Third Grade May Garden Visit Lesson Plan Exploring the Garden

Objective: Students will be able to observe how different organisms in the garden have different traits.

Standard: 2. LS3.B: Variation of Traits Different organisms vary in how they look and function because they have different inherited information.

Materials:

- Scavenger hunt worksheet
- Surface to write on
- Pencils

Activities:

• Once arriving in the garden, the teacher(s) can give students a tour of the garden. The teacher(s) can explain how all organisms in the garden have different traits. The students will go on a nature hunt to find different organisms in the garden. Through the completion of the worksheet they will be able to reflect upon the trait of each organism and how they differ from one another.