



2014-15
SCHOOL YEAR OUTREACH PROGRAMS
with
HUNTLEY MEADOWS PARK



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Too cold to come to the park? Can't get a bus? Just want more nature or history educational opportunities? The staff at Huntley Meadows Park and Historic Huntley can come to you for a program at your location.

Outreach programs cost \$150/class for the first program and \$100/class for each additional class for schools in Fairfax County, \$200/class for the first program and \$150/class additional classes for schools outside of Fairfax County. A class is defined as up to 30 students.

PRESCHOOL/KINDERGARTEN PROGRAMS

Preschool/kindergarten programs last 45 minutes to 1 hour.

Programs typically include a short lesson, a hands-on activity and a story.
Possible program subjects include:

Trees and Leaves and Squirrels

Science SOLs: K.1a&d, K.2, K.4a-c, K.6, K.7, K.8a, K.9b

What's In the Water

Science SOLs: K.5, K.6, K.7, K.11c

Beavers

Science SOLs: K.2, K.4a-c, K.5, K.6, K.7, K.9c, K.10

Snakes, Turtles and Frogs

Science SOLs: K.1a, K.2, K.4a-c, K.6, K.7a&d, K.9c, K.10

Insects

Science SOLs: K.1a, K.4a-c, K.6, K.7a&d, K.9c, K.10

Birds

Science SOLs: K.1A, K.4a-c, K.6, K.7a, c, d,

Owls

Science SOLs: K.1A, K.4a-c, K.6, K.7a, c, d,

Animals of the Night

Science SOLs: K.1a, K.2, K.4b&c, K.6, K.7a, c, d,

Pages through Time/ Folktales

Social Studies SOLs: K.1, K.4, K.5



ELEMENTARY PROGRAMS

Programs last 1 hour and include a short lesson with hands-on activities.

Wetlands- A Natural Treasure

grades 1-6

Explore the importance of water and wetlands to wildlife and you. Science SOLs covered: 1.1a,b,c,f,g,h, 1.8, 2.5a,b,c, 2.7, 2.8, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.8, 3.9, 3.10, 4.4d, 4.5, 4.9a&b, 5.5c, 5.7f&g, 6.5c,e&f, 6.7a,b,c,d,e,f, 6.9

Leave It To Beaver

grades 1-6

Discuss beaver life cycle and adaptations. Science SOLs covered: 1.1 a,b,c, 1.5, 1.7a, 2.4a, 2.5a,b,c, 2.7a, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.8b, 3.10, 4.5, 4.9a,b, 5.5 b,c, 6.7 a,d

Birds

grades 1-5

Learn about bird adaptations, identification, behavior and migration. Science SOLs covered: 1.5, 1.7a, 2.4a, 2.5a,b,c, 2.7a, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.8b, 3.10, 4.5, 4.9b, 5.5b,c,

Evidence – Who Was Here?

grades 1-5

When we go for a walk, we don't always see animals, but we can learn a lot from the clues they leave behind! Science SOLs covered: 1.1, 1.5, 2.1a-d, j,k, 2.4a, 2.5a,b,c, 3.1a,b,j,k, 3.4, 3.5, 3.10a, 4.1a,b,e, 4.5, 4.9b, 5.1a&I, 5.5b,c

Nocturnal Nature

grades 1-5

Find out more about what happens outside after dark! While many creatures are getting ready to rest, the animals on the night shift are just starting their day. Science SOLs covered: 1.5, 1.7a&b, 2.4a, 2.5a,b,c, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.8a&b, 3.10a, 4.5, 4.9b, 5.5b,c

Fur, Feathers and Scales

grades 1-5

Investigate vertebrate classification with activities to explore the differences between mammals, birds, reptiles, amphibians and fish. 1.5b&c, 2.4a, 3.4, 3.8b, 4.5a, 4.9b, 5.5b&c

Insects

grades 1-4

Learn what makes an insect, an insect, how they are different from spiders, and some of the amazing adaptations that let some lift 150 times their body weight or travel thousands of miles. Science SOLs covered: 1.5, 2.4a, 2.4 a, b&c, 3.4, 3.5a&c, 4.5, 4.9b, 5.5b&c

Farming Fairfax

grades 1-4

The agricultural and rural past of Fairfax County has become obscured by the modern subdivisions and strip malls. By using maps, images, documents, and artifacts students will learn to peel-back the present and investigate Huntley Meadows Park to discover its farming past.

SOLs covered: Social Studies: 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.7, 2.9, VS.1a-g, VS.1i, VS.3b, VS.3e, VS.3f, VS.3g, VS.4a, VS.4d, VS.6c, USI.1a-d, USI.1f, USI.1i, USI.5c, USI.8c, USII.1a-d, USII.1f, USII.1i, USII.2b, USII.2c, USII.4b, USII.8e, Science: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, 2.7, 2.8, 4.4, 4.5, 4.6, 4.9

American Indian Culture

grades 1-4

The Taux (Dogue) made the Hybla Valley home and the land that is Huntley Meadows offered a wealth of resources. Through artifacts (reproductions), stories and pictures learn about how the Douge and Powhatan would have used the abundant resources of the Hybla Valley. SOLs covered: Social Studies: 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, VS.1a-g, VS.1i, VS.2b-d, VS.2e, VS.2f, USI.1a-d, USI.1f, USI.1i, USI.3a, USI.3c, Science: 2.4 2.5, 2.6, 2.7, 2.8, 4.4, 4.5, 4.6, 4.9

Additional Topics Available Upon Request

Huntley Meadows Park and Historic Huntley can cover most SOL learning objectives, if you do not see an SOL listed above, but would like a program with us, please contact us.

Financial Aid

If your school or student has financial difficulties in meeting program costs, please call us to discuss options for financial assistance.