

SPREE FORCE

Special Agent Passport



A Division of SPREE Force

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Official Special Agent Passport

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

River/Tributary Affiliation: _____

Date of Birth: _____

City of Residence: _____

SPREE Force Induction Date: _____

Issuing Authority: **The Greenway Foundation's SPREE Force Program**

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Chompers, Chief SPREE Force Special Agent of the South Platte River of Colorado and its tributaries, hereby requests all whom it may concern to permit the SPREE Force Special Agent herein to complete special missions without delay or hindrance.

Signature of Chief Agent

Chompers



Signature of Special Agent (not valid until signed)



Important Information About This Passport

NOTICE

Under the code of Health Regulations established by Chompers, Chief SPREE Force Special Agent, all agents are required to conduct indicated tasks and missions with the greatest possible precaution. This includes missions conducted in the home. In case of uncertainty about accepted protocol or preparation for a task, check with a local parent or other responsible adult. ***Responsible adults are authorized by SPREE to accompany Agents on any completed mission within this passport.*** General prohibitions include but are not limited to: the using, handling, or removal of sharp or dangerous objects; traveling unapproved distances without parental accompaniment; and in anyway harming inhabitants or their habitations in the South Platte River or other ecosystems.

IT IS UNLAWFUL TO USE THIS PASSPORT AS IDENTIFICATION FOR ANY ACTIVITIES OUTSIDE OF SPREE. IT WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AS A VALID PASSPORT FOR AIRPLANE OR TRAIN TRAVEL.

How to Use this Passport



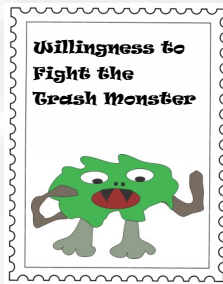
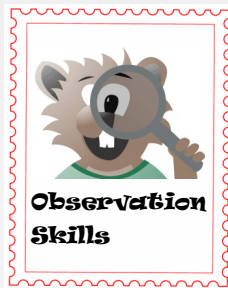
Get outside to explore the beauty that the South Platte River and Cherry Creek Provide! The missions in this passport are activities and challenges that once completed, induct you into SPREE Force as a Special Agent.

SPREE Force Special Agents do good for our River and City by caring for their neighborhood. They are kind to our ecosystem, and are kind to others.

Explore. Discover. Create. Protect

The South Platte River, the Cherry Creek and their tributaries

Special Agent Skills: SPREE Force Special Agents demonstrate expertise in the following skills. These skills are necessary to keep our neighborhoods, city, and waterways clean



*Crushers Tip: You can help fight the trash monster by making sure to never leave trash behind after spending time outside!

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Special Agent Missions Complete

Keep track of the missions you complete in your passport. Sign off as you complete missions until you've completed them all!

Mission 1:

Date Completed: _____

SPREE Force Special Agent Initial: _____

Mission 2:

Date Completed: _____

SPREE Force Special Agent Initial: _____

Mission 3:

Date Completed: _____

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Date Completed: _____

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Date Completed: _____

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Thompers Challenge!

Can you match each track print with a local Denver critter?



Extra Challenge! Can you find these tracks in the wild?

MISSION #1:

Take a walk along the South Platte River, the Cherry Creek or its tributaries. Use this check-list to keep track of the wildlife you see. Not all wildlife could be included, this list is just your starting point!

Mammals

Plants

Birds

☐ Duck

☐ Hawk

☐ Robin

☐ Swallow

☐ Rabbit

☐ Beaver

☐ Squirrel

☐ Muskrat

☐ Cottonwood Tree

☐ Coyote Willow

Reptile

☐ Turtle

South Platte River Wildlife Checklist

MISSION #2:

Complete at least 2 of these outdoor challenges to strengthen your special agent skills. If you complete all 4, awesome! Make sure any outside activity is accompanied by an adult.



Plant seeds outside



Pick up trash in your neighborhood or local park (don't forget to wear gloves!)



Read outside for 30 minutes



Go for a walk in a local park

Thompers Challenge!

Find a comfy place outside. Close your eyes. Listen. Can you hear 5 different sounds?

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

MISSION #3: Find a spot outside. Use the following pages to draw or paint a River scene





Chompers Challenge!

Can you finish drawing
Chompers?



MISSION #4: Collect some nature materials. Make a nature mask from what you have collected!

Extra Needed

Materials:

Glue

Scissors

Paper Plate

String

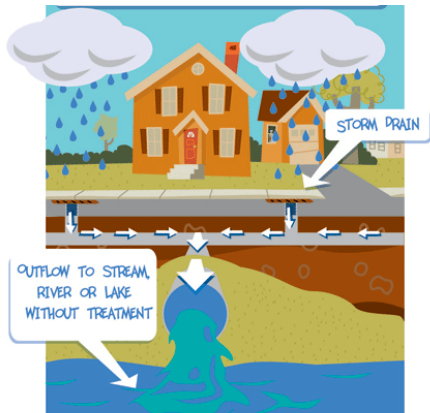
Draw the materials you've collected below!

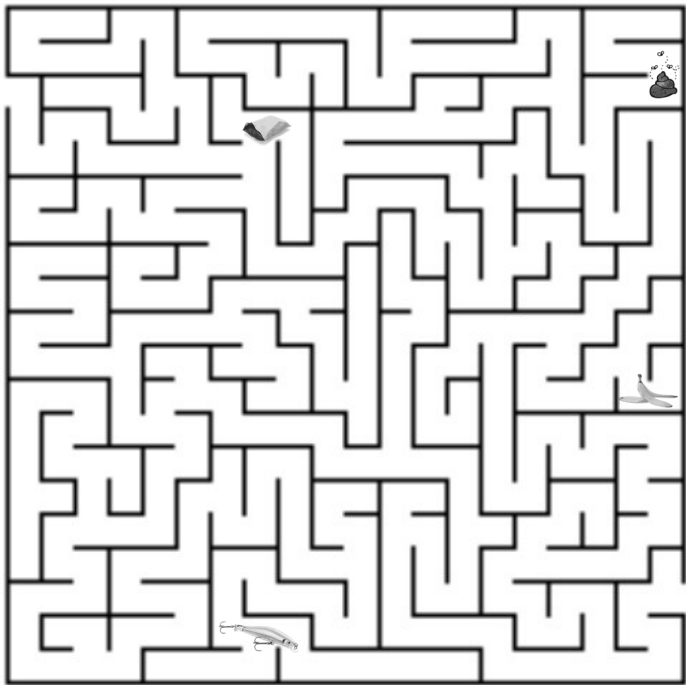


How do Storm Drains Work?

1. When it rains, water hits the grass, trees, roads and sidewalks.
2. When it hits the grass, the rain goes into the ground.
3. When it hits the sidewalks, roads and buildings, the rain runs into the street and becomes storm water.
4. Storm water runs down the street and into storm drains which flows into the rivers, lakes and streams.
5. Along the way it can pick up pollutants.

Help Drip Drop make it through the storm drain without getting polluted!





MISSION #5: Walk on the South Platte River or Cherry Creek Trail. Count as many storm drain outfalls as you can (where storm drains dump water into the River/Creek). Complete the worksheet below!

Number of outfalls counted: _____

Was there Trash? _____

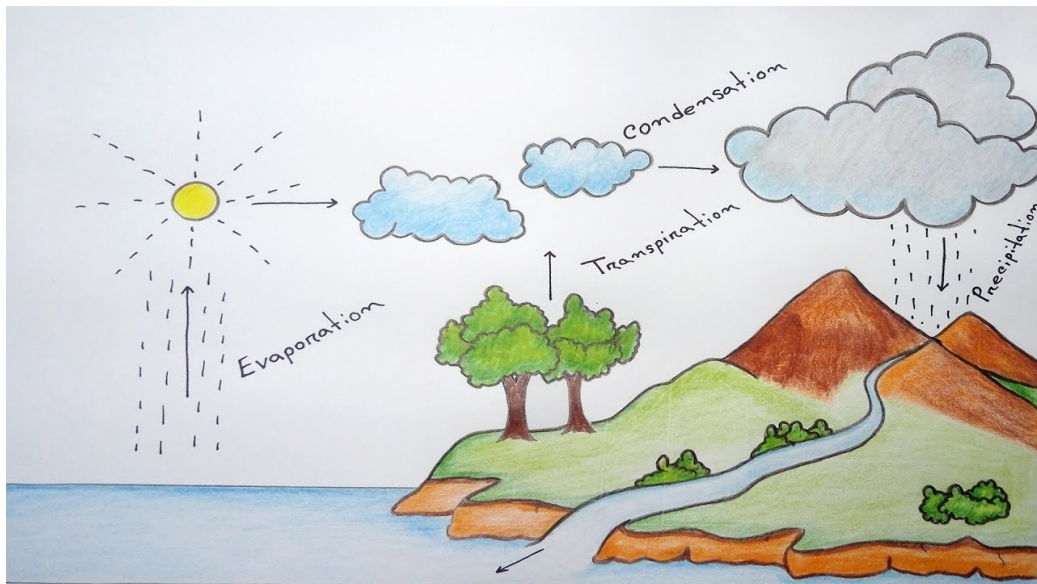
How do you think the trash gets into the River/
Creek?

Thompers Challenge!

Find a storm drain in our City, and draw it above! Do you think it flows into the Cherry Creek? Or South Platte River?

MISSION #6: Find a comfy spot outside. Look up at the sky. What shapes do you see in the clouds? Draw the shapes below!

The Water Cycle!





P M I Z F C D O S I S S L C C
T R A S H M O N S T E R H O R
T Z Y K P S R R R P Z E W C I
X E Q A U E E E Q W R P P U T
T D X M W H C H V R L M T O T
B H M P S N D I Y I Z O K L E
A E H U L U E C A P R H D P R
R A R Z C O R E N L D C G R C
Y C O Y R E R X R K A T S P R
W O Q Z E K C E V G G G B M A
R X S K C R A W D A D C E F W
E T T A L P H T U O S U A N L
E E R P S N B F K U T T V K T
A K P M J U C V A B E M E X E
S F W A G F N J S S W Q R H H

Chompers Challenge!

The words below are hidden in the puzzle!
Can you use your Observation Skills to find them?

Beaver

River

Cherry Creek

South Platte

Chompers

Special Agent

Crawdad

SPREE

Critter Crawl

Summer

Crusher

Trash Monster

Explore

Fun

Greenway



SPREE Force Special Agents: Draw a line to match each SPREE Force Special Agent with their name.



Tweet



Roxie



Energy Star



Crusher



Chompers



Drip Drop

SPREE Force Villains: Draw a line to match each SPREE Force Villain with their name.



Trash Monster

Couch Potato

Evil Drip Drop

Energy Leech



Special Agent Notes & Observations

