

EXPLORE THE REEC

Seasonal Scientist Series

Explore the ever changing environments of the Boyce Mayview Park with the Regional Environmental Education Center's (REEC) Seasonal Scientist Series. Experienced REEC staff guide students through the who, what, where, why and how of various nature based topics. Through outdoor, hands-on experiences students will focus on different topics each season, learning through fun, interactive programs, crafts, stories and field experiences.

Eligibility: Ages 8 – 12
Time: **Summer Session**
9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., Monday – Thursday

Meeting Place: . REEC offices, 1571 Mayview Road

Fee: Summer \$130 per student

Summer July 27 - 30 Kingdom Animalia

Kingdom Animalia will focus on the many animals found throughout the world. Learn how animals are classified and try your hand discovering new species! Students will be introduced to the scientific classification of animals (taxonomy) while learning to talk like a zoologist.

REEC Jr. Naturalist Summer Day Camp

"Everything Little"

NEW! The earlier children learn to appreciate their natural surroundings the better chance they'll grow up to respect and preserve it! REEC is proud to continue these programs specifically designed for students ages 4-6. These week-long camps include themed daily interactive, hands-on activities meant to engage younger minds. Students will discover a whole new world while learning about this year's theme of "Everything Little". Each day will present new little things that are found in nature and a guided exploration walk. A light snack is provided daily.

Eligibility: Ages 4-5 (PreK) Ages 5-6 (K)
Dates: June 8 – 12 June 22 – 26
Days: Monday – Friday Monday – Friday
Time: 9:00 a.m. – Noon 9:00 a.m. – Noon
Meeting Place: REEC offices
1571 Mayview Road
Fee: \$125 per student

Eco-Kids Summer Day Camp

"Everything Little"

All new surprises await Eco-Kids this year as we delve into the itty-bitty worlds of Boyce Mayview Park. Expand your mind while exploring the hidden mini environments around the Regional Environmental Education Center (REEC). Join the experienced REEC staff for a week of hands-on outdoor fun and learning through guided field excursions, interactive nature talks, games and eco-friendly crafts.

Eligibility: Ages 7 – 10
Dates: July 13 – 17
Days: Monday through Friday
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Meeting Place: . REEC offices
1571 Mayview Road
Fee: \$130 per student

Bullfrogs and Pollywogs

This summer brings exciting new programs for our little Pollywogs at the REEC! Designed for preschool children ages 3-4 and their mom, dad or caregiver; each program will allow children to explore, develop their senses and foster a love of nature during their impressionable early years. Classes involve a short stroll in the Boyce Mayview Park, a story and an active lesson. Class maximum of 10 children.

Eligibility: Children ages 3 – 4 and an adult
Dates: June 17, 24 and July 1, 8 and 15
Days: Wednesdays
Time: 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Meeting Place: . REEC offices
1571 Mayview Road
Fee: \$65.00 for the series -or-
\$15.00 per class
\$2.00 each additional adult

***For more information and to register
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