



Turtle Tots

4 year olds-Kindergarten

June 27 – July 1: Week 1 **Powerful Plants**

Why are leaves green? How do trees grow so tall? Spend the week answering these questions and more as we investigate the superpowers of the plant world.

July 5 – July 8: Week 2 **Brilliant Birds**

These fine feathered friends are all around us and have very important jobs. We'll spend this week investigating where birds live, how they find food, build nests, and more.

July 11 – July 15: Week 3 **Incredible Insects**

Did you know that insects are an important part of our ecosystem? They can be found all over the world and sometimes in extreme environments.

July 18 – July 22: Week 4 **So You Want To Work At An Arboretum**

Learn the skills required to work at an arboretum and discover what the staff do on a day to day basis.

July 25 – July 29: Week 5 **Animal Jobs**

What is the role of each animal in the forest? Discover each animal's job and how they contribute to the health of the forest.

August 1 – August 5: Week 6 **Have To Have a Habitat**

We will "dive" into the ocean and hike through a rainforest! Spend this week exploring various environments and discuss helpful hints for a healthy habitat.

August 8 – August 12: Week 7 **Wonderful World of Water**

From snowflakes to your water bottle, water is everywhere. Get ready for a week of water games, studies, and experiments to understand why water is so important to all living things.

August 15 – August 19: Week 8 **Art in Nature**

Learn about the beauty of the natural world by exploring concepts of art such as color, texture, line, and shape. We will create sculptures, mosaics, mandalas, and more.

August 22 – August 26: Week 9 **Nature Detectives**

Campers will use clues to track and trace various animal activities. Investigate hideouts of the usual forest suspects and learn more about predators on our "most wanted" lists..



Explorers

Rising 1st & 2nd Graders

June 27 – July 1: Week 1 **Wonderful World of Water**

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July 5 – July 8: Week 2 **Powerful Plants**

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July 11 – July 15: Week 3 **Healthy Habitats**

What is a habitat and what are the requirements for a healthy habitat? Discover the different habitats that can be found around the world and in your own backyards.

July 18 – July 22: Week 4 **Animal Jobs**

Have you ever wondered if animals have jobs like humans? Come find out which animals are the engineers, farmers, security guards, and trash collectors.

July 25 – July 29: Week 5 **The Skin You Are In**

What is the difference between a frog and a toad or the scales on a turtle vs a snake? Learn the answers to these questions and more as we spend our days discovering all the different types of coverings animals have.

August 1 – August 5: Week 6 **Animal Adaptations**

Discover the unique adaptations animals have to hunt for food, protect themselves, and survive in the wild.

August 8 – August 12: Week 7 **Survival Games**

If you were lost in the woods, how would you survive? Along with a naturalist-educator, campers will learn basic skills such as orienteering and shelter building. They'll have a blast putting their new skills to test in our woodlands.



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Trailblazers

Rising 3rd & 4th Graders

Offered for two weeks

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August 22 – August 26: Week 9

Animal Adaptations

Discover the unique adaptations animals have to hunt for food, protect themselves, and survive in the wild. Learn about the special behavioral and physical adaptations animals have.