



# The Outdoor Campus Sioux Falls



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2020-2021 | **Winter Homeschool**

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[outdoorcampus.org](http://outdoorcampus.org)

# Homeschool Programs

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

## Register for Homeschool Programs:

- Registration opens Wednesday, November 25, at 8 a.m. for homeschool 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](http://www.outdoorcampus.org)
2. Sign up in person at The Outdoor Campus. 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!

## IMPORTANT NEW INFORMATION

- All classes held at The Outdoor Campus will be outside, so please dress for the weather. If you have questions about class being held due to weather conditions, please call.
- When you arrive for class, we will meet outside at the back doors.

## Zoom Classes

- Families will need to pick up a material packet prior to class.
- We will email a Zoom ID to each family to log into class with.

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## December

### Homeschool Only Programs:

Nature awareness programs all ages of children who are homeschooled.

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### Track ID Hike

Come join us and learn to identify animals by the tracks they leave behind.

**Class Date:** Thursday December 3, 10:00 to 11:00 and Thursday December 10, 1:30 to 2:30

### Owls and Owl Pellet Basics—ZOOM CLASS

Come learn all about this fascinating night creature and find out what it had for lunch while you dissect an owl pellet.

**Class Date:** Wednesday December 9, 10:00 to 11:00 and 1:30 to 2:30

### Frogs and Frog Dissection—ZOOM CLASS

Back by popular demand. Liver, intestine, and heart OH MY! Join us to find out all about Frog Anatomy. If you took this class last winter, please let others sign up first.

**Class Date:** Thursday December 17, 10:00 to 11:00 and 1:00 to 2:00

### Winter Adventure Camp

Spend the morning at The Outdoor Campus as we introduce you to a multitude of activities that can be enjoyed during the South Dakota winters. We might try our luck on the pond searching for fish below the ice, cross country ski on our trails or trek through the drifts on snowshoes among other activities.

Activities subject to change due to adverse weather conditions

**Class Date:** Tuesday December 29, 1:00 to 3:00 and Wednesday December 30 1:00 to 3:00



**Prairie photo contest winner**

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## January

### Predator Hunting Basics

Come learn all about hunting predators of SD. We will learn all the ins and outs of hunting coyotes, fox and other predators that call South Dakota home.

**Class Date:** Tuesday January 5, 1:30 to 2:30 and Thursday January 7, 1:30 to 2:30

### Snowshoeing Fun

Snowshoeing is a fun and easy way to explore the outdoors in winter – and get exercise too! Wear hiking or winter boots.

**Class Date:** Wednesday January 13, 1:00 to 2:30 and Friday January 15, 1:00 to 2:30

### Ice Fishing

Get a short introduction to ice fishing, then go fishing on our pond. We provide the equipment, but please dress for the weather.

**Class Date:** Tuesday January 19, 1:00 to 2:30 and Thursday January 21, 1:00 to 2:30

### Cross-country Skiing Basics

Get hands-on instruction in cross-country skiing and related equipment, then head outdoors for guided practice on our trails. Parents are encouraged to attend...

**Class Date:** Tuesday January 26, 1:00 to 2:30 and Friday January 29, 1:00 to 2:30

## February

### Snowshoeing Fun

Snowshoeing is a fun and easy way to explore the outdoors in winter – and get exercise too! Wear hiking or winter boots.

**Class Date:** Tuesday February 2, 1:00 to 2:30 and Thursday February 4, 1:00 to 2:30

### Rabbit Hunting Basics

Join us as we learn all about hunting rabbits. We will go over everything you need to know and will go on a mock rabbit hunt here at the campus.

**Class Date:** Wednesday February 10, 10:00 to 11:00 and Friday February 12, 10:00 to 11:00

### Cross-country Skiing

Get hands-on instruction in cross-country skiing and related equipment, then head outdoors for guided practice on our trails.

**Class Date:** Tuesday February 16, 10:00 to 11:30 and Friday February 19, 1:00 to 2:30

### Ice Fishing

Get a short introduction to ice fishing, then go fishing on our pond. We provide the equipment, but please dress for the weather.

**Class Date:** Tuesday February 23, 1:00 to 2:30 and Thursday February 25, 1:00 to 2:30