Programs

- Scouts may also choose trips from our Field Trip Program Brochure.
- We do offer outreach, please inquire about best program offerings.
- ♦ All programs adhere to the badge guidelines as outlined in the official BPSA, BSA and GSUSA badge requirements.
- The education staff will attempt to complete as many requirements as possible for each badge. In some cases, your group's punctuality and cooperation may dictate how many of the requirements will need to be completed at home.
- ♦ All programs include hands-on, multidisciplinary activities

Program Details

Fees:

\$12 per visitor for each 1.5-hour field trip program; \$175 for each outreach program. Additional fees may apply for craft materials.

Length & Setting of Field Trips: Each program is approximately 1.5 hours long. All on-site programs include a nature hike (in case of inclement weather, indoor activities will replace the nature hike).

When:

Monday thru Friday between 9:00 am and 5:00 pm with occasional weeknights scheduled. Saturday 10am-2pm. After hour fees may apply at \$25 per half hour, \$50 per hour.

More Information:

- Cancellations must be made in writing at least 10 business days prior to your visit date or you will be billed for 50% of your program fee.
- At least 1 adult chaperone per 10 students is required. Kindergarten classes must have 1 adult chaperone per 6 students.
- To best enjoy your trip, please remember to dress for the weather and wet conditions at the Center.
- You may bring a pre-trip snack for the Scouts.

Scouting Programs

For Boys & Girls









Essex County Environmental Center

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Earn Your Badges at the ECEC!



Service Projects

The Environmental Center has many ways for you to earn environmental conservation and stewardship service hours or complete an Eagle Scout or Gold/Silver Scout Project.

Previous projects have included:

- ♦ Trail building & maintenance
- **♦** Sign Painting
- ♦ Building bird houses
- ♦ Building benches, kiosks, fences & wildlife blinds
- ♦ Building trail boardwalks

For More Information or to Request a Trip

Email David Alexander dalexander@parks.essexcountynj.org

with your name, troop number, address, phone number, number of scouts and requested trip date.

Or Call **973.228.8776**

Boy Scouts

Lion Cub; (Kindergarten)

- **♦** Mountain Lion
- Ready, Set, Grow

Tiger Cubs (Grade 1)

- Backyard Jungle (+\$15 for bird house)
- ♦ Tigers in the Wild

Wolf Cub; (Grade 2)

- Paws on the Path
- ♦ Call of the Wild
- ♦ American Indian Lore Elective
- ♦ Birds Elective
- **♦** Fishing Elective

Bear Cub; (Grade 3)

- Fur, Feathers and Ferns
- ♦ A Bear Goes Fishing
- **♦ Super Science**

Webelos (Grades 4-5)

- ♦ Castaway (3 hours)
- ♦ Into the Wild
- Into the Woods

Girl Scouts

Daisies Petals (Grades K-1)

- ♦ Make the World a Better Place (rose petal)
- Use Resources Wisely (green petal)
- ♦ Buddy Camper

Brownies Try-Its (Grades 2-3)

- ♦ Bugs (Legacy Badge)
- ♦ Home Scientist
- ♦ Household Elf
- ♦ Senses
- Outdoor Adventure
- ♦ Hiker
- Letterboxer

Juniors Badges (Grades 4-5)

- ♦ Flowers (Legacy Badge)
- ♦ Drawing (Legacy Badge)
- ♦ Gardener
- ♦ Camper (optional +\$2 for popcorn/tea)
- Animal Habitats
- Outdoor Art Explorer

Cadette and Senior Badges

- ♦ Trees (Legacy Badge)
- Night Owl (Outdoor Journey)
- Trail Blazing (Outdoor Journey)
- Adventurer (It's Your Planet—Love It!)
 Choose between a 2hr hike or canoe trip*.
 For canoe trips minimum age is ten.

(*see canoe trip brochure for more information or call 973.228.8776)