

Try your hand at coloring Barbara Peets' drawings of native plants and noxious weeds

Native Dusky willow
Pale yellow-green flowers
Twigs are red-brown
Leaves green above,
paler below



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Noxious spotted knapweed
Flowers are usually
pinkish-purple
Bracts under the flowers
have dark spots



Native Lewis's Mock Orange
Also called
Syringa
Showy white
flowers with
bright yellow
stamens smell
like citrus



Native Yampah
Small white flowers in clusters
Plant smells like dill

Find these words
in this noxious weed wordscramble:

rush	skeletonweed	leafy	spurge
tower	pyramid	native	noxious
lodge	willow	spotted	knapweed
lewis	clark	syringa	yampah
salmon	river	root	idaho

Noxious rush skeletonweed
Yellow flowers
grow at ends of
dark green,
nearly leafless stems



Noxious leafy spurge
Showy yellow-green, heart-shaped bracts
surround tiny flowers of the same color

Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation ■ County Weed Districts: Teton, Carbon, Blaine, Fergus, Phillips, Sanders, Beaverhead, and Gallatin ■ National Forests: Custer, Gallatin, Kootenai, Beaverhead-Deerlodge, and Lewis and Clark ■ Missouri Breaks National Monument
Bozeman City Parks ■ Fish Technology Center ■ Montana State Trails Program ■ Montana Dept. of Environmental Quality ■ Montana Farm Bureau ■ Montana Stockgrowers Association ■ Montana Association of State Irrigation Districts ■ Western Regional Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species



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