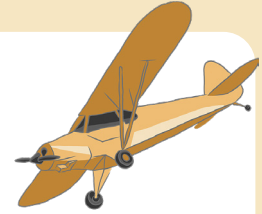




Elk Habitat VR Activities

1. Elk Management

GFP has various jobs that help manage elk using different tools and partnerships.



A. Describe two careers within GFP.

B. Describe two different tools that GFP uses in elk management.

C. Here's one to put a little more thought into. Grab a sheet of paper and answer: Why are partnerships between agencies like GFP and RMEF important?

2. Elk Habitat

Elk in the Black Hills live in four habitats that meet their survival needs. For this activity, fill in the blanks.



1.) A _____ habitat is dominated by pine trees.

2.) A _____ habitat is home to a variety of grasses.

3.) A _____ habitat has water-loving plants along rivers and streams.

4.) A _____ habitat is filled with trees that lose their leaves each year.

3. Signs of Elk

Elk leave signs in their habitat that reveal important information about their behavior and movement. Circle and label the clues in the illustration.

Word Bank

- Stream
- Aspen
- Grasses
- Rub (on tree)
- Wallow
- Bedded down grass
- Scat
- Elk tracks
- Shed antler

