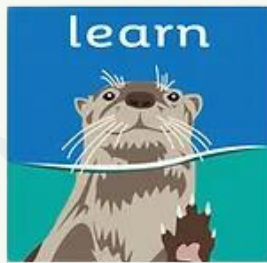


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DISCOVERY MUSEUM



FIELD TRIP PACKET

Our mission is to foster an appreciation of Delmarva's unique natural and cultural heritage through education, exploration, and enjoyment.



Animal Adaptation Programs

Learn about the animals that inhabit Delmarva and their adaptations.

Discovery Programs

Learn about how we affect Delmarva through hands on programming.



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Thank you for choosing the Delmarva Discovery Museum (DDM)! We are passionate about inspiring an appreciation for the natural and cultural heritage of the Delmarva Peninsula. Located along the scenic Pocomoke River in Pocomoke City, Maryland, our 16,000-square-foot, brick building serves as a vibrant hub for exploration and learning. Over the years, we have proudly welcomed summer camps, scout troops, and adult groups. Please take a moment to review this guide and let us know how we can assist you. We look forward to your visit!

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Booking your Field Trip

Contact us at least two weeks in advance of your desired field trip date by email at fieldtrips@delmarvadiscoverycenter.org, or fill out a field trip request form at www.delmarvadiscoverycenter.org/field-trips-1

Information needed when emailing us

Please provide:

- Name of group
- Name and address of organization or school
- Desired field trip date
- Contact person's name, phone number, and email address
- Back-up contact information
- Grade Level
- Number of participants for the field trip
- Number of chaperones
- Number of staff
- Arrival and Departure times (**we ask the arrival be between 10-10:30 am and departure time be no later than 12 pm**)
- Desired Programs
- Special needs of your group/students

Common Questions?

Groups larger than 80 students

Groups with over 80 students will have to be split between 2 days.

How many programs can your group chose?

The maximum number of programs your group can book is 3 programs.

How are field trips scheduled?

Field trips requests are arranged in the order of confirmation responses recieved, following a first-come, first served approach.

Lunch Groups

We can accommodate 40 students in our steam lab for lunch at the museum.

Field Trip Payment

An estimated invoice will be sent prior to your field trip. **Final headcounts must be submitted at least one business day before your scheduled trip so we can update your invoice accordingly.** We no longer adjust invoices on the day of the visit; the invoice will reflect the most recent headcount provided in advance.

How to give payment

Mail or bring a check

- Please make checks payable to "Delmarva Discovery Museum"
- Mail to: 2 Market Street, Pocomoke City, Maryland 21851.
- Include name of school, grade, and date of field trip on the memo line.
- Credit card payment over the phone (MasterCard or Visa, we do not accept Discover or American Express).
- Cash or Credit Card payment the day of the program

Cancellations

To cancel a field trip, notify DDM staff at least two business days in advance. Field trips may be rescheduled due to extreme weather. DDM will inform the group representative if bad weather occurs and will post updates on social media and news outlets if closed. DDM does operate off of the Worcester County Public School System Closures for weather.

Field Trip Rates

Students

\$7.00/student

Teachers/Staff

FREE

Chaperones/Parents

\$5.00 /Chaperone

Program Rates

\$2.00/program

Funfull, Memberships & Discounts do not apply to Field Trips

Program Rates

1 Program

\$9.00 / student

2 Programs

\$11.00 / student

3 Programs

\$13.00 / student

Museum Rules

1. PLEASE DO NOT TAP ON THE ANIMAL ENCLOSURES OR AQUARIUMS

2. PLEASE USE INSIDE VOICES INSIDE THE MUSEUM

3. PLEASE USE WALKING FEET INSIDE THE MUSEUM

4. PLEASE RESPECT ALL OF OUR DISPLAYS AND EXHIBITS

5. PLEASE STAY WITH YOUR GROUP AND LISTEN TO YOUR INSTRUCTOR

6. SCHOOLS AND ORGANIZATIONS WILL BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY AND ALL DAMAGES CAUSED BY THEIR STUDENTS OR GROUPS.



PROGRAMS

EACH PROGRAM IS 25 – 30 MINUTES

OUR PROGRAMS

Animal Adaptation Programs

All about Otters–
Learn about our native otters

Cold Blooded Friends
Learn & meet our native reptiles.

Fashion a Fish
Explore fish adaptations through creativity.

Sharks & Rays
Explore the world of sharks.

Discovery Programs

Native Americans of Delmarva
Learn about Native Americans daily lives.

Recycle Delmarva
Explore why our beaches need to be clean

Nature Detectives – Pre-k &
Kindergarten
Become detectives & use your senses to
find nature items.

THE OTTER PROGRAM HAS A MAXIMUM CAPACITY OF 40 STUDENTS. BECAUSE THE OTTERS EAT DURING THIS SESSION, WE SCHEDULE IT TO COINCIDE WITH THEIR BREAKFAST TIME. PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS PROGRAM IS OFFERED ONLY ONCE PER DAY AND CANNOT BE REPEATED.

WE CAN ALSO ASSIST IN BOOKING GROUPS FOR STURGIS ONE ROOM SCHOOL MUSEUM.

THIS IS A GUIDED TOUR OF THE ONLY AFRICAN AMERICAN ONE ROOM SCHOOL HOUSE IN WORCESTER COUNTY RETAINING ITS ORIGINAL INTEGRITY.

THE STURGIS ONE ROOM SCHOOL MUSEUM CAN ONLY ACCOMMODATE 15–20 STUDENTS AT A TIME. THIS TOUR CAN BE ADDED TO A PROGRAM ROTATION.

