## **Objective**

By the end of this lesson, you will be able to observe and identify different plants, animals, and other natural elements during a nature walk.

## **Materials and Prep**

- Comfortable walking shoes
- Sunscreen
- Water bottle
- Notepad and pencil
- Field guide book (optional)

Before the lesson, make sure you have a basic understanding of different types of plants, animals, and natural elements commonly found in your area.

## **Activities**

- 1. Begin by discussing the purpose of a nature walk and the importance of observing and appreciating nature.
- 2. Take a walk in a nearby park, forest, or any natural area.
- 3. During the walk, encourage the student to observe their surroundings and identify different plants, animals, and natural elements.
- 4. Encourage the student to take notes or draw pictures of what they observe.
- 5. If available, use a field guide book to help identify any unfamiliar plants or animals.
- 6. Discuss the findings and observations made during the nature walk.
- 7. Encourage the student to reflect on the beauty and diversity of nature.

## **Second Grade Talking Points**

- "Nature walks are a great way to explore and learn about the natural world around us."
- "During our nature walk, we will observe different plants, animals, and natural elements."
- "Plants are living things that make their own food through a process called photosynthesis."
- "Animals are living things that move, breathe, and eat to survive."
- "We can identify plants and animals by looking at their unique features and characteristics."
- "Nature is full of beautiful and diverse elements, and it's important to appreciate and protect it."