Recommendations for a jeweler’s loupe for looking at small flowers:

BelOMO 10x Triplet Loupe Magnifier. 21mm (.82")

Hastings Triplet Magnifiers 10X by Bausch and Lomb

You can shop for these online. You’ll want to have a cord with these for wearing around your neck, so they are easy to access and don’t get lost. You can buy a lanyard, use one you have hanging around home, or even use an old shoelace.

Field trip leaders often have extra or will share theirs around if you would prefer not to purchase one. This is entirely optional!

Binocular buying guide: <http://www.audubon.org/gear/binocular-guide>

You can visit the Seattle Audubon Nature Shop: <http://www.seattleaudubon.org/sas/Shop.aspx#TheNatureShop>

Binoculars are optional as well. We pass these around on trips, too.