

Gumbo Limbo Nature Center Plants & Animals

Can you find them all?

Tear on line when found — no pen needed!



Gumbo Limbo Tree

- Red peeling bark
- Sticky sap used as glue by natives



Strangler Fig Tree

- Canopy tree
- Milky sap



Cabbage Palm

- Florida State Tree
- Also known as Sabal Palm



Seahorses

- Males incubate the young in a pouch
- Use their tail to hold on to plants



Balloonfish

- Poisonous
- Double in size when “puffed”



Southern Stingray

- Venomous barb on tail
- Bottom dweller



Gopher Tortoise

- Florida native species
- Threatened by habitat destruction



Sea Turtle

- Seven species
- Lay eggs on beach



Butterflies

- The Zebra Longwing Is the official Florida State Butterfly
- Over 200 species found in Florida



Golden Silk Orb Weaver Spider

- Females can be 5 times larger than males
- Webs can be over 3 feet wide