

## Grow Your Own Adventure 3rd & 4th Grade

Here at Red Butte Garden, we believe learning is fun and can happen anytime, anywhere. To help continue the fun at home, we've included an outline of the topics we'll study this week at camp as well as a list of additional activities, books, and other resources related to this week's theme. We hope you'll use this to engage with your camper and keep the learning process happening all summer long! Thanks for coming to Summer Camp, and we'll see you soon at the Garden!

## **CAMP THEME**

This week at camp we'll gain the necessary skills to become outdoor adventurists. Each day we'll focus on some essential skills that will help campers navigate the natural world and better enjoy their environment. Be sure to ask your camper about:

- Monday Kinds of maps, How to read maps
- Tuesday Cardinal Directions, Compasses
- Wednesday Treasure hunting, stamp making
- Thursday Letterboxing, Cartography
- Friday Geocaching, GPS units

## **ACTIVITY IDEAS**

- Geocache or Letterbox with your camper
  - o www.geocaching.com
  - o www.letterboxing.org/kids
- Play Cardinal Directions Simon Says
  - o <a href="http://tinyurl.com/CardinalDirectionSimonSays">http://tinyurl.com/CardinalDirectionSimonSays</a>
- Coordinate a treasure hunt for your camper and friends
  - http://tinyurl.com/DIYTreasureHunt
- Next time you're at the Garden, play RBG's *Golden Trowel* tablet game that teaches and utilizes the cardinal directions.

## **ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**

- Follow That Map by Scot Ritchie
- There's a Map on My Lap by Tish Rabe
- Treasure Hunter's Handbook by Liza Gardner Walsh

