

Plants of the Powhatan

Target Grade: 2, 4



The students will be introduced to the plants native to the Coastal Plain and Piedmont regions of Virginia. They will examine the role plants had in sustaining the Powhatans.

Format & Requirements

- The Plants of the Powhatan is available for checkout as a conservation capsule.

Resources

- Conservation capsule includes Teacher Resource Notebook.
- The Plants of the Powhatan conservation capsule comes with supplies for felt board, plant usage activity, First Peoples of North America card game, and assorted books.

Standards of Learning

Science 2nd Grade

2.8 The student will investigate and understand that plants are important natural resources. Key ideas include a) the availability of plant products affects the development of a geographic area.

History & Social Studies 2nd Grade

2.5 The student will use history and social science skills to identify the geographic location, use of resources, and contributions of Indigenous peoples past and present, including

- Indigenous nations and tribes of the Eastern Woodlands;

Virginia Studies 4th grade

VS.2 The student will apply history and social science skills to describe the Indigenous Peoples' nations of Virginia past and present by

- d) describing the relationships and interactions of the Indigenous Peoples in Virginia, circa 1600 and their environment; and
- e) describing the lives and culture of Virginia's Indigenous Peoples leading to the present day.