BIO-BLITZ! Get Outside Grades 4-5

July 11 - 15 9 am to 3 pm

A BioBlitz is an adventure that involves finding and identifying as many species as possible in a specific area. In this camp students will spend the week observing natural phenomena, identifying different species of organisms, classifying them into categories, and mapping the data. Using a variety of methods, students will collect specimens and keep a journal of field experiences. Students should be prepared to spend time outdoors walking in the woods and along the creek.



Monday LEARN TECHNIQUES OF OBSERVING AND RECORDING OBSERVATIONS

LEARN HOW EACH OF THE FIVE SENSES CAN BE USED TO OBSERVE

CHOOSE A HABITAT AND BEGIN OBSERVING

Tuesday LEARN TO GROUP ITEMS BASED ON CHARACTERISTICS

PRACTICE CLASSIFYING

Wednesday CHOOSE A NEW HABITAT AND BEGIN OBSERVING

LEARN ABOUT DIFFERENT ORGANISMS THAT ARE HARD TO SPOT

TAKE NOTES ON THEIR OBSERVATIONS AND MAKE SKETCHES

Thursday LEARN TO MAP A HABITAT INCLUDING NATURAL AND HUMAN FEATURES

MAP HABITAT

Friday SHARE WORK WITH OTHER STUDENTS

CREATE BIODIVERSITY POSTER