

## Spring Blooms All Around Us

Right now, there are blooming flowers high up in the trees, in yards and gardens, and even in the grass. Look at the photographs below to enjoy D.C.'s beautiful springtime blooms!

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### For parents: How can my family enjoy spring blooms in D.C. using these photographs?

- 1) Looking at these photographs of spring blooms on your phone or computer can be a great way to relax and meditate. Noticing the shapes, colors, and sizes of the blooms, and imagining what they smell and feel like is a nice, quiet activity for a child or adult.
- 2) If you go out on a walk and bring your phone, you can download this document or screenshot parts of it and search for spring blooms in your neighborhood, like a scavenger hunt! If you have a printer, you can print this document (or parts of it) and carry it with you on a walk. You can make a checkmark next to the name of the blooms that you find.

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### Blooms in the Trees



Tulip Magnolia Tree



Kwanzan Flowering Cherry Tree



Redbud Tree



Norway Maple

## Blooms in the Grass



Henbit



Violet



Creeping Veronica



Buttercup

## Blooms in Gardens & Yards



Camelia (can be white or red also)



Tulip (can be other colors)



Phlox (can be pink or white also)



Grape Hyacinth