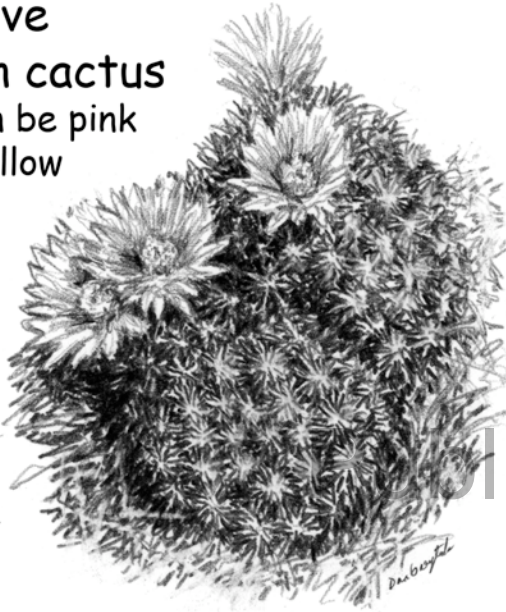


Try your hand at coloring Don Greytak's drawings of native plants and noxious weeds



Native chokecherry
Flowers are white and the berries are variations of red to dark purple

Native pincushion cactus
Flowers can be pink and yellow



Native needle and thread grass
Seeds can be tan to light yellow
Grass is green

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Find these words in this noxious weed wordscramble:

needle	ranch	plants	native	invasive
leafy	spurge	pincushion	houndstongue	missouri
head	waters	chokecherry	expedition	lewis
clark	canada	thistle	hike	jog
lap	your	land	cactus (backwards)	
noxious (backwards)				

Noxious houndstongue
Flowers are a velvety purple



Noxious leafy spurge
Stems are pale green or blue green
Flowers are green and surrounded by yellow-green heart-shaped leaves



Noxious Canada thistle
Flowers are pink to purple with dark green spiny-tipped leaves



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Gallatin Citizens Against Noxious Weeds ■ Gallatin Conservation District ■ Bozeman Ranger District ■ Greater Yellowstone Area Weed Committee ■ Madison Valley Ranchlands Group ■ Whitehall Schools ■ Ophir School ■ Gallatin Big Sky Weed Management Area