You can start anywhere, but the first question is starred.

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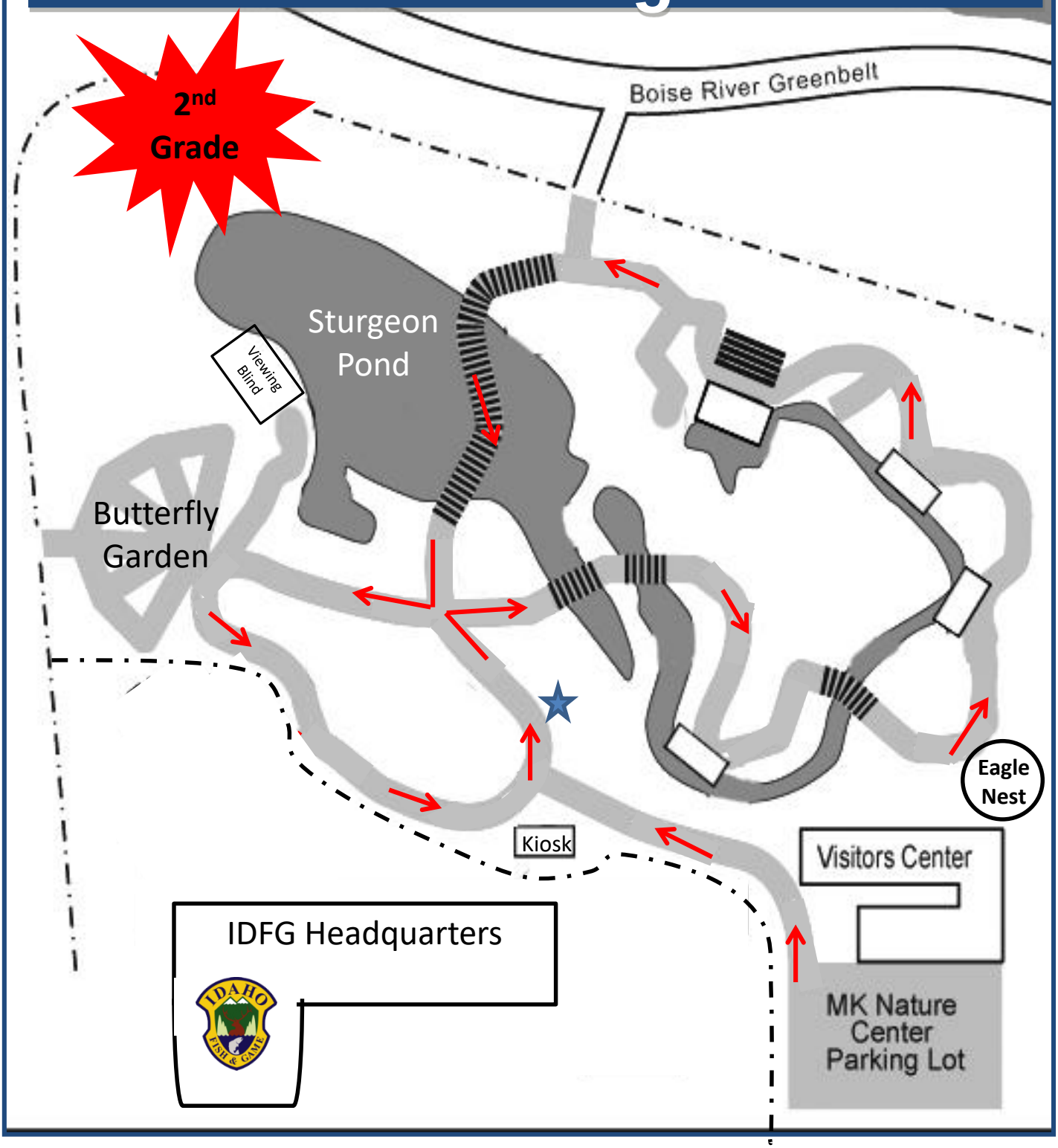

MK Nature Center Scavenger hunt for 2nd graders

Find a sign, read it and then answer the question. Not all the signs at the Nature Center will be in this scavenger hunt. The questions will be in order as you walk around the nature center. You can start anywhere but the star on the map will be question #1.

1. Read the sign. From where you are standing, can you see signs (clues) of animals? If so, what clue is it? If not, keep looking and write or draw it here when you find it.

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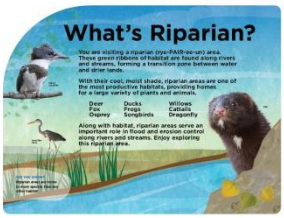


Visit the two bridges near this sign. The first bridge has calm water and the second bridge has moving water. Name an animal that might like each spot:

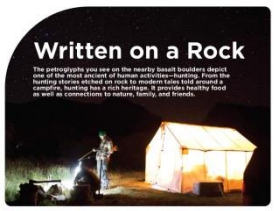
Calm water:

Moving water:

2. Look through the window near this sign. What object in the water is giving fish the shelter they need?

Draw a fish under shelter:

Name one animal that would eat a fish:



3. Look at the big rock near this sign. Draw one thing you see on the rock. What do you think it means?

4. Read the sign. What do trout eat?

Draw one thing that wild trout will eat (look at the sign). Label your drawing. →

5. After looking at the fish, sit down here and name something you:

SEE:

SMELL:

FEEL:

HEAR:

6. Lay on the sturgeon bench: Are you smaller or bigger than the sturgeon? Circle one

Smaller Bigger

7. Now move to the long bridge and circle what you see:

Sturgeon	Beaver dam	Water that is moving
Trout	Trash	Water that is still
Duck	Animal scat (poop)	Crayfish
Goose	An animal shelter	

Write something else you see that is not on the list:

6. Find something and name it:

Green

Brown

Smooth

Cold

Warm

Damp

Wet

Beautiful

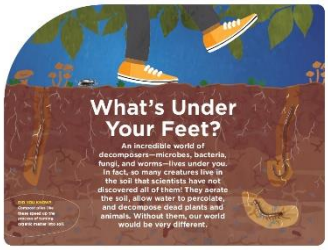
Gross

Cute

Strange

7. Read the sign: Why might a person cut down a dead tree?

Why might a person leave a dead tree?



9. Behind you (as you are facing the worm sign) and off to your right a little, you will see a shelter. Crawl inside.

Is it warmer or colder inside the shelter?

Who do you think made the shelter?

Name an animal you think would use this shelter.

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Animal list

Fish I saw today:

Mammals I saw today

Insects I saw today

Birds I saw today

Reptiles I saw today

Amphibians I saw today

Arachnids I saw today

Crustaceans I saw today