

Audubon Naturalist Society

SCHOOL PROGRAMS

2011 - 2012

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Curriculum Standards!

Our programs meet Maryland and MCPS Science Standards, AND Virginia Science SOLs and Science Foundation Blocks. Visit ANShome.org/school for more details.

Choices!

Take your class on a field trip to one of our nature sanctuaries OR have our naturalists bring a nature program right into your classroom.

Who We Are

The Audubon Naturalist Society (ANS) is the oldest independent environmental organization in the Washington, DC region. ANS is a pioneer in environmental education. Our mission is to inspire residents of the greater Washington, DC region through outdoor experiences, education and advocacy.

Environmental Educational Programs

Our Educational Programs encourage students in public, private and home school groups to learn by interacting with nature. Our programs foster natural curiosity, enrich classroom experiences and help youngsters connect with their environment.

ANS Environmental Education Programs:

- provide hands-on experiences with nature;
- include a nature hike and use of natural history artifacts and/or scientific tools;
- teach environmental stewardship skills;
- foster problem solving and critical thinking skills;
- support curriculum standards; and
- are led by natural history experts/experienced teachers.

Choices!

Naturalist Visits Your Classroom

We bring quality environmental education programs to you! Together, we'll explore nature in your classroom, schoolyard, nearby park, pond or creek.

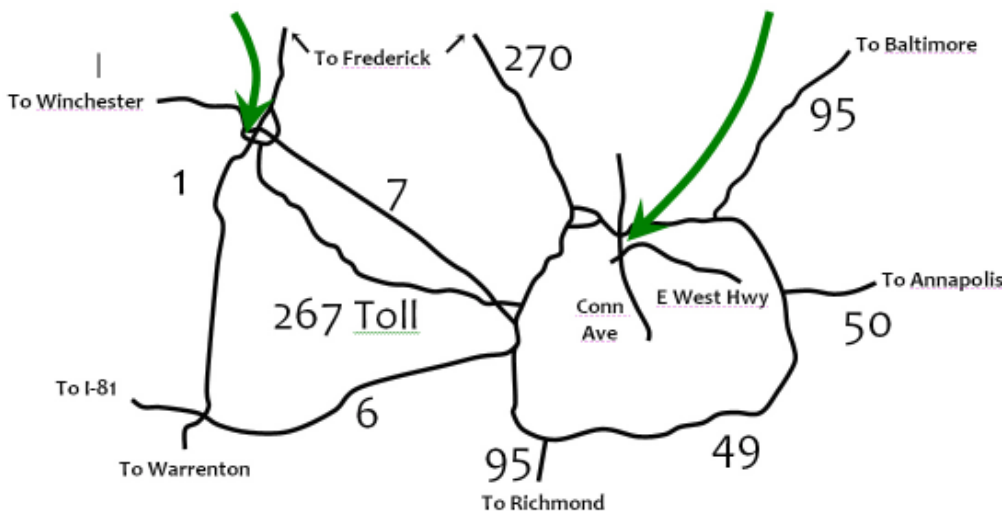
OR

Your Class Visits Our Sanctuary





















































































Bring your classes to learn at one of our fabulous nature sanctuaries. Your students will see wildlife and learn about their environment first hand at our beautiful nature preserves.

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Leesburg, Virginia 20175

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Guide to ANS School Programs

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* - Naturalist in Your Classroom program only

** - Naturalist in Your Classroom or Field Trip to Woodend or Rust

No * - Field Trip only program to Woodend or Rust

Early Childhood Programs (Preschool - Grade 2)

ANS Early Childhood Programs:

- include **multi-sensory nature activities**;
- nurture young children's **natural curiosity**;
- foster process skills including **observing, measuring, classifying**;
- encourage children to **care for the environment**.

Program Fees

1 Hour Program: \$4.50 per student. \$65 minimum.
1½ Hour Program: \$5.00 per student. \$75 minimum.
45 Minute Assembly: \$3.00 per student. \$150 minimum.

Assembly: A Day in the Life of a Forest

Fun, affordable and educational!

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 45 minutes

VA Science Foundation Blocks: 1, 4

VA Science SOLs: K.6, K.8, K.9; 1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 1.7; 2.5, 2.8

MCPS Science Units: K LIT; Grade 2 LCB

Spend a day in the forest without leaving your school! Students learn about **animals** and **plants** in **forest ecosystems** in this fun, **interactive** assembly. Students take center stage and act out the habits of wildlife throughout the day and night. A live snake presentation is the *highlight* of the assembly.

This program can accommodate up to 200 students.

Animal Habitats

Grade 2 only

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1½ hours

VA Science SOLs: 2.4, 2.5, 2.7, 2.8

MCPS Science Units: Grade 2 LCB

Join us as we learn about the food, water, shelter and space needs of forest and meadow animals. Students explore the nature sanctuary to hunt for animal **habitats** and learn about animal **life cycles** throughout the seasons.

Scholarship Information

If more than 50% of your school's children are in the free or reduced lunch program (FARMS), we may be able to reduce your program fee with a scholarship. Please contact us to receive a scholarship application.

Birds of a Feather

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1 hour

VA Science Foundation Blocks: 1, 3, 4, 6

VA Science SOLs: K.1, K.2, K.6, K.8, K.9; 1.1, 1.4, 1.5, 1.7; 2.1, 2.4, 2.7

MCPS Science Units: K LIT; Grade 2 LCB

Photo by Kevin Oxenrider



On a hike, we'll learn to identify common birds and explore **bird anatomy, life cycles, behavior, and adaptations** through the seasons. Students will explore **characteristics** of birds through hands-on activities with bird beaks, feet, and feathers.

Discovery Hunt

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1 hour

VA Science Foundation Blocks: 1, 3, 4, 6

VA Science SOLs: K.1, K.2, K.6, K.8, K.9; 1.1, 1.4, 1.5, 1.7; 2.1, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, 2.7, 2.8

MCPS Science Units: Pre-K UNC; K LIT; Grade 1 WAM

Join a **multisensory** adventure where students observe the **sky, animals, and plants** to find clues about the **seasons**. By the end of our hike, children will understand the difference between **living and non-living** things and **natural vs. human-made** materials. If you have a special interest in one aspect of nature, let us know!

Life Cycles

Grade 2 only

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring, 1½ hours

VA Science SOLs: 2.1, 2.4, 2.7

MCPS Science Units: Grade 2 LCB



In this program, we'll investigate **life cycles** and **metamorphosis** through the **seasons**. We'll explore the environment for evidence of life stages, including **caterpillars** and **butterflies** and **seeds** and **trees**. If you have a special interest in the life cycle of a particular creature, let us know!

Nature in Winter

Offered in Winter; 1 hour

VA Science Foundation Blocks: 1, 3, 4, 6

VA Science SOLs: K.1, K.2, K.6, K.8, K.9, 1.4, 1.5, 1.7, 2.1, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.7, 2.8

MCPS Science Units: Pre-K UNC; K LIT; Grade 1 WAM; Grade 2 LCB, LID

Even on cold days, our local **ecosystem** is teeming with life! Students use **observation skills** to hunt down animal tracks and scat. On a hike, they'll discover clues about **life cycles** in winter. We'll use **thermometers**, study the **science of snowflakes**, and discover how animals and plants use **migration** and **hibernation** to cope with cold.

Reptile or Amphibian

Kindergarten - Grade 2

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1 hour

VA Science SOLs: K.1, K.4, K.6, K.8; 1.1, 1.4, 1.5; 2.1, 2.4

MCPS Science Units: K LIT; Grade 2 LCB



One of our sanctuary reptiles will help teach students about the amazing **adaptations of reptiles and amphibians** and their fascinating

life cycles. Students will learn first hand how reptiles and amphibians fit into the local **food web** by working through hands-on, multi-sensory discovery stations.

Small Creatures for Small Hands

Offered in Fall and Spring; 1 hour

VA Science Foundation Blocks: 1, 3, 4, 7

VA Science SOLs: K.1, K.6, 1.1, 1.4, 1.5, 1.8, 2.1, 2.4, 2.5, 2.8

MCPS Science Units: Pre-K UNC; K LIT; Grade 1 RSS; Grade 2 LCB

We'll dig through soil and explore the world of creepy crawly **insects**, **worms**, and **decomposers** living under our feet. Students will **classify** animals into groups, find out how **soil** is made, and study the **life cycles** and micro-**habitats** of organisms in soil and compost. On our hike, we'll find many small creatures in our environment.

My favorite part is the knowledge and enthusiasm of the guide and the wonder of the Audubon sanctuary itself.
- Elementary school teacher

Water Wonders

Offered in Fall and Spring; 1 hour

VA Science Foundation Blocks: 1, 3, 4, 6

VA Science SOLs: K.1, K.2, K.4, K.5, K.6, 1.1, 1.4, 1.5, 1.7, 1.8, 2.1, 2.4, 2.5, 2.7, 2.8

MCPS Science Units: Pre-K PSW, UNC; K LIT; Grade 2 LCB, LID

In this WET program, we'll discover animals and plants that call our pond or your local **aquatic habitat** home. Students use dip nets and hand lenses to search for tadpoles, insect larvae, and algae. They'll learn about **life cycles** and **food webs** of aquatic plants and animals. We may get muddy and wet. Please dress appropriately!

Wonderful Worms

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1 hour

VA Science Foundation Blocks: 1, 3, 4, 7

VA Science SOLs: K.1, K.2, K.6, K.10; 1.1, 1.4, 1.5, 1.8; 2.1, 2.4, 2.5, 2.8

MCPS Science Units: Pre-K UNC; K LIT; Grade 1 RSS; Grade 2 LCB

In this wiggly, indoor program, students study **earthworm anatomy, habitat**, and their role as **decomposers**. We'll conduct simple **experiments** (without hurting any critters!) to study earthworm body structure and **life cycles**. Students learn about composting and construct a compost bin.



It was a great time! The children requested that we just have school from now on at your facility. We were so pleased that even children who aren't normally excited by worms, etc. took a big interest in the topic. Thanks!
- Elementary school teacher

Upper Elementary Programs (Grades 3 - 5)

ANS Upper Elementary Programs:

- introduce science principles through hands-on nature activities;
- encourage the use of scientific vocabulary;
- foster process skills including inferring, predicting, and formulating hypotheses;
- encourage students to take action for environmental stewardship.

Program Fees

1½ Hour Program: \$5.00 per student. \$75 minimum.

2 Hour Program: \$5.50 per student. \$85 minimum.

45 Minute Assembly: \$3.00 per student. \$150 minimum.



Amazing Adaptations

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1½ hours

VA Science SOLs: 3.4, 3.5, 3.10; 4.5; 5.5

MCPS Science Units: Grade 3 PDG; Grade 4 ECO, LIF

On a hike, students will examine **teeth and talons, thorns and tendrils** and the amazing array of **structures and behaviors** that help plants and animals stay alive. We'll identify survival **adaptations** and search for real life examples of adaptations in many **habitats**. A live animal presentation concludes this exciting program.

Animal Habitats

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1 hour for Naturalist in Your Classroom, 1½ hours for Field Trip

VA Science SOLs: 3.4, 3.6; 4.5

MCPS Science Units: Grade 4 ECO, LIF

Join us to explore the food, water, shelter, and space needs of flora and fauna. Students learn about **animal habitats, life cycles, and survival adaptations**. We'll study **animal behavior** including **migration and hibernation**, then examine **human impact** on habitats and ways we can help wildlife in our own backyards.



Assembly: Climate Change Theater

Fun, affordable and educational!

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 45 minutes

VA Science SOLs: 3.10

MCPS Science Units: Grade 3 PGD; Grade 4 ECO, LIF; Grade 5 ATR

This assembly helps students understand humans' role in producing **greenhouse gases**, the **greenhouse effect** and **climate change**. Students take the stage as the **sun, herbivores, and carnivores**, act out the carbon cycle and demonstrate climate change. Students finish the play by identifying actions that reduce carbon dioxide emissions.

This program can accommodate up to 200 students.

Everyone loved seeing all of the animals in their habitats. It was such a relaxed atmosphere. You made it easy to ask questions, adults and students alike. It felt like we barely saw the other half of our group, making it feel like it was just us out exploring.
- *Elementary school teacher*

Eco-Action

Offered in Fall and Spring; 1 hour for Naturalist in Your Classroom, 1 ½ hours for Field Trip
VA science SOLs: 3.4, 3.5, 3.7, 3.10; 4.5, 4.8; 5.5, 5.7
MCPS Science Units: Grade 4 ECO; Grade 5 ATR

Students take action in the environment while learning about **composting** and nature's **recyclers: fungi, bacteria, and invertebrates**. We'll examine the creatures that **decompose** debris and identify their **anatomy and adaptations**.



Students will learn techniques for creating healthy compost bins at home and school.

Exploring Your Outdoor Classroom

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1 hour
VA Science SOLs: 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7; 4.4, 4.5, 4.8; 5.7
MCPS Science Units: Grade 3 PGD, Grade 4 EAS, ECO, LIF; Grade 5 ATR

On a hike, we'll identify and observe **flora and fauna** in your schoolyard. Students learn that even the edge of an asphalt playground supports plant and insect life in our **ecosystem**. We'll compare **living and non-living things** and look for evidence of nature in even the most urban setting. **Pick one** focus: **plants, animals, or soils**.

Feathered Friends

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1½ hours
VA Science SOLs: 3.4, 3.10; 4.5, 5.5
MCPS Science Units: Grade 4 ECO, LIF; Grade 5 ATR

On a schoolyard or a sanctuary hike we'll observe birds and discuss their **adaptations**. Students will learn about birds' role in our **ecosystem**, and how humans impact bird **survival**. We'll investigate **structures of bird anatomy** including their beaks, feet, and feathers. Students will build a take-home bird feeder or a nesting bag (seasonal).

All ANS programs that I have done with my students have been excellent! I appreciate all that you are doing to promote scientific discovery by school-aged children!

- Elementary school teacher

Growing Green

Offered in Fall and Spring; 1 hour for Naturalist in Your Classroom, 1 ½ hours for Field Trip
VA Science SOLs: 3.7; 4.4, 4.5, 4.8; 5.5
MCPS Science Units: Grade 3 PGD; Grade 4 LIF; Grade 5 ATR

The **producers** (plants and trees!) go through different **life cycle** stages and have **survival needs**. We'll focus on **plants or trees** in your own schoolyard or at one of our nature sanctuaries to learn about the plant **structures, anatomy, photosynthesis, adaptations, and reproduction** of these energy filled powerhouses.



Life Cycles

Offered in Fall and Spring; 1½ hours
VA Science SOLs: 3.8; 4.5
MCPS Science Units: Grade 3 PGD; Grade 4 ECO

We'll investigate **life cycles** and **metamorphosis** throughout the **seasons**. As we explore the environment for signs of plants and animals in different stages of life, we'll discuss **metamorphosis** and **survival strategies**. If you'd like us to focus on a particular **organism**, you can choose from insects, amphibians, birds, mammals, or plants.

Reptile or Amphibian

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1 hour
VA Science SOLs: 3.4, 4.5; 5.5
MCPS Science Units: Grade 4 LIF

Meet one of our sanctuary reptiles and learn about the amazing **adaptations** of **reptiles**. We'll **compare and contrast** reptiles and **amphibians**, learn what it means to be **cold-blooded**, and examine the **life cycles** of these creatures. Students work at hands-on, multi-sensory discovery stations to learn how **ectotherms** fit into the **food web**.



Skull and Scat Sleuths

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1½ hours
VA Science SOLs: 3.1, 3.4, 3.5, 4.1, 4.5, 5.1, 5.5
MCPS Science Units: Grade 3 CLC; Grade 4 LS; ECO

Student scientists use **inference** and **data analysis** to identify mystery animals using skull and scat models. We'll teach them how to analyze samples based on clues about **anatomy, taxonomy, food webs, populations, and adaptations**. Students learn characteristics of **vertebrates** and **invertebrates**, and **carnivores, omnivores, and herbivores**.



Photo by Barb Ermiler

Watershed Adventure

Offered in Fall and Spring; 2 hours
VA Science SOLs: 3.1, 3.5, 3.6, 3.9, 3.10; 4.1, 4.5, 4.8; 5.1, 5.5
MCPS Science Units: Grade 4 ECO, LIF; Grade 5 ATR

This **Meaningful Watershed Educational Experience (MWEE)** focuses on the **Chesapeake Bay Watershed**. Students conduct **experiments** for dissolved oxygen, pH, and chemical indicators in a local **aquatic ecosystem**. We conduct a **habitat** assessment and use dip nets to catch **macroinvertebrates**. Students study the **adaptations** of aquatic **organisms**. Getting wet and/or muddy is possible - please dress appropriately! There is an optional pre-and post lesson visit for an extra charge.

Web of Life

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1½ hours
VA Science SOLs: 3.5, 3.6, 3.10; 4.4, 4.5, 4.8
MCPS Science Units: Grade 3 PGD; Grade 4 ECO, LIF; Grade 5 ATR

All the plants and animals of the forest, meadow, and pond are connected through the **web of life**. In this active program, students experience what it's like to be a part of the **food web**, find out how **energy** transfers, examine plant and animal **interdependence**, and learn how **human actions** can affect an entire **ecosystem**.

Middle School Programs (Grades 6 - 8)

ANS Middle School Programs:

- provide hands-on, **STEM** focused activities in nature;
- foster scientific exploration through **direct observation** and **experimentation** using **scientific equipment**;
- encourage **critical thinking** and the **formulation of hypotheses**;
- help students apply **problem solving skills** to address **environmental issues**;
- address relevant **current public policy**.

Program Fees

1½ Hour Program: \$5.00 per student. \$75 minimum.
2 Hour Program: \$5.50 per student. \$85 minimum.

Animal Crime Scene Investigators

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 2 hours
VA Science SOLs: LS.7 - LS.12
MCPS Science Units: Grade 6 Unit 2; Grade 7 Units 3 and 4

Student scientists use inference and data analysis to identify the mystery animals using skull and scat models. We'll teach them to analyze samples based on clues about **anatomy, taxonomy, food webs, populations, and adaptations**. Students learn characteristics of **vertebrates** and **invertebrates** and **carnivores, omnivores, and herbivores**.

Eco-Action

Offered in Fall and Spring; 2 hours
VA Science SOLs: 6.1, 6.9; LS.4, LS.5, LS.9
MCPS Science Units: Grade 6 Unit 1

Students learn to harness nature's recyclers to reduce solid waste through composting. We'll introduce them to the **FBI (fungi, bacteria and invertebrates)** that **decompose** leaf litter in the forest. We'll experiment on compost bins using **scientific equipment** to test **temperature, moisture, pH, nitrogen, potassium, and phosphates**.

I had students mention things they learned from the program in a reading lesson a week later.
- Middle school teacher

Ecosystems

Offered in Fall, Winter and Spring; 1½ hours
VA Science SOLs: 6.7, 6.9; LS.4, LS.7, LS.8, LS.9,
LS.10, LS.11, LS.12
MCPS Science Units: Grade 6 Unit 1 and 2

In this program, we'll investigate our local **ecosystem** and **biome**. On a hike, we'll look for evidence of plant and animal **survival strategies** and **adaptations** and **human impact** on nature. We'll actively explore interactions in natural **populations** including **predator/prey, competition, cooperation,** and **symbiotic** relationships.

Green Sleuths

Offered in Fall and Spring; 2 hours
VA Science SOLs: 6.9; LS 3-12, 14
MCPS Science Units: Grade 6 Unit 1 and 2; Grade 7
Unit 3

Plants are **producers** that form the cornerstone of the **energy pyramid**. On a hike, we'll examine **species** in the Plantae Kingdom, their **life cycles**, and their **survival needs**. This program focuses on plant **anatomy, photosynthesis, adaptation, and reproduction**. We'll teach students to use **dichotomous keys** to identify plants.

Watershed Exploration

Offered in Fall and Spring; 2 hours
VA Science SOLs: 6.1, 6.5, 6.7, 6.9; LS 6-12
MCPS Science Units: Grade 6 Unit 1 and 2



This **Meaningful Watershed Educational Experience (MWEE)** focuses on the **Chesapeake Bay Watershed**. Students conduct **experiments** to determine temperature,

dissolved oxygen, pH, and chemical indicators in a local **aquatic ecosystem**. We'll conduct a **habitat** assessment and use dip nets to catch benthic **macroinvertebrates** and examine them under a **microscope**. Students will explore **adaptations** and **energy transfer** in **aquatic ecosystems**. We will investigate **human impact** on local waterways and **current public policy** on water management. Getting wet and/or muddy is possible - please dress appropriately. There is an optional pre-and post lesson visit for an extra charge.

Teachable Science Teacher Training Workshops 2011-2012

- * Learn new activities to bring into the classroom.
- * Receive free science materials to use with your students.
- * Increase your knowledge of science content.
- * Become more comfortable teaching students outside.
- * Sharpen your questioning skills.
- * Turn interruptions into teachable moments.

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CHOOSE FROM THREE OPTIONS:



- 1) Training at Your School (minimum class size of 15)
- 2) Training at Woodend Sanctuary in Chevy Chase, MD
- 3) Summer Training

To sign up and for more info email: TeachableScience@gmail.com

Program Details

Ages: Most programs can be tailored to younger or older age groups.

Availability: Monday-Friday 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Group Size: If your group size is larger than 50 students, please call or email to make special arrangements.

Lunch: Picnic tables are available for lunches and snacks at both Rust and Woodend sanctuaries. Please register for picnic space when you register for your program.

Scholarship: If more than 50% of your school's children are in the free or reduced lunch program (FARMS), we may be able to reduce your program fee with a scholarship. Please contact us to receive a scholarship application.

Travel Fees: All Naturalist in Your Classroom programs have an additional \$50 per day travel fee for schools up to 30 miles away from Rust or Woodend.

School Fairs/Festivals: We are available to attend school science fairs/festivals. Please contact us directly for pricing.

Registration Information

Download and complete a registration form found at www.ANShome.org/school or fill out the registration form found on page 7 of this catalog. Please complete one form for each program. Indicate **four** preferences for day, date and possible start and end times.

For programs at or near our Rust Nature Sanctuary (Leesburg, Virginia) either:

1. Email your registration form to Susanne Ortmann: sortmann@audubonnaturalist.org
2. Print and fax your registration form to 703-669-1234
3. Print and mail your registration form to: School Programs, ANS, 802 Children's Center Road, Leesburg, VA 20175

For programs at or near our Woodend Nature Sanctuary (Chevy Chase, Maryland) either:

1. Email your registration form to Katharine Leysath: kleysath@audubonnaturalist.org
2. Print and fax your registration form to 301-951-7179
3. Print and mail your registration form to: School Programs, ANS, 8940 Jones Mill Road, Chevy Chase, MD 20815

Once you have turned in your registration form, you will receive a confirmation letter by email stating the time and date of the program, along with the total amount due. **In order to hold that date, you must return a signed copy of the confirmation letter along with your total program fee in the form of cash or check.** No exceptions. If you do not hear from us within five business days, please call to confirm that your email, fax or letter was received.

Cancellations, Refunds, and Severe Weather Policies

Cancellations made:

- 4 weeks or more in advance: full refund minus \$15 processing fee
- 2-4 weeks in advance: 50% refund minus \$15 processing fee
- Less than 2 weeks in advance: no refund

All programs run rain or shine. In the case of severe weather, please contact the School Programs Coordinator at 8:30 a.m. the morning of your program and we will discuss potential alternatives. In the case of school closings due to inclement weather/snow, programs will be rescheduled at no charge.

Questions?

For more Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs), please visit our website at www.ANShome.org/school. Or contact us:

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Registration Form

Please fill out this form completely and email, fax or mail using info found on page 6.

Woodend, Chevy Chase, MD fax (301-951-7179)

Rust, Leesburg, VA fax (703-669-1234)

(You must use a separate form for each program)

Name of School: _____

Address: _____ Zip _____

Teacher: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ FAX: (_____) _____

E-mail address: _____

Program Title: _____

Special Emphasis: _____

Length of Program (check one): _____ 1 hour _____ 1½ hours _____ 2 hours

Grade of Students: _____ Age Range of Students _____

Number of Students Attending: _____ Number of Adults Attending: _____

Do any of your students have special needs (hearing impaired, learning disabilities, etc)?

Will you come by (check one): _____ Bus _____ Carpool _____ n/a (Naturalist in Your Classroom Program)

How many programs do you want on this date? _____ (FAX or mail all forms together)

Do you need a scholarship application? _____ No _____ Yes

Do you plan to eat a snack or have lunch on our grounds before or after the program? _____ No _____ Yes

To assist with scheduling, please provide the day, date, earliest time we can begin your program and the latest time we can end your program.

CHOICE	DAY OF THE WEEK	DATE	EARLIEST PROGRAM START TIME	LATEST PROGRAM END TIME
First				
Second				
Third				
Fourth				

What is the best way to reach you? (check one)

E-mail or Telephone (best time to reach you): _____

We will notify you within 5 business days of your scheduled date and time.

Questions? Call (301) 652-9188 x17 (MD and DC), or (703) 669-0000 x2 (VA).

By registering for an Audubon Naturalist Society School Program, I am consenting to the following statement of risk and acknowledgement of liability: I know and understand that there may be risks and dangers involved in the school program, and that ANS does not carry accidental injury insurance on participants. I waive and release ANS and its employees from all liability for any personal injuries, illness, loss or property damage. ANS reserves the right to use photos taken during school programs for non-commercial, informational purposes such as future school programs catalogs unless ANS is notified otherwise in writing.