

Want to book a field trip?

Field trips at Lone Pine are available Tuesdays through Fridays during the fall and spring months. To book your field trip, please contact Hillary Holt at 755-2706, Ext. 4. All education programs are **FREE** of charge and are booked on a first come, first served basis.



Lone Pine State Park's educational programs emphasize hands-on activities and are designed with both state and Northwest Curriculum Cooperative education standards in mind.



Directions to Lone Pine:

Lone Pine State Park is located 4 miles southwest of Kalispell. Travel on Highway 93 Alternate to the Foy's Lake Road Roundabout. Travel west on Foy's Lake Road for approximately 2.7 miles. Turn left on Lone Pine Road and follow to the park entrance at the end of the road.



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Conservation Education Programs



Lone Pine State Park offers a variety of field trips and children's programs throughout the year. Inside you'll find a brief description of our current fall and spring field trips. We are also willing to work with your group to create a field trip suitable to your needs.

Field Trip Descriptions

Trees and Forest Ecology 1

Grade Level: Preschool – 1st
Program Length: 45 minutes

Program Description:

From role-playing growing trees to taking a “micro-hike,” this program provides plenty of hands-on opportunities for youngsters. Students will discover what a tree needs to grow, observe tree characteristics, and learn basic components of a forest ecosystem.



Trees and Forest Ecology 2

Grade Level: 3rd-5th
Program Length: 1 ½ hours

Program Description:

This program focuses on forest ecology. Through activities, discussion and hiking, students will be able to identify tree parts and learn their functions, discover what lives in the forest, and learn how the forest changes over time.

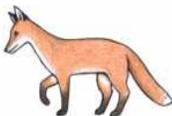


Forest Habitat

Grade Level: K- 2nd
Program Length: 1 ½ hours

Program Description:

This program allows students to discover a forest habitat. Using indoor and outdoor activities, students will learn about forest animals and plants and their relationships to one another.



Insects

Grade Level: 1st – 3rd
Program Length: 1 ½ hours

Program Description:

Highlight your insect unit with this fun-filled program. Students will review insect attributes, learn the four life stages, practice insect communication and investigate insects in their natural habitat.



Skulls, Skins and Bones

Grade Level: 3rd- 6th
Program Length: 1 ½ hours

Program Description:

Your students will be given a background in animal classification using various skulls, skins, and bones. Students will participate in activities that practice recognizing animal behaviors based on adaptations using animal parts as clues.



Water Ecology

Grade Level: 3rd- 6th
Program Length: 3 ½ hours

Program Description:

A great program for grades studying the water cycle, this program discusses water quantity and quality, the value of water to all living things, and water’s role in altering landscapes.



Survival Skills

Grade Level: 5th- 12th
Program Length: 2 hours

Program Description:

Your students will enjoy this active approach to learning important methods for surviving in the outdoors. Students will understand how to plan ahead and be prepared for their outdoor adventure as well as take a mini-survival hike to practice their new skills.



Explorers of the Flathead Valley

Grade Level: 3rd- 12th
Program Length: 3 ½ hours

Program Description:

Through interactive activities, sensory hikes, and a complex role-playing trading game, your students will experience the Flathead Valley as the first European explorers did.



New Program!

Birdie Basics

Grade Level: Preschool – 1st
Program Length: 45 min – 1 hr

Program Description:

Birdie Basics allows children to learn about the world of birds through stories, dance, and hands-on outdoor exploration! Students will learn the basic parts of a bird, be able to describe how different birds move, and discover what makes up a bird's special environment.

