librarian to show you where the kid's books are (if you don't already know) and pick out a book.

I chose a book called _____



BONUS! If you don't have your own library card yet, get one! (Grown-ups, check state age and proof of ID requirements ahead of time.)

Grocery Store:

- Ask your grown-up to drive to the grocery store. As you go, have your grown-up tell you the names of the streets. What is the name of the street the grocery store is on?

My grocery store is located on _____

- At the grocery store, find the fruits and vegetables. How many different kinds of apples are there?

There are _____ types of fruits and vegetables at my store.

My favorite fruits are _____

My favorite vegetables are _____

BONUS! Say "Thank You!" to the person who helps you at the register and wish them a good day!

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Extras

- Do you see a police officer who is walking by or maybe getting a snack? Say hello! (They just might have a sticker on them to share.)
- Go to the nearest fire house and see if there are any firefighters out front. Ask them when they give tours. (They just might answer, "Now!")
- Go to city hall. What's going on there? What kinds of business are people handling? Is anyone getting married?

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