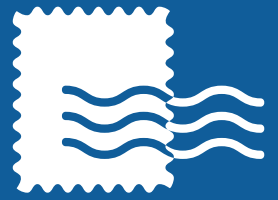


# Government I.D. scavenger hunt!



Our government is not just something that is far away in Washington, D.C., or your state capital. Evidence of our government is right on your own street and in your neighborhood! Enhance her understanding when you take your child on a scavenger hunt for things that represent government activity in your community. Use the checklist below, add to it, or create your own.

Traditionally, a scavenger hunt is a game that involves players collecting items from a list. Whoever collects all or the most items is the winner. This scavenger hunt makes use of your cell phone camera or digital camera. You and your child collect photos of items on the list and earn 5 points for each item collected. Earn 2 bonus points for noting which are items or services provided by the federal, state or local government.

We took a photo of	Points	Federal, state or local govt service?	Bonus Points	Total
Postage stamp				
Penny or other U.S. coin				
Driver's license				
License plate				
Library Card				
Public School				
Public Library				
Park				
Police car				
Fire truck				
Speed limit sign				
Traffic light				
Mailbox				
Bridge or hwy overpass				
Fire hydrant				
<b>TOTAL</b>				

## How did you do?

**75 – 105 points:** Excellent! The Liberty Bell is ringing for you! You're a real Uncle Sam!

**50 – 75 points:** Great! Bring out the fireworks! You're a dandy Yankee Doodle!

**25 – 50 points:** You're more wild turkey than bald eagle. Keep trying!

**0 – 25 points:** You're bringing up the end of the parade. Keep trying!