

**Reader's Guide and Arts & Crafts Activities for Surf Soup TV
and the Magical Hair-No Haircuts! The Botanical Garden
Book 11 Volume 7 by Donna Kay Lau**

Reader's Guide:

1. Explore the Garden of Knowledge:

Before you start reading, take a moment to think about gardens.

What kinds of plants and flowers do you know?

As you read the book, pay attention to how Koa's magical hair transforms. What do you think about his hair turning into a garden?

2. Meet the Characters:

Who are Koa and his friends? What special abilities or qualities do they have?

Describe Nutty the squirrel. What does he try to do, and how does Koa stop him?

3. Discover Botanical Wonders:

Learn about botanical gardens. What are they? Have you ever been to a garden like the one in the story?

Make a list of the different flowers and plants mentioned in the book. What is your favorite type of plant?

4. Lessons from Nature:

What did Koa learn from his adventures in the garden? How did the endangered plants inspire him and his friends?

Discuss the importance of taking care of nature. How can you help protect plants and animals in your own community?

5. Feathered Friends:

What happened when birds started making nests in Koa's hair? How did he feel about it?

Do some research on different types of birds. What do they eat?

Where do they live? Choose one bird and share what you learned.

6. Art and Creativity:

Imagine you have a magical hair that can turn into anything you want. What would you choose? Draw a picture of your magical hair creation.

Create a colorful collage of different flowers using colored paper, magazines, or craft supplies.

Arts & Crafts Activities:

1. Magical Hair Garden:

Gather some craft materials like construction paper, glue, and markers.

Create your own magical hair garden by cutting out flower shapes from colored paper and attaching them to a drawing of a person's head. Be as creative as you like!

2. Nature Scavenger Hunt:

Explore your backyard, a local park, or a garden to find different types of plants, flowers, and leaves.

Create a nature journal to document your findings. Draw pictures or take photos of the plants you discover.

3. Bird Feeder Creation:

Use recycled materials like cardboard, plastic bottles, or wooden popsicle sticks to make bird feeders.

Hang your bird feeders outside and observe the birds that come to visit. Keep track of the different bird species you see.

4. Endangered Plant Awareness Poster:

Research and choose an endangered plant species to learn about. Design a poster with information about the plant, why it's endangered, and what can be done to help protect it.

5. Plant a Seed:

Choose a flower or vegetable seed to plant in a small pot or garden space.

Care for your plant by watering it and giving it sunlight. Keep a plant journal to track its growth.

6. Create a Mini Botanical Garden:

Collect small rocks, pebbles, and twigs to create a mini garden scene in a container.

Add small plants or succulents to complete your mini botanical garden.

Remember, these activities are meant to enhance your reading experience and inspire your creativity. Have fun exploring the world of Surf Soup TV and the Magical Hair

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through art and hands-on projects!