

Week 7 Virtual Camp Sampler

(Ages 8-12)



**METROPARKS
TOLEDO**

MONDAY

A Maumee Kayaking Adventure: Your day starts at Providence Metropark as you kayak down the Maumee River. You are on a scouting trip to notice the plants and animals of Northwest Ohio Riverways. You must make it to Middlegrounds before it gets too dark to make it home!

<https://platform.breakoutedu.com/game/play/nc-field-trip-2-618623>

TUESDAY

Hydropower: Water can be a very powerful force! Check out this video to see how the Isaac Ludwig Mill at Providence Metropark harnesses that energy to saw lumber and grind grain:

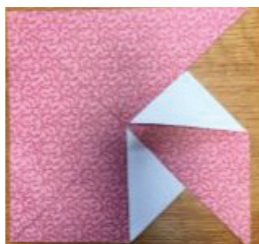
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LBw7FBFlcBA&feature=youtu.be>

WEDNESDAY

Paper Pinwheels: Make your own paper pinwheel to mimic the movement of the mill's turbine.

Materials: paper, scissors, unused pencil, pushpin, ruler, pencil, glue dot.

Directions: Cut your paper into a 8x8 inch square. Use the ruler to draw an X on the paper traveling from one corner diagonally to the next. Use your scissors to cut along the lines from the edge of the paper toward the center but not completely through. Place a glue dot in the middle where the lines of the x cross and fold half of each triangle into the center. Carefully push the pushpin through the center of the pinwheel and then through the eraser of the pencil.



THURSDAY

Nature Journal: A watershed is an area of land that drains down slope to the lowest point which is a creek, river, lake or ocean. The water of which is part of the water cycle...a basic building material of life that must be used over and over again. In your nature journal or below pretend that you are a water drop that has landed in your back yard. Draw or write about the following: Where will you go, what will you see or do as you drain to the lowest point in the Maumee River Watershed?

FRIDAY

Bird Scavenger Hunt: The Maumee River is an important flyway for migrating birds. Search for birds displaying the common behaviors below. See if you can find them all.



Flocking



Bathing in Water or Dust



Feeding



Chiseling



Wading



Preening



Singing



Nesting



Flying