School & Group Programs

Program topics offered for field trips, outreach programs, scouts, birthday parties, and other community groups.

Water Wise Classroom Challenge
Free for Arvada Schools!
Arvada 3-5th grade classrooms are tested on their water conservation knowledge in this 45-60 minute outreach presentation in your classroom.

Learn about the water cycle, the importance of water, how to keep it clean, and more with this hands-on presentation. If your class completes a take-home water activity packet, they win a pizza party on us!

For more details and information, visit www.Arvada.org/School-programs.
Sponsored by the Majestic View Nature Center and City of Arvada Water Utilities Division.

Sponsors
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The Jefferson County Outdoors Foundation partners with Majestic View Nature Center to provide our school programs. The foundation recognizes the importance of preserving and interpreting land with scenic, wildlife, natural, historical, educational and recreational value.

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Dates fill early, so please call at least 3-4 weeks before your desired date.

Book A Program
Bring your students to enjoy a memorable environmental education experience. Topics address Colorado state science standards and involve hands-on, inquiry-based learning.

Each individual program can accommodate up to 25 students, up to 75 students per day. E.g. A class of 70 students would choose three 3rd-5th grade programs for a field trip from 9-11:15 a.m., then stay to enjoy lunch in the park.

Pricing for programs is $4/student with a $30 minimum. No fee for adults or chaperones.

Or we can come to you! Outreach program pricing may differ.

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<td><strong>Nature is perfect to use your senses and make discoveries!</strong> Students will hone in on their senses as they become a newly emerged butterfly.</td>
<td><strong>Habitat Homes</strong> What is a habitat and how is it a home? Students learn about different habitats and connect with the living things in them.</td>
<td><strong>Wetland Discoveries</strong> Discover what a wetland is and explore the science behind one. Dissect a cattail, examine mud, and see what Oberon Lake might have looked like a long time ago.</td>
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<td><strong>Becoming Butterflies</strong> Discover the magical transformation from egg to butterfly. After we read a butterfly book, students flit about our garden as they become a newly emerged butterfly.</td>
<td><strong>Meet a Mammal</strong> Identify and explore some of the characteristics that define mammals along with some of their unique adaptations. Challenge yourself in these activities and remember, you're a mammal, too!</td>
<td><strong>What's That Life Cycle?</strong> From tadpole to frog, kitten to cougar, seed to tree, explore the many different life cycles of nature.</td>
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<td><strong>Feathered Friends</strong> From egg to chick to bird, discover the world of birds. Compare your wingspan and see what birds need to grow.</td>
<td><strong>Amphibian or Reptile?</strong> From dinosaurs to tadpoles, discover the similarities and differences between these two unique types of animals.</td>
<td><strong>Life In the Prairie</strong> Many species live in the prairie, from bison to prairie dogs to even us humans. So learn about how all these species interact and support each other.</td>
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<td><strong>Seed, Leaf, Grow!</strong> Trees come from seeds, and many other plants do too! Learn what it takes to make a seed grow with a game or two.</td>
<td><strong>Bird Expedition</strong> Why are birds so different? Dive into the different adaptions that help them survive and learn some of the challenges birds encounter.</td>
<td><strong>Mammal Detectives</strong> Mammals may have similar characteristics, but they live in a wide variety of habitats. Test your identification skills with scientific observations and see how form follows function.</td>
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<td><strong>Nature Connections</strong> Explore nature with observations of plants and animals. See what wildlife, and humans, need in a habitat as we make a connetion to nature.</td>
<td><strong>Insect Investigation</strong> It's a buggy world out there! Learn what makes insects special and see if you can find some to identify with a sweep net or beat sheet in the park.</td>
<td><strong>Who Polluted the Water?</strong> Take an adventure through an interactive city model to determine what polluted the water. Learn about the different sources of pollution and brainstorm ways to help prevent it in your own neighborhood.</td>
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