



2019 Fall Home School Programs Guide

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HOME SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Nature awareness programs for all ages of home schooled children. The goal of this program is to introduce children to the outdoors in a fun, active and non-threatening educational environment.

Register for Home School Programs:

- Registration opens Wednesday, August 21 at 7 a.m. for home school programs.
- Pre-registration is required for all classes and programs.
- All participants must sign a waiver prior to attending class.

There are three ways to register for classes

- 1. Surf to our website at www.outdoorcampus.org
- 2. Sign up in person at The Outdoor Campus. We have a computer available for your use Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- 3. Call us at 605.362.2777

Cancellations

Many programs fill quickly. PLEASE call us or cancel on the website as soon as possible if you cannot attend a class. Thank you!

Hunting With Derek

Who wants to learn to deer hunt? This year I will once again be taking participants out deer hunting. We will be going to the gun range to get comfortable shooting then we go on a deer hunt.

The goal of this class is to introduce and/ or make students/families more comfortable hunting in hopes of building a lifelong passion for hunting. I will be looking for families that are interested in participating and will set up a time to interview and answer any questions you may have.

Parents/guardians are required to attend. This is available to anyone 10 years and up. Adults are encouraged to sign up as well.

If you think this is something that may interest you, please contact me directly at 605.362.2732 or email me at derek.klawitter@state.sd.us.



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September

Canoe and Kayak Basics

Come learn basic safety and paddling strokes, and then practice your new skills on our pond in canoes and kayaks.

Class date: Friday, September 6, 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon

Archery Basics

Come join us and learn how to safely handle and shoot a youth sized bow and arrow. We will practice our aim on our 3-D animal targets and learn how to take an ethical shot. Class Date: Tuesday, September 10, 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Catch it, Clean it, Cook it.

Learn the basics of what it takes to fish in SD and how to do it safely. We will go over the basics of catching fish, cleaning them, and finally cooking them.

Class Date: Friday, September 20, 10 a.m. to 12 noon

Reptiles

What does it take to be a reptile? Join us to find out all about these fascinating critters. Class Date: Tuesday, September 24, 1 to 2:30 p.m.



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October

Fishing Fun

Learn the basics of what it takes to fish in SD and how to do it safely. We'll talk about basic equipment, safety and ethics before heading out to the pond and dropping in a line.

Class Date: Friday October 4, 10-11:30 a.m.

Pheasant Hunting Basics

Learn about our state bird and why it's so popular. We will learn all the ins and outs of hunting pheasants in South Dakota.

Class Date: Tuesday October 8, 1 to 2:30 p.m.

Archery Basics

Come join us and learn how to safely handle and shoot a youth sized bow and arrow. We will practice our aim on our 3-D animal targets and learn how to take an ethical shot.

Class Date: Tuesday, October 15, 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Mountain Lions

Learn about the largest cat in South Dakota. There might also be some cooking involved with this class as well.

Class Date: Tuesday, October 22, 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Fall Nature Hike

Exploring our trails is a fun and exciting time, especially in the fall. This hike with have you "falling" for the outdoors.

Class Date: Tuesday, October 29, 1 to 2:30 p.m.

November

BB Guns and Air Rifle Basics

Learn all about the basics of safely operating BB guns and air rifles and spend the rest of the time on our range practicing.

Class Date: Friday, November 8, 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Orienteering and Map and Compass Skills

Join us as we will go over the basics on using a compass and then put your skills to use on our orienteering trails.

Class Date: Wednesday November 13, 1:30 to 3 p.m.

Deer

Learn all about deer. We will be going over their habits, learning to hunt them and doing some taste testing as well.

Class Date: Tuesday November 19, 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Turkey Time

Learn all about turkeys. Come hungry!

Class Date: Tuesday, November 26, 10 to 11:30 a.m.